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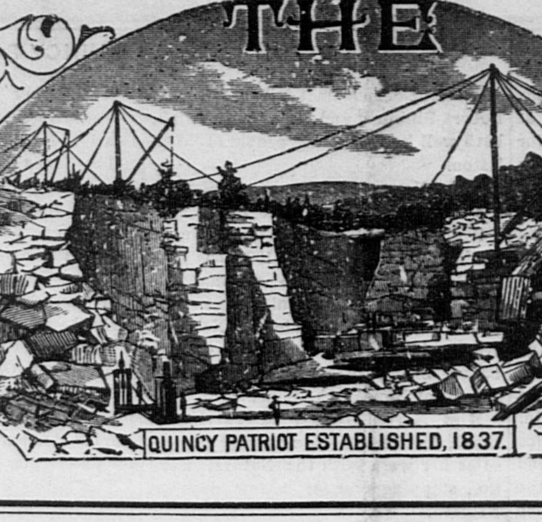
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SURPLUS over Re-Insurance,	$455,776.74
LOSSES paid the past year,	$42,201.94
DIVIDENDS PAID the past year,	$66,032.42
GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year,	$12,983.04
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Amount at Risk	$34,712,920.00
Cash Assets	472,396.14
Deposit Notes	569,644.43
Available Assets	1,042,040.57
Total Liabilities	310,988.83
Cash Surplus	161,407.31
Gain in Surplus in 1903	1,389.25
Gain in Assets in 1903	23,968.44
Losses paid in 1903	72,704.06
Dividends paid in 1903	60,356.48
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Poetry.

The New Year.

What will the New Year bring to us?
Gold without dross,
Gain without loss,
Crown without cross?
Ah, no, my friend, such cannot be.

What will the New Year bring to us—
Smiles without tears,
Hopes without fears,
Words without jeers?
Ah, no, my friend, such cannot be.

What will the New Year bring to us—
Toil without gain,
Peace without pain,
Sun without rain?
Ah, no, my friend, such cannot be.

What will the New Year bring to us—
Wheat without tares,
Joy without cares?
Life without snares?
Ah, no, my friend, such cannot be.

Miscellany.

The Pale Blue Cashmere Gown.

The Rev. John Lawrence sat at his study table, leaning on his elbow, his usually busy pen held idly between his fingers. He gazed far over the plains, a trance-like expression in his thoughtful eyes; he believed that the time was coming when those plains would be peopled, and, with the hopefulness which made his missionary life beautiful, he seemed to see the church leading, inspiring and ministering to these people. Already he had visions of a school wherein his own wife should be the ruling spirit; visions of a hospital, a guild-house and clubrooms, where these savages might grow less savage. Even the fact that thus far only one poor little wooden church building was to be found in many miles did not in the least interfere with his dreams.

How long he might have dreamed, no one knows, but he was recalled by a delicious voice calling to him:

"I am twenty-two inches around the waist, John, and my skirt length is forty-three. You know you asked me yesterday."

"Sure enough," he answered, with a little start, taking up the tapeline which lay conspicuously on his desk. "I must get that letter off to-day; but I'd better measure you myself. You probably measured with a string. That's the feminine way, I believe."

His wife came in, feather duster in hand, and as he drew the line about her waist, he dropped a kiss upon her forehead.

"I hope they will send you something pretty."

Mrs. Lawrence burst into laughter.

"The idea of anything pretty in a missionary box, John! Who ever heard of it? It's against the nature of things. Perhaps it is wicked, but I have sometimes thought that they made them as ugly as possible. Do you remember the snuff-colored dressing jacket with the black fringe?"

"Wasn't that pretty?" he queried. "I always thought it was very elegant, except when the fringe dipped in the coffee."

"You dear dreamer! You don't know what is pretty. You don't see anything, but your beloved Sunday-school and night classes and sick people. A rheumatic old Indian woman is beautiful to you if—"

"If she is a Christian! Yes, I admit it," he said, gently; "all of God's creatures are beautiful to me, and one of them most beautiful," and again he gave her a loving caress and resumed his work.

"Sheets, pillow cases, street suit for my wife, clerical suit for self, overcoat —I hate to ask for that, but it is such a necessity in this bleak land."

He read once again the friendly letter, in which he had been urged to make known all his needs, assuring him that they would be supplied, so far as possible, by a branch of the Woman's Auxiliary.

These boxes, which had so irked the pride of many a missionary, never offended John Lawrence. He gave little thought to self. His Divine Master had lived on alms, and his own horizon was too rich, too broad, for any petty egotism to create even a speck upon it; but he sometimes reflected with regret, his wife keenly disliked this phase of missionary life. He could not forget that he had taken her from a luxurious home; but had he not given her a greater opportunity to do God's work? and was she not doing it sweetly and uncomplainingly? He would try to believe that she did not care.

In the meantime, Mrs. Lawrence was dusting the sitting-room, and she had come to a standstill before a little ivory miniature of herself, the price of which would almost have paid for everything in their modest home. It was made ten years before, when she had just finished school and was archly charming in that dainty gown. How becoming it was, and how much he had admired her in it!

"Alice, is there anything else you want? We are to mention everything we need, and they will supply us as far as possible."

"Yes," she called, a little sarcastically, "please tell them I need very much a pale blue cashmere gown;" and then she smiled at the absurdity of such a request from a missionary's wife. "Imagine the consternation that would create," she thought, "if he really would ask for such a thing!"

She replaced the miniature with a sigh. Was it a crime to love pretty things? And would she ever have any again? Her trousseau was long ago exhausted, and now she lived and moved and had her being in black things and brown things and all things that wouldn't show dirt. Oh, dear! but—blessed afterthought!—wouldn't she rather be the wife of John Lawrence, in black brilliantines and brown serges, than anybody else in the world?

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The President of St. Mary's Auxiliary was rapping loudly for order. She was reading a letter saying that the Rev. John Lawrence would be deeply grateful for a suit, an overcoat, etc. It was when she came to the overcoat that the confusion arose; for one lady had a practically new overcoat which her present coachman, being stout, could not wear. It was exactly the Rev. Mr. Lawrence's size, but, being a surtout, she questioned whether it would be the correct thing for clerical wear. The entire auxiliary set itself to argue this point, when the president stopped them.

"Ladies, we can discuss this matter later. Let me finish reading this letter. 'Where was I? 'Sheets, pillow cases, table linen, and'—what is this?—'a pale blue cashmere gown!'"

A pale blue cashmere gown! Had she asked for an automobile coat the request could not have produced more surprise. There was a deep silence. Even the president found nothing to say for some time.

"A little unusual," she finally said.

"Well, I never had a pale blue cashmere gown in my life," gasped some one.

"Pale blue! So perishable!" another said, feebly.

And cashmere! So out of style!" a third added.

"She must be some poor little country soul," the secretary said.

"Well, whoever she is, she ought to be reprimanded. The idea of such worldliness in a missionary's wife!"

"He should have known better than to have asked for it!"

"The idea of our money going for a pale blue cashmere gown!"

So the comments went around, till everybody had had her say; some of them had two or three "says," and they were seemingly gasping for breath to say something even more severe, when a bombshell fell in their midst:

"Why shouldn't she have a pale blue cashmere gown? She is probably a young woman, and maybe has not a single pretty thing! Oh, gracious!" and the speaker grew so energetic that she arose and stood facing them, her face rosy with excitement. "I have helped with box after box in this society, and never have I seen a really pretty thing go into one of them! They are so deadly practical. How it will wear, how it will wash, whether it will show dirt—I sympathize with this woman away out there among those Indians, dependent on us hard-hearted things for the little she wants. God knows," she added, even more earnestly, "where they get the grace to sustain them in their work! As for this gown"—her voice trembled a little — "let us give it to her. Cashmere is cheap, and just imagine her pleasure; and do you know, I think a pretty gown would have a cheerful effect on both herself and her husband. Perhaps it might even convert a few more Indians!" She sat down, a little embarrassed by the feeling she had shown.

"We might make her a Mother Hubbard, if you are so bent on it," some one said doubtfully. "Made up plainly it would not cost much."

"But it mustn't be a Mother Hubbard. I wouldn't doom even a woman living among the Indians to that! If we send it at all, let it be pretty. Let us put our hearts into it, and make it a beautiful surprise for her. She will probably expect something ugly, if she expects it at all."

"I don't know why we should discriminate this way in favor of Mrs. John Lawrence. We have never done it before." A severe voice threw a damper on the proceedings.

"Mrs. John Lawrence," echoed another; "pray let me see that letter. Mrs. John Lawrence was an honor student in my class at college in 1890, and I believe I am safe in saying that there is no one here who could surpass her either in intellect or beauty. I remember now that she married a missionary enthusiast and went out to those wilds cheerfully." The speaker crossed the room rapidly and approached the advocate of the blue gown.

"I will gladly help you with the gown and we will make it beautiful as a dream."

How quickly the idea became infectious! Everybody offered to do something or to give something. It was almost as delightful as dressing a doll!

St. Mary's Auxiliary had turned out many a box, but never had anything aroused such interest as this new bit of work. It became a fad; with its silken linings, its dainty frills of lace, its "fagoting" and exquisite accessories, the beautiful empire gown lay complete. The Auxiliary women who were packing the box stopped frequently to admire and almost to caress it.

"I hate to see it go," said the secretary.

"It has done us more good than anything we ever did. What a lovely idea it was!" the treasurer said. "I don't begrudge the money at all."

"Let me fasten this in." Some one bent over the gown and tacked in a little sachet of violet.

"And I must slip this handkerchief into its bosom;" another deftly tuckled an embroidered kerchief into its folds.

"I have written this note to my dear old friend, and have told her what a pleasure this has been;" and the note, too, was pinned to the blue gown. And so, with little final adjustment, and pats of admiration, the blue gown, soft and rustling and enveloped in white tissue paper, was put into its individual box, and shipped away, with more practical things, to the land of the Indians and the plains.

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Mrs. Lawrence came home somewhat discouraged from her sewing school one afternoon, to find her house in great disorder. Everything was covered with clothes, it seemed. The box had come, and her husband had lost no time in opening it. The street suit for which she had asked confronted her from the bookcase; dark, neat and serviceable. She examined it with enthusiasm. "They were so good. weren't they, John?"

"Good! My dear, the Auxiliary is always good. Now, don't say anything about your brown sack with the black fringe! The Auxiliary!—well, you know what I think of it! See! They have sent us everything, even to the last thing on the list—your blue cashmere gown!" He handed her the box.

"My pale blue cashmere gown! John Lawrence! You didn't really write that, did you? Oh, what must they have thought?" She sank into a chair, pale and distressed.

"I think the dress tells what they thought." He lifted the delicate garment as if it were a baby.

"Silk! Lace! Perfume! A train! John, I can't believe it's mine! And I can't help crying! I didn't mean it. I said it in a half-joking, half-cynical, way, never thinking you would ask for it. I wouldn't have dared ask for it, and see how they have repaid me for my unfaith! Everything is so beautiful, so dainty! There's so much love in it, John! That's what touches me. It means the love of women who saw in me only a servant of God. When you write, tell them this means more to me than anything that ever happened."

Late that night she sat with her old friend's note. She had written a long, heart-full letter. She turned to her husband with moist eyes:

"I don't believe I ever told you before, John; but it is very sweet to be a missionary's wife." Sarah S. Pratt.

Fawning Before Wealth.

The chief evil, nowadays, lies in the well-nigh universal fawning and cowering before wealth, in the blind scramble for fortune or favor. We are taught to act a part, when we should embody a principle. We stoop over and walk on all fours, when we should stand erect, remembering the stars above us.

Many of the hangers-on of the millionaire are mere fawners and flatterers seeking to push their way into the social swim. Other classes who bend at his feet are working people, who are dependent on him for food and shelter.

What is the way out of this social tangle? The answer is not clear. But one thing is certain; we all need a keener sense of values. We need to set up character (not money,) as the one ideal of life that is best worth while.

Thomas Hughes said, long ago, that we may not be able to hinder people in general from being helpless and vulgar, —from letting themselves fall into slavery to things about them, if they are rich, or from aping the habits and vices of the rich, if they are poor. But, as he says, we may live simple, manly lives, ourselves, speaking our own thoughts, paying our own way, and doing our own work, whatever that may be. We shall remain gentlemen as long as we follow these rules, even if we have to sweep a crossing for a livelihood. But we shall not remain gentlemen, in anything, but the name, if we depart from these rules, though we may be set to govern a kingdom.

The mortal bane in all this money-worship, this toadyism, and timeserving, is the effect it has on the soul of the toady and timeserver. It calls his attention away from the real and the permanent in life to the false and the fleeting. It robs him of the idea that character is the chief glory of man. Character is the one thing, whose foundations go down to the world's granite; and when to character we add culture, we come into an inheritance more durable than time and richer than the kingdoms of this world.—Success.

Little Tom's Choice.

A certain small Tom was going out to luncheon by invitation. His mother was anxious he should behave well, but, wisely recalling that simplicity is the essence of all true politeness, gave him but one caution: "Act, Tom, as if you were at home; take what you want with a 'Yes, please, 'No, thank you.' Be honest as at our own table," trusting that with his confidence established the continual home sowing of precept and example would bear its fruit.

At night Tom reported results. "I guess I did all right, mother, though I got a laugh on me once."

"What was that?" inquired his mother.

"Well, we had baked apples, and when it came my turn to be served Mrs. C. said, 'And now, Tom, which apple do you want?'"

"You told her of course," interpolated his mother as the boy hesitated a little. "You know, I have often explained that it is good manners to give a choice when one is asked."

"Yes, mother, I told her, and that was the laugh. I said, 'The one I want is gone.'"

A Trusting Bootblack.

A cab driver of the nighthawk species, who begins to look for his prey even before the sun goes down, patronizes a little Italian bootblack named Tony. Every evening about 6 o'clock he pulls up in front of Tony's stand, climbs from his perch and demands a shine. Tony always responds with great alacrity, but never gets any pay. Still he seems satisfied. "How is it you shine his shoes for nothing? asked another customer last evening, as the Jehu climbed up to his seat and drove off. "Dat's a Jeem," replied Tony, fairly smiling until his white teeth fairly gleamed. "Jeem is-a ma frien'." "Yes, he seems to be your friend," said the man in the chair. "You give him a shine every night, don't you? What has he every done for you?" "Oh, Jeem, he's-a all right," replied Tony. "He's a good-a fel. He says to me once: 'Tony, you give-a me a shine evra day, an' some-a time tak-a you out an' give you a ride.'" "How long ago was that?" asked the customer. "T'ree year ago," said Tony, still smiling. "Some-a time Jeem, he tak-a me out. Jeem, he's a good-a fel."—Philadelphia Record.

Where Pussy Gets Her Name.

Did you ever think why we called the cat "puss?"

A great many years ago the people of Egypt, who had many idols, worshipped the cat. They thought she was like the moon because she was more active at night and because her eyes changed, just as the moon changes, which is sometimes full and sometimes only a crescent or half moon, as we say. Did you ever notice your pussy's eyes to see how they change? So these people made an idol with the cat's head and named it Pasht, the same name they gave to the moon, for the word means the face of the moon.

The word has been changed to "pas," or "puss," and has come at last to be "puss," the [illegible] almost every one gives [illegible]

Humor an Element of Success.

I am strongly of the opinion says Justin McCarthy, in "Success that a quick and abiding sense of humor is a great element of success in every department of life. I do not speak merely of success in the more strictly artistic fields of human work, but am ready to maintain that, even in the prosaic and practical concerns of human existence, the sense of humor is an inciting and sustaining influence to carry a man successfully through to the full development of his capacity and the attainment of his purpose. It is so in the art of war,—it is especially so in the business of statesmanship. Mortal life, at the best, is so full of perplexities, disappointments, and reverses, that it must be hard work indeed for a man who is endowed with little or no sense of humor to keep his spirits up through seasons of difficulty and depression, and maintain his energy,—living despite the disheartening effects of commonplace and prosaic discouragements. A man who is easily disheartened does not appear to be destined by nature for the overcoming of difficulties, and nothing is a happier incentive to the maintenance of good animal spirits than the quick sense of humor which finds something to make a jest of even in conditions which bring but a sinking of the heart to the less fortunately endowed mortal. In the stories of great events and great enterprises, we are constantly told of some heaven-born leader who kept alive, through the most trying hours of what otherwise might have been utter and enfeebling depression, the energies, the courage, and the hope of his comrades and his followers. One can hardly read the story of any escape from shipwreck, any drifting about in an open boat over wintry seas, without learning of some plucky and humorous mortal who kept his comrades alive and alert through all dangers and troubles by his ready humor and animal spirits. Read any account of a long-protracted siege, when the besieged had to resist assault from without and hunger within, and you will be sure to be told how the humorous sallies of some leader were able to prevent those around him from sinking into the depths of despair. There are times when no good whatever is done by taking even the most serious things too seriously, and a sudden flash of humor often lightens up the atmosphere as the blast of a trumpet might give new spirits and new energy amid the deepening gloom of some almost desperate day.—Success.

Mont Pelee Today.

In conversation with a Montreal Star representative, Mr. Colin McKay, who has recently returned from the West Indies, spoke of a visit paid to the scene the volcanic horror at Martinique.

"Where the city of St. Pierre once flourished," he said, "there is a thick bed of lava, which is already assuming the appearance of a vast gray granite rock. About nine years ago I passed close by St. Pierre in the evening, saw its white roofs, its towers and cupolas gleaming between the fronded crests and lithe gray trunks of the royal palms, and heard the crash of bands in its squares and the tinkling of mandolins upon the French ships lying in the roadstead. But now the scarred mass of lava covers completely the gay Paris of the Antilles, with all its life and color and music, as though it were buried under a massive mausoleum of granite. There are no ruins—nothing at all to indicate that a city of 25,000 people had once flourished there.

"Before you rises the gaunt and colossal cone of Mont Pelee, with its awful head veiled in lazy and pestiferous vapors, its scarred lava streaked slopes rent with gigantic fissures and wild gorges, and at its base, piled up in primeval confusion, masses of the blown-out creast and sides.

"To the southward, where the suburbs of the city stretched over a level plain, the earth washed down from the mountain sides by the rains has formed a soil in which grass and trees are beginning to grows in patches. In a few years, no doubt, the tomb of the city will be covered with the vegetation of the tropics, and the scarred sides of Pelee covered with forests of green. All the rest of the island has emerged from its covering of ashes in new beauty and greater luxuriance."

No Change Back.

A man in Chicago tendered a $100.00 bill in payment of his initiation fee of 11 cents to the "Buffalo," but he didn't know that one of the rules of the order is to "keep the change." Naturally he was mad when he didn't get his $99.89 back, and he has had his "initiator" arrested. He can console himself with the thought that he is not alone in his misery. Thousands before him have joined "fraternals" and have never received any change back for the money they put in.—Insurance Topics.

A Year is So Long!

"I should think, Tommy," said his father, "that you might find some boy to play with you. Now, what's the matter with Johnnie Jenkins and the little Dobbs boy?"

"Poh? why, they're a year younger than I am," said Tommy contemptuously; "I couldn't play with them."

"Well, there is Jack Speak and Willie Harlow," said his father; "won't they do?"

"Yes; but they are a year older than I am," said Tommy wistfully, "so they won't play with me."

Couldn't Keep It.

After hearing evidence in an assault case between man and wife, in which the wife had had a deal of provocation, the magistrate, turning to the husband, remarked:

"My good man, I really cannot do anything in this case."

"But she has cut a piece of my ear off, sir."

"Well," said the magistrate, "I will bind her over to keep the peace."

"You can't," shouted the husband; she's thrown it away."—Pearson's

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, Dec. 31, 1904.

When New Year's day dawns every hod carrier in the land can turn over for another nap knowing that he will have a day of rest, but the President of the United States must be up early to face the hardest day's work, he will have during the year. There is a general impression that a salary of fifty thousand dollars a year, and the honors of the office are good, and sufficient pay for the Chief Executive, and up to date, there have been no candidates for the Presidency, who have struck "because of the pay," but even the humble union man wouldn't consider 130 dollars too much pay for the President's New Year day's work. That day he earns his pay actually by the sweat of his brow, and when he sits down to his dinner, lame in all his muscle he doubtless, has all the consolations of the working man so picturesquely exploited in literature.

By eleven in the morning, he must be down stairs, with his smile adjusted to receive the members of the diplomatic corps, and the Cabinet [illegible] the Cabinet, and the Diplomatic co[illegible] struggle for precedence be[illegible] leaves one always in do[illegible] first, and perhaps [illegible] ident a gleam of ho[illegible] relegated to second place [illegible] be received at all.

At half-past eleven, Senators, Representatives and Delegates in Congress, the Commissioners and judicial officers of the District of Columbia are ushered into the Blue room, where the receiving party stands. At eleven forty-five, follow the officers, of the army, officers of the navy, officers of the marine corps, commanding general staff of the militia of the District of Columbia. Then come the regents and secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, the Civil Service commission, the Interstate Commission, the Isthmian Canal Commission. Assistant secretaries of departments, the Solicitor general, assistant attorneys general, assistant postmasters general, the Treasurer of the United States, the Librarian of the Congressional Library, the Public Printer, the head of Bureaus, the President of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb.

At 12.30, the Society of the Cincinnati appears, Veterans of the War of 46-47, Medal of Honor Legion, the Grand army, Army of Santiago, Spanish War veterans, the oldest inhabitants of the District, and half a dozen other leagues, societies and orders.

When one stops to consider that over half of these are organizations and not individuals, and that the hand of each man must be grasped with exactly, the proper degree of fervor, that the same beatific smile of welcome must be bestowed upon each person, lest offense should be given, it would seem that the President had well earned the right to sit down to mid-day meal with the consciousness of duty well done. But no, the work is, but just begun. The real reception is yet to come. This is merely a little run to warm his blood for the real work. From the time he glanced out of his window, after leaving his bed, the crowd of citizens anxious to clasp his hand, and look upon his face for one fleeting second has been forming along the square in front of the White House. Between ten o'clock and one it has been reenforced by thousands coming from every part of the city, persons who have come from California for the event, and the man who strolling out with his family joins the line, because he has nothing better to do, pretty shop girls chewing, and vociferous newsboys, a group fresh from the farm, a crowd of college students, stokers from the war vessel in port near the arsenal, dapper clerks with their best girls, weary mothers who have brought their babies for the President to smile on, every employment, and lack of it represented in the tired, good-natured line that stretches from the White House to the Gate of War and Navy department, and down again toward the monument ground. Could he look out on that line, he might well falter or even run away, but he receives them one at a time, and experience has taught him that there is an end to every misery, and that in our zone a day is only twenty-four hours long. Sometime along in the afternoon, the thing ceases. The doors are closed, and a line apparently as long as it was in the beginning is turned away. They may have waited three, four even five hours out of doors. If it is raining or snowing, they are drenched to the skin, but there is no appeal, and happily in spite of their disappointment, most of them are cheerful. They have seen the great numbers that have found entrance to the White House, and they realize what a day's work the President has done.

Each year, it becomes more apparent that the custom, of a New Year's reception is one that must be abolished. When it was established, the United States was a sparsely populated country, with almost insignificant representation in Congress, and Washington was a straggling village, accessable only by wagon or horseback over mud roads. To shake hands, then with the official representatives, and the "citizens" was a light affair, and for that reason a gracious one. Now it has become a ponderous formality, that every one concerned would be glad to have omitted.

One of the recent improvements in social affairs inaugurated by the President, and Mrs. Roosevelt has been in the matter of the cabinet dinner. It has been the custom for the President to dine once during the winter at the home of each Member of the Cabinet. The President and his wife with all the cabinet members, and their wives or daughters constituted the party at each one of these dinners—thus last year, when there were eight cabinet officers, the same sixteen people met at eight different dinners in the course of [illegible] or ten weeks. That it was a b[illegible] without saying until the Presid[illegible] mated it by giving out this wi[illegible] he would expect to meet at t[illegible] ners persons outside the Cabin[illegible]

Ad[illegible]

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE [illegible]
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE [illegible]
All druggists refund the money if it fails [illegible] E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

☞Eyeglasses fitted scienti[illegible] No guess work.—Williams.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 7, 1905.

The Mayor's Address.

The inaugural address of Mayor Thompson is one of the very best that has been delivered in the city of Quincy. We do not recall any of the sixteen preceding ones which covered all the departments so completely. Mr. Thompson's prominence as a Representative in the Legislature and a member of the Ways and Means Committee, when Metropolitan park, water and sewer appropriations were under consideration, made him familiar with these great improvements, their cost and the plans for payment, and in his address he speaks understandingly of Metropolitan affairs.

Relative to city finances, the summary is very complete, and shows that Mayor Thompson realizes that Quincy is not in a condition to undertake numerous or large improvements. For this reason probably the only specific appropriation which His Honor recommends is additional accommodations for High school pupils.

The Mayor's figures show a reduction of $74,556.00 in the debt of the city (municipal, water, sewer and park) the past year, but this was possible only because of the payment of the one-year municipal loans of 1903, amounting to $80,000, and investigation will probably show that the outstanding loans today in anticipation of taxes aggregate over $80,000 more than on Jan. 1, 1904, so that the interest bearing debt is really larger. But aside from temporary loans the debt of the city was increased over $100,000.00 during the three years Charles M. Bryant was mayor.

The Mayor notes a balance of only $808.40 from the tax levies of 1903 and 1904 provided all the taxes for the two years are collected, which is not possible. The amount uncollected Dec. 1, 1904, was $285,933.68.

The fact that the maturing municipal debt is $77,942 this year, against $69,078 last year will tend to increase the tax rate.

The Mayor's criticism relative to the non-collection of taxes, and his determination to have poll and personal taxes collected more promptly, is pleasing.

The Mayor is not among those who thinks a mistake was made in the purchase of the works of the Quincy Water Company. Although over $700,000 was paid, it has never figured very largely in the tax rate, and the annual receipts now aggregate a handsome sum.

The Mayor is alert to the fact that the tax levy must soon provide for maturing sewer debt, interest on sewer debt and maintenance; also for bridge assessments. He would like to see more paved thoroughfares and better streets, and deplores the opening of streets shortly after they are rebuilt. His efforts to get larger returns from appropriations will also be endorsed.

The recommendation of more hydrants is a good one, and it is surely time that the Houghs Neck fire station was equipped. Promotion in the Police department also seems a move in the right direction. Good recommendations are offered relative to city engineering and to parks.

One of the most important features of the address relates to public franchises. His Honor would have the city obtain an equivalent, and these include: more frequent service on the street car lines, more cars and free transfers.

The Mayor urges economy in the School department, and his comments on High school accommodations are good. He recommends immediate action on additional accommodations.

The determination of Mayor Thompson to enforce the laws relative to liquor will please the large majority who voted against licenses in Quincy.

The Mayor's address will be found in full on the fourth page.

The Inaugural Address.

William L. Douglas, the newly elected Democratic Governor, took the oath of office at the State House on Wednesday before an immense gathering. His message is an able state paper that compels respect and study; and is one of the most notable that has been delivered to the legislature for years. It is straightforward and clear, without any of the adornments of literary style. He recommends a tariff inquiry commission; municipal ownership; direct legislation; local police control; militia reorganization; and a change of the $12 debt limit.

Some of his recommendations may be accepted, but others will require considerable discussion before adopted.

National Mt. Wollaston Bank.

The annual meeting of the National Mt. Wollaston Bank was held Tuesday and these directors elected: Charles A. Howland, Horace B. Spear, Herbert F. Doble, George H. Field, Lester M. Pratt, Henry M. Faxon, George W. Morton and Frank S. Patch.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors, Charles A. Howland was elected president.

The financial statement made to the stockholders showed deposits at the close of business Jan. 2, to have been $476,479.33, an increase of $109,638.21 over Jan. 2, 1904.

Quincy Man Honored.

A Quincy Representative was honored with a place on the leading committee of the House, Speaker Frothingham having appointed the following Committee on Rules:

Messrs. Hayes of Lowell, Taft of Worcester, Quinn of Boston, Cole of Andover, Ward of Buckland, Pingree of Haverhill, Warren of Newton, Seward of Watertown, Freeman of Quincy and Davis of Plymouth.

Mrs. Tsilka to Speak.

Mrs. Katerina Tsilka, who with Miss Stone was held captive in Bulgaria for ransom, will speak on Sunday evening in Bethany Congregational church. The babe Elentcha, born in captivity, will be present. This will a rare occasion for the Quincy people to hear a remarkable women tell one of the most thrilling stories of modern times.

William Claflin, three times govern- [illegible] Massachusetts, and one of the [illegible] prominent men in Boston financial [illegible] mercantile circles for many years, [illegible] a life-long Republican, died at [illegible]tonville, Thursday afternoon, aged [illegible] years and 10 months.

—The trial of Charles L. Tucker at [illegible]st Cambridge for the murder of Ma[illegible]l Page has occupied the attention of [illegible]e court and the Boston dailies most [illegible]pletely this week. The trial will [illegible]ably last two or three weeks.

CITY BRIEFS.

The Hospital Aid association is planning for an entertainment to be given soon.

The public schools reopened Monday, after the Christmas vacation of about ten days.

Mr. Eastham of Bethlehem, Penn., has been the guest of friends in this city the past week.

Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, will hold a concert and whist party next Monday evening.

A bouncing boy entered the family of Mr. and Mrs. John Kingdon of 84 Granite street on Dec. 28.

The Alden house on Adams street has been sold through the agency of Charles H. Burgess to John Harkins.

The annual dinner of the Pickwick club is to be held next Wednesday evening, January the eleventh.

Weekly meetings of Rural lodge, A. F. & A. M., continue because of numerous applications for degrees.

The next thing that will demand the attention of the city officials is the preparation of their annual reports.

Mrs. Mary E. Taber and her daughter Miss Lillie Taber of Quincy avenue are both confined to their beds by illness.

It was a sad New Year in at least three Quincy homes as there was one death Saturday night and two on Sunday.

There was a large attendance at all of the churches Sunday; probably a start in the right direction on New Year's day.

Edward B. Langley is laid up with an injured hand. He scratched it a few days ago and now blood poisoning has set in.

At the billard tournament at the Granite City club Saturday night J. Warren Nightingale beat E. E. Morgan 100 to 91.

The installation of the officers of George L. Gill Rebekah lodge has been postponed from January fifth to the ninteenth.

The lecture by Mrs. Alden to have been given Tuesday evening before the Manet club, was postponed because of the storm.

The S. S. S. club of Bethany Congregational church has contributed $13.13 to the Hospital. A good thing for a good cause.

Clarence Burgin has been appointed manager and director of the Quincy Quarries Company and E. E. Morgan general superintendent.

An entertainment in the chapel on January twentieth is announced as the fourth in the series being given by the First Church Social club.

No business was transacted in the Norfolk superior court at Dedham on Monday, the court adjourning out of respect for Chief Justice Mason.

Miss Floretta Vining is at the Parker house, Boston, for the winter. She makes frequent visits to Hull to look after her various interests there.

"The Simple Life" will be the subject of Rev. George H. Hawes of Hingham, who will preach at the Universalist church Sunday morning.

The annual meeting of the School Committee to have been held Tuesday evening was postponed until next Tuesday evening, as a quorum was not present.

A meeting of the City Council will be held next Monday evening in order to hasten the passage of the temporary loan order for $400,000, and the printing of the annual reports.

Miss M. Jennie Davies has the sympathy of her many friends and acquaintances in the loss of her mother, whose death occurred at her home on Granite street, on New Year's day.

The Social club dance at Faxon hall Dec. 30 was a great success. The attendance was so large that at times the floor was much crowded. It was a pretty party, social and enjoyed by all.

Miss Alice B. Hultman entertained a few friends Saturday evening. Games and music made the hours pass pleasantly until midnight, at which hour with many wishes of a "happy new year" the guests left for home.

An engagement announced the first of the week and most pleasing to their friends was that of Miss Ida M. Kingman of Maple place, Quincy, and Mr. Fenton C. Fowler of Wollaston. The young people are receiving the congratulations of their many friends.

Several ladies and gentlemen of the city availed themselvs of the opportunity to obtain a first class turkey dinner on New Year's day at Hotel Greenleaf. The menu has already been printed. It reminded the diners of home cooking, and was bountifully and well served.

Hon. Charles Francis Adams was in town on Tuesday. He came out to see the boulder recently erected in the Hancock cemetery over the grave of Col. John Quincy, for whom the town of Quincy was named. Mr. Adams expressed himself as very much pleased with the memorial.

The Sunday evening service at Bethany church was a particularly interesting one when three Quincy young men spoke on "The college man's view of a manly christian life." Joel F. Sheppard, 2d, spoke for Cornell; Cecil Blanchard for Amherst and Carle R. Hayward for Technology.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman F. McIntire have rented their home on Presidents hill to Mr. and Mrs. Smith, who since coming to Quincy have resided on Washington street at the corner of Elm, in the Perkins house. In the spring Mr. McIntire contemplates building another house for his own occupancy on one of his other lots on Presidents hill.

The new Y. M. C. A. gymnasium has been a scene of great activity for several days. Sixty-five men and boys have joined for this privilege and several times as many more have called and taken application blanks. Everything will be complete in this department this week except the bowling alleys, which won't be laid for a week or two more.

The dancing party given each winter by the Quincy Home Science association and looked forward to from year to year, is to be held on Friday evening, the thirteenth, at Quincy Music hall. There is a long list of subscribers and it promises to be one of the best parties ever held. Many out of town people have accepted invitations to attend.

When Mayor Bryant arrived at City Hall, shortly before Monday noon to finish what little business remained before retiring from office, he found upon his desk a handsome bunch of American Beauty roses, and a bunch of carnations. The carnations were from the young lady clerks at City Hall and the roses from the city officials. Attached to the bunch of roses was a card reading as follows: "1902-3-4—A Three Base Hit—Now for a Home Run—Best wishes of the City Officials

Lieut. A. R. Shedd has returned from a three weeks' visit to Chicago.

The enumerators have commenced their rounds making a census of births.

Good sleighing again. If the cold weather holds it will last for some time.

The annual meeting of the National Granite bank will be held next Tuesday.

Miss Carrie L. Underwood of Spear street is the guest of friends at Methuen.

Mrs. Jeannie Hocking Hunt has resigned as organist at the Bethany Congregational church.

C. F. Derby will open a clothing store in the addition being built to Johnson Bros.' building in City Square.

Albert Keating and Mark Myatt leave tomorrow on a ten days' trip to Baltimore, Norfolk and Washington.

Emil Carlson had the misfortune Tuesday to cut off the end of two fingers of the left hand with a bread knife.

Dr. A. B. Packard is to open a dental office in the upper part of the addition being built to the Johnson Bros. block in City Square.

The next meeting of the Woman's auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will be on the sixteenth at the home of Mrs. John F. Welch, Hancock street.

Hon. E. C. Bumpus, James E. Cotter, Thomas E. Grover and George W. Wiggin represented the Norfolk Bar Association at the funeral of Chief Justice Albert Mason.

The dinner of the City Councils of 1904 and 1905, which was to have been held Thursday, has been postponed until next week Wednesday evening. It will be held at Hotel Essex, Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Burke and little son are making their home this winter with Mr. and Mrs. Theophilus King. In the spring they are contemplating building near the King home.

Dr. William A Earle of Boston will address the members of Bethany Brotherhood at their meeting next Tuesday evening on "School hygiene of the eye." An entertainment, ice cream and cake will follow.

The reelection of Mrs. Nelson V. Titus of Quincy, as president of the Massachusetts Society, Daughters of 1812, was opposed on Tuesday by Miss Floretta Vining of Hull, but Mrs. Titus won by two votes.

Hon. Charles Francis Adams of Lincoln and Boston, is contemplating a trip up the Nile and sails today. Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Adams are in Europe also Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer, all well known to Quincy people.

The street railway had a hard time Wednesday trying to keep the Houghs Neck line open. As fast as the snow was ploughed out the wind would blow it back again, and it was not until Thursday that the line was opened.

On Tuesday evening, January the tenth, the Tufts College Glee club is to give a concert at the Cochato club, Braintree, the seventh entertainment in the series being given this season by the Cochato club. Informal dancing will follow the concert.

Mrs. Emma E. Marnock, D. D. G. P. and suite, will install the officers elect of Waverly lodge, K. and L. of H., of Charlestown, on Monday evening. A large delegation from Maple lodge of this city will attend to witness the work, leaving on the 7.12 train.

At the billiard tournament at the Granite City club Wednesday evening, W. W. Mitchell beat Geo. W. Jones 150 to 106; F. W. White beat A. W. S. Anderson 125 to 116; Benjamin Johnson beat C. R. Marstin 125 to 113, and E. E. Morgan beat Eugene O'Connor 100 to 78.

Among those from Quincy who attended the inauguration of Gov. Douglas Thursday were Col. Henry L. Kincaide as member of Governor's staff, William T. Shea of Democratic State committee, Albert G. Dolliver, William Walsh, Fred Drake, Herbert Drake and William J. Sullivan.

For the January thirteenth meeting of the Friday club, the hostess will be Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick of Chestnut street and committee for the program Mrs. Zenas Arnold. Robert and Elizabeth Barrett Browning and the works of Mrs. Browning will be the subjects of papers.

The Quincy Branch Alliance will meet Monday, January 9th, at three o'clock in the parlor of First church, City Square. The meeting will be a continuation of the study class series, the subject being "Confucius," and will be in charge of Mrs. Frank S. Davis. All women are invited to attend these meetings.

Representatives Freeman and Nicoll both voted in favor of the resolutions adopted by the House declaring vacant the seat to which Thomas F. Curley of Ward 17, Boston, was elected in November last, while he was an inmate of the Charles street jail, sentenced thereto by the United States court.

The ladies of the Cochato club, Braintree, are arranging for a series of afternoon whist parties for every other Tuesday during January, February and March, beginning on January seventeenth. The committee are: Mrs. George O. Wales, Mrs. Herbert F. Kneeland, Mrs. John A. Barbour and Mrs. George W. Tinkham.

Of the New Year engagements none has called forth heartier congratulations than that of Miss Florence Raymond Emery and Mr. Lawrence H. Sturtevant. Miss Emery is the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Emery of Adams street and Mr. Sturtevant, the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Sturtevant, also of Adams street.

The store keepers along Depot street shovelled the snow from the sidewalk onto the street railroad tracks. Then men went out on the roof of the block and shovelled off the snow also throwing it onto the railroad track. The result is that the tracks are buried beneath four feet of snow that has been thrown out there. These same people now expect the railroad to expend $50 to cart that snow off so that the cars can run up to the depot. But the track should not be on that side of street.

Norfolk Bar Dinner.

The eighteenth annual dinner of the Norfolk Bar was held on Thursday, Dec. 29, at Hotel Brunswick, Boston, and those who attended, had not only the wherewithal to satisfy the wants of the inner man, but a flow of soul and a feast of reason as well. All the towns of the county were well represented, and there were several judges present. Judge Everett C. Bumpus and Clerk. John P. S. Churchill were among the speakers, Thomas E. Grover of Canton also spoke. The other members from Quincy, who were present, were George W. Abele, George H. Brown, Judge Albert [illegible] Avery, John D. [illegible] Thomas.

SOUTH QUINCY.

The Citizens Gas Co. has its plans ready for the new plant it will build at South Quincy, on land purchased for that purpose. The new plant will be five times the capacity of the present plant. An order for a holder with a capacity of 200,000 cubic feet has already been placed with the Cruse, Kempe Co., of Philadelphia.

Joseph Conolli, the 8 year old son of John Conolli, of 75 Columbia street, had a narrow escape from drowning Sunday afternoon. He was playing on the bank of the Meadow Brook pond when he lost his balance and fell in. Two young men who heard his cries threw off their coats and vests, and plunging into the icy water rescued the little fellow. He was unconscious when taken out, but was resuscitated.

Miss Bessie Robert of the Bridgewater Normal school has been spending the past week at her home on Goddard street.

At the Saturday evening whist party in Doble's hall the souvenirs were awarded to Mrs. Pratt, Mrs. Hobart, Mrs. J. Smith, Mrs. Birnie, Mrs. Murray, Mr. McLennan, Mr. Gleason, Mr. Beattie and Mr. J. Smith.

W. W. Mitchell has accepted a position with the Quincy Quarry Co. as salesman.

William St. Pierre of South Quincy has gone to Quebec to visit his father. He will return February 1.

Edwin W. Jones of Liberty street passed away on Saturday evening in his 38th year. He was a member of John Adams court of Foresters and leaves a widow. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon from the Calvary Baptist church. The services were conducted by Rev. William A. Brady. John Adams Court, Foresters of America, were present in a body and performed its burial services. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston.

Mayor Barclay and family of Barre, Vt., have been recent guests of Councilman and Mrs. W. T. Spargo of Franklin street.

Rev. James Todd, D. D., formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church on Water street, was on Dec. 30 installed as pastor of the Fourth Presbyterian church at South Boston.

J. R. Heaney of South Quincy is suffering from an attack of the grip.

Rev. Barr left today for New York City to be absent for two weeks, holding special meetings.

Midnight Burglar.

Albert Pierson, a Granite street dealer in gents' furnishing goods, had quite an exciting chase for a burglar at midnight.

Mr. Pierson had occasion to visit his store about midnight. As he opened the store door a man jumped out of a window and ran down Granite street. Mr. Pierson gave chase but lost sight of his man at Fort street.

Returning to his store he found that the thief had packed up a large bundle of goods to carry away.

The police were notified of what had transpired and a description of the man whom Mr. Pierson had chased given. Officer Barry, who was in charge of the station, notified the officers on the routes to be on the look out for the man.

Officer Stewart later arrested a man who answered the description but as he convinced the officers of his innocence he was released.

The police learned later that a strange team had been seen on Gass place, and thinking possibly that it may have been connected with the robbery a description was sent to the police of Boston and adjoining towns.

At 1.45 word was received from Station 11, Boston, that the team answering the description given had been held up by the officer at Neponset and the driver arrested.

The man gave his name as Simon Stone, and his residence as Milton place, Boston. In the man's clothing was a jimmy and a screw driver.

Stone was turned over to the Quincy police. Mr. Pierson, who later saw the man, said he was not the party whom he chased.

Stone denies that he had anything to do with the burglary. However, he was arraigned in court and was held in $1000 until next Thursday.

Mr. Pierson says that the parties had filled two meal bags full of goods, and that there were twenty empty bags left on the floor ready to be filled. They also took $20 in money from the cash drawer.

Officer Johnson reported that he saw the team in question on Gass place as early as 11.30. At that time the horse was feeding. He thought nothing strange of it however. It is believed by the police that the driver of the team was an accomplice, and was waiting to take the goods away.

Grand Army Installation.

The following officers of Paul Revere Post, 88, G. A. R., were installed Thursday evening by Past Commander James H. Webb, assisted by John D. Williams, as officer of the day:

Commander, William H. Warner.
Senior Vice Commander, Thomas Ring.
Junior Vice Commander, Samuel D. DeForest.
Adjutant, Franklin Curtis.
Quartermaster, Andrew W. Gardner.
Officer of Day, Warren Dunbar.
Surgeon, James W. Pierce.
Chaplain, Henry Chubbuck.
Officer of Guard, William M. Bird.
Sergeant Major, George W. Phillips.
Quartermaster Sergeant, C. H. F. Stoddard.

A collation was served after the business of the evening.

Art Collection Increased.

There has recently been added to the High school art collection several standard works of art. Since 1899 it has been the custom of each graduating class to make the school a present, and the gift from the Class of 1904 includes a large relief 29 by 57 inches of the "Chariot Race" found at Herculanean. A companion piece has also been purchased from the Concert fund. The originals are now in the Museum at Naples. A pedestal has been purchased for the "Winged Victory," and this statue together with a new cast of Minerva is located on the first landing of the main stairway. A cabinet has also been purchased for the athletic cups and located in the master's room. Each year group pictures of the base balt team and the foot ball team are framed and hung in the hallway and there is already an interesting exhibit.

Week of Prayer.

The week of prayer has been observed with union services at Wollaston.

Tuesday evening the service were at the Methodist church, in charge of Rev. W. J. Heath.

Wednesday evening at the Baptist church, in charge of Rev. E. D. Webber.

Thursday evening at the Congregational church, in charge of Rev. E. A. Chase.

Friday evening at the Methodist church, in charge of Rev. W. J. Heath.

WOLLASTON.

A recent engagement is that of Mr. Robert Pinkham and Miss Sarah Litch, both well known young people of Wollaston.

Miss Nancy Lincoln of Wollaston, has returned to Smith college.

Herbert Percival of Wollaston, a graduate of High school, 1904, has gone to Durham, N. H., to continue his studies in an Agricultural college.

Mrs. James H. Slade of Newport avenue, is visiting her son, Charles Parker Slade, principal of the High school, at Naugatuck, Conn.

Miss Marion Barker of Farrington street, has gone to Kansas City to resume her work with the Natural Food Co., stopping over for a few days at Niagara.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seavey, of Prospect avenue, on Christmas night.

The Ladies' Musical club will meet with Mrs. James J. Lord, 293 Fayette street, corner of Brook, on Monday evening, January ninth, at eight o'clock.

Rev. Carlton P. Mills of St. Chrysostom church has been elected field secretary of the newly organized Episcopal Su a School Union. The office carries with it a salary, provided for through special gifts, and will take much of Mr. Mills' time.

Archibald Briggs of Appleton street entertained the choir boys of St. Chrysostom's church and the choir master, E. Landis Snyder, Thursday evening. The forty energetic boys made things delightfully lively and entered into all the introduced games with youthful enthusiasm. After a treat of sandwichs, lemonade, cake and ices, Mr. Briggs made a speech in behalf of the choir and presented Mr. Snyder with a dozen cut glass frappe cups. Mr. Snyder responded with profuse thanks and gratitude, for he did not need such a generous gift to make him assured of the love and respect of the boys under his musical direction, Mr. Briggs was aided in entertaining by his sisters, Miss Beatrice and Miss Maud Briggs.

A very pretty dancing party was given in Livermore hall of the Quincy Mansion school, on Tuesday evening by Waldron P. Schumacher and James A. Pitts of Wollaston. About fifteen couples were present. After the dancing, refreshments were served in the dining room of the mansion. The matrons were, Mrs. Horace Mann Willard, Mrs. Charles P. Schumacher and Miss Clara E. Thayer.

The Gleaners Circle of King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. David Jewell, Grand View avenue, Monday, January 9, at half past two.

Among American humorists: Artemus Ward, Oliver Wendell Holmes and Mark Twain, will make up a pleasant evening for the Unity club next Friday evening at its meeting in the Wollaston Unitarian church vestry. The program is in charge of Mr. Frank E. Parlin and an entertaining evening is anticipated.

Clarence Seamen of Wollaston, who has been in Milwaukee, Wis., the past year with his firm, will return and once more make his home in Wollaston.

The next meeting of the Sunshine Club of the St. Chrysostom's church will be on Tuesday, January 10.

William Doake of Brooklyn, has been the guest of Mr. Laurence Loring of Willow street, for a few days.

The Boys' club of St. Chrysostom's church cleared about thirty dollars at their candy sale on December 20.

The entertainment committee of the Young People's Religious Union of the Wollaston Unitarian church is preparing a minstrel show, to come off some time in March, which promises to be a great attraction.

Mrs. Annie Seamen of Elmwood avenue is visiting relatives in Nova Scotia.

The Newton Graphic says, Mr. A. D. Albee of Wollaston, the expert accountant, is making his yearly examination of the City Treasurer's books.

Bertha M. McLeod is seriously ill at her home on Arlington street.

John D. Malcolm of Wollaston avenue, who has been seriously ill for the past six weeks at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. Paige of Boston, is much better and is improving every day under the attentive care of Dr. Leeland and Dr. Vickery. His many friends will be pleased to see him out again.

Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock the the W. C. T. Union will be held at the home of Mrs. S. B. Harrington, Grand View avenue. The program for the afternoon will be, work among soldiers and sailors. Leader, Mrs. George E. Thomas.

Fred G. Thayer of Willow street left for Amherst college Thursday.

Miss Helen B. Josselyn of Wollaston returned to Vassar college on Tuesday.

DOWNS AND PARK.

P. Connors of Birch street, Norfolk Downs, was called to Bridgewater this week by the death of his sister.

Mrs. Gustaf E. Hedman of 14 Eustis street passed away on Sunday, in her 46th year.

Mrs. J. E. Poland of Norfolk Downs returned Saturday from a pleasant visit at Manchester, N. H.

WEST QUINCY.

A joint installation of the officers of St. Francis and St. Ambrose courts of Foresters will be held at St. Mary's hall next Tuesday evening, Jan. 10.

The Quincy Quarries Company will increase the facilities of their plant by adding two air compressors of 250 and 350 capacity, three surfacing machines and twenty plug drills.

Michael Sheyne, aged 16 years, a son of Eugene Sheyne of 28 Barry street, had the thumb and fore finger of his right hand blown off Dec. 29, by the premature explosion of a dynamite percussion cap. The cap was one of several that were taken from the contractor building the West Quincy boulevard. The caps, which are highly explosive, were kept in a nail keg. The contractor supposed that the caps had all been removed. They were not, however, and several fell into the hands of boys.

The Sheyne boy had one of them in his coat pocket with a snap match. He took these out in his hand, when the cap exploded, blowing off the thumb and fore finger.

On Dec. 30th Inspector Bradley recovered the remaining caps. He found them in a tin box hid in a stone wall.

—Mme. Katrina Schell, the intrepid woman lion tamer, with her den of performing Nubian lions, comes to Austin and Stone's Museum, on Jan. 9th for a fortnight engagement. She comes here direct from the Hippodrone, London, and will be seen at the Museum now for the first time. Sensational feats of daring by Mme. Schell, and novel acts by the lions are promised. They are savage brutes and the courageous little German woman has spent years in taming and subjugating them.

The snow has put a stop to skating for a time. Coasting, however, takes its place. One is almost as invigorating as the other.

QUINCY POINT AND NECK.

Miss Esther Crowley of Edison Park is about to enter the Quincy Mansion School.

The fence around the Hayden residence on South street is being newly painted and looks fine.

Another young man from Quincy Point is to be married sometime this month. The bride-to-be lives in Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ferris have just arrived in Quincy from Richmond, Virginia, and will make their home on River street, Quincy Point.

Howard Cook has resigned his position at the Fore River Ship and Engine Company and is to leave soon for California.

The indications are that there will be considerable building next spring, particularly in the Quincy Point district.

Mr. Woodward has resigned his position at the shipyard to accept one with the General Electric Light Co., at Lynn.

The torpedo boat destroyer Macdonough arrived at Piney Beach, on Sunday, Jan. 1.

We are glad to notice that the fence on South street has been somewhat repaired.

Miss Sara M. Kelley of Braintree, organist at the Point church, is confined to the house by illness.

Lewis O. Richardson was called suddenly to his home in East Bridgewater this week, his little son being quite ill.

William Barnes, who has been making his home at the Crescent house, was taken suddenly ill this week, and was removed to the Quincy Hospital.

Miss Mary Marden of the Washington school, who has been critically ill at the Quincy Hospital, is convalescing slowly.

The Monday Evening Club.

The Monday Evening Club of Atlantic held its first meeting of the season on the evening of January second.

President Hall introduced as the speaker of the evening Judge George Kelley of Rockland, who addressed the club on "The Southern Problem."

His address showed an intimate knowledge of conditions in the South, and was clearly inspired by a close human sympathy for the negro race, and expressed a confidence in its power of progress.

Judge Kelley paid a high tribute to the white people of the south in his confident belief that the negro will receive justice at their hands. He offered as a solution of the Southern problem the exercise of justice in love toward the negro.

Miss Laura Hall read a paper on "The late Senator Hoar, Massachusetts' grand old man," paying a heartfelt tribute to the late beloved senator which met a responsive audience.

Miss Corinna Wilde and Mr. Crawford Harvie had the music in charge. The soloists were, Mr. Bullock, tenor; Mr. Davidson, basso. A quartet, composed of Mr. Bullock, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Harvie and Mr. Davidson gave several selections. The program, which was greatly enjoyed, consisted of these numbers, (excepting encores generously responded to.)

(a) Winona,	Bartlett
(b) My Love is like a red, red Rose,	Foote
Mr. Bullock.	
Selections,	Quartet
The Turnkey Song,	DeKoven
Mr. Davidson.	

The next meeting of the club will be held on the evening of Jan. 16. The Rev. Ellery C. Butler of Quincy will address the club. Subject: "John Calvin."

Miss Beatrice Briggs will read a paper on "The Arts and Crafts Movement."

Miss Florence Buxton and Mr. Carl Weinscheuk are the music committee for the evening.

An interesting prospectus of the club's work for the year has been issued.

Arrested for Larceny.

John Roddy, an employe of the Fore River Ship Building Co., was arrested Wednesday by Inspector McKay, for the larceny of brass composition metal from the company.

On the same day George Brewster and Thomas F. Bricken, two furniture teamsters, were arrested by Boston Officers for Inspector McKay for the same offense.

The Fore River Co. has been missing pieces of this metal, which is valued at thirty cents per pound, for some time.

Inspector McKay was notified and at his request the Boston inspectors were detailed to watch junk shops to see if they could find where the metal was sold.

The metal was located in a junk shop in Roxbury, and upon information received the men were arrested. According to this junk dealer's story he paid eight cents per pound for the metal.

Roddy is employed as a night man in the blacksmith shop at the works. It is alleged that he would take a piece of the metal which he would pass under the gate on Howard street, where the two furniture drivers would take it and team it to Boston and dispose of it to the Roxbury junk dealer.

The men were arraigned in court for larceny. They pleaded guilty and were held in $300 each until Friday morning.

John Roddy, George W. Brewster and Thomas F. Bricken, the three men who were arrested for alleged larceny of brass composition metal from the Fore River Ship Building Co., were given a hearing in court on Friday. The Roxbury junk dealer who bought the metal was present, and testified to its purchase.

Brewster and Bricken said they found the metal near the gate on Howard street. Roddy, thinking they were trying to throw the whole thing onto him, said that they were all three in the affair, and that they had talked it over and that Brewster and Bricker knew they would find the castings. The court sentenced each of the three men to six months in the house of correction. They appealed and were held in $300 each for the grand jury.

Commodore Re-elected.

The annual meeting of the Squantum Yacht club was held Thursday evening when ex-Mayor Charles M. Bryant was reelected as Commodore.

The other officers elected are as follows:

Vice Commodore,—George F. Sawyer, Jr.
Rear Commodore,—George V. Rogers.
Secretary and treasurer,—Ernest M. Tribou.
Measurer,—Edgar F. Drew.
Trustee for three years,—F. P. Loud.
Regatta Committee,—E. J. Paterson, A. L. Hill, John Hildebrand and William A. Johnson.

The report of the Secretary showed the club membership to be 195.

The treasurer's report showed the club to be in excellent condition.

An amendment was proposed to the by-laws, which was to rescind the vote increasing the club dues from $5 to $9. This will be acted upon at the next meeting of the club in February.

ATLANTIC.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Myles Creamer of Sagamore street is very ill with pneumonia.

The Squantum electric car was delayed several hours on Sagamore street Sunday afternoon by the motor dropping.

A rather amusing remark was made by a rising college man of some eleven years old, while his mother was dressing his small sister for the fancy dress ball. The tiny maid was gowned to represent a fairy queen, with skirts knee-length and extending horizontally from her waist owing to the number of skirts underneath. With great disgust the lad eyed the proceedings, and when his sister walked away he informed his mother that when he went to college he would not take sister anywhere unless her skirts hung down like other girls and didn't stand out straight in that ridiculous fashion. The workings of the youthful mind are wonderful at less than a dozen years of age.

Mrs. A. McGrath of Botolph street, Atlantic, entertained the Brownie whist club on Thursday afternoon.

The large attendance at the first meeting of the Monday Evening club this week proved that this entertaining and instructive feature of the winter pleasure has lost none of its former popularity.

Mrs. Herbert Barker of Hancock street entertained the Woman's Afternoon Whist club Tuesday afternoon. It was one of the merriest meetings the club has had.

George Hight, Jr., of Walker street, is away on a three weeks' business trip.

The letter-carriers could not make complete trips Wednesday owing to the bad storm.

The snow plough for the Squantum line had to be taken off the track where it stood near the Atlantic station on Wednesday, and placed on the track in front of the electric car to clear the track for traffic. Little headway was made until Thursday.

Master George, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark of Squantum street, who has been ill with laryngitis, is once more full of life and innocent mischief, a sign of returning health. Master George is made a pet of by everyone on account of his quaint originality and pretty manners.

Albert Madden, for several years a popular clerk of Timberlake & Small, has established a grocery store in Dorchester, and is meeting with success.

The social dance given in Music hall, Atlantic, Wednesday evening, under the direction of Miss Lena Crane of Ashmont, was not so well attended as was expected on account of the severe storm and difficult walking. There were about twenty couples present, the orchestra was spirited and everyone seemed to be having a delightful time during the evening. The members of the dancing class will give a fancy dress ball for the general public on Wednesday evening, Jan. 25, from 8 to 12.

The trains were all very late at Atlantic Thursday morning, and the delay caused much lamentation and gnashing of teeth among busy men and dutiful school teachers who found themselves obliged to waste valuable time in the small area of the Atlantic station.

The Smart Set whist club met with Miss Ethel Vogler of Botolph street Thursday evening. Unique postal card favors were given out and there was a great deal of merry-making in matching for partners. After every hand, the players crowded around the refreshment table, doing full justice to the punch and varied eatable. The winners of prizes were: Miss Florence Gray, Miss Nancy Woy, Miss Gertrude Warren and Miss Ruth Bassett. After the serving of ices, there was a general musical feast in which everyone took part. The next meeting will be January 17, with Miss Emma King of Clive street.

Mock Trial.

For some time, it is alleged, one of our prominent citizens has paid more or less attention to a young and beautiful widow of this city, forgetting or at least not heeding the advice of the immortal Mr. Weller to his son Samuel, to "beware of the vidders."

He now claims that he was not serious in his intentions and that he was not attached to her, but however that may have been, the widow became attached to him, and as he seems to have lost interest in the matter she has attached his property, which is a form of attachment that he does not enjoy.

The result is, that he finds himself the defendant in a first-class breach of promise case and his questionable attitude towards the widow will be given an airing in the near future.

The parties in the case are so prominent that it is feared no court room will hold the vast crowd desirous of attending the trial, so it will be held in Music hall on Tuesday evening, January 24, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, for whose benefit the proceeds will be devoted.

In other words, it will be a "Mock Court Trial," and it promises to be one of the most enjoyable affairs of many years, as a large number of our leading people will participate in the proceedings.

Grand Free Lectures

In Hancock Hall Free to Both Men and Women.

Dr. Greene's Grand Free Lecture Course Magnificently Illustrated by Beautiful Dissolving Views.

On Monday evening, Jan 9th, at 8 o'clock, Dr. Greene, the well known physician of 34 Temple place, Boston, will begin in Hancock Hall, his grand series of free illustrated lectures to both men and women. These lectures are free for all the people and are splendidly illustrated by magnificent dissolving views, showing among others beautiful and instructive pictures of Japanese cities, towns, and the habits and customs of the people. The lectures will be full of valuable advice upon important subjects which all should know and understand, and hints will be given in regard to the care of the health. No one should miss the opportunity of hearing the well known Dr. Greene lecture. Remember that admission and seats are free. On Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 10th, at three o'clock, Dr. Greene will deliver a free private illustrated lecture to women only. Valuable hints will also be given in regard to the preservation of the health, maintaining and preserving a delicate complexion and keeping a youthful appearance to mature years, as well as other important information. As admission is absolutely free and all ladies are much interested in these matters there will doubtless be a large attendance. Dr. Greene will deliver a grand free private illustrated lecture to men only on Tuesday evening, Jan. 10th. This lecture will contain valuable advice upon those important subjects of a private nature which all men should know and understand, but of which they are too often ignorant. Dr. Greene will also discuss that terrible disease—Nervous Debility—so common among men. Remember admission and seats are free to all parts of the house, and all men should attend this valuable private lecture. They will learn much to their advantage.

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MILTON.

The evening whist club met Monday evening with J. E. Quimby. First prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Doherty, while the consolations went to Mrs. George Arnold and George Burns.

Miss Flora Cates is confined to her home by illness.

The second lecture in the course at the East Milton Congregational church was held Wednesday evening.

John Reynolds will give a talk to the Thursday Evening club at its meeting next week.

The Sunday school of the Mission of Our Saviour church held its Christmas tree and festival Tuesday evening. During the first part of the evening the play the "Ruggles Family was given by the children. Ice cream and cake were served and presents distributed by Santa Claus. Rev. Theodore I. Reese, the rector was presented with a revolving book case and a chest of tools. When the tools were presented Santy said as he had built two churches in Milton his present kit must be dull, so he was given a new set.

The Mission of Our Saviour church which has recently occupied its new church home, will have a house warming and supper next Wednesday evening. Supper will be served at 7 o'clock and will be followed by brief addresses. Among the clergymen expected are Rev. William E. Gardner and Rev. Edward Anderson of Quincy, Rev. George E. Whitehouse and Rev. John McGann of Milton, and the rector, Rev. Theodore I. Reese.

Another case of diphtheria was reported at East Milton this week.

E. J. Tinker is on a business trip to New York.

H. A. McLaughlin has accepted a position with a Boston firm.

A patent was issued this week to Allen Simmons of Milton.

Officers Installed.

At the meeting held Wednesday evening the following officers were installed by D. D. G. M. Silas S. Westcott and suite of Boston:

N. G.,—Frank E. Badger.
V. G.,—Thomas F. Mitchell.
R. S.,—George C. Ela.
F. S.,—A. Mack Terrill.
Treas.,—Judson L. Smith.
Con.,—George H. Prentiss.
O. G.,—George A. Wardwell.
I. G.,—Charles F. Foster.
R. S. N. G.,—A. S. Johnston.
L. S. N. G.,—George E. Haskins.
R. S. V. G.,—Joseph E. Bean.
L. S. V. G.,—William J. Sands.
R. S. S.,—George H. Heal.
L. S. S.,—Charles H. Brooks.
Chap.,—David Brown.
P. G.,—John P. Thomas.
Pianist,—John C. Ward.
Trustee for three years,—Charles F. West.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by George M. McCallar of Cambridge, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Emma Eames Story, wife of Julian Story, of Paris, France, dated March 10th, 1902, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Vol. 916, page 133, will be sold at public auction for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, on the premises to wit, on the parcel hereafter described situated at the corner of Beale street and Winthrop avenue, in Wollaston, on the second day of February 1905, at 2.15 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed (except as hereafter set forth), and described therein as follows:—

"The following parcels of land all situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, and Commonwealth aforesaid called Wollaston, bounded and described as follows, viz.—Lots numbered one, two and three in Block 3 of Section No. 4 on a plan recorded with Norfolk Deeds and bounded northwesterly on Beale street; easterly on lots 4 and 5 in said Block 3 two hundred and forty-eight and 6-10 (248.6) feet; southerly on Hillside avenue one hundred and fifty-nine feet; and southwesterly on Summit avenue two hundred and five and 3-10 (205.3) feet, Containing 47,605 square feet. Also lot numbered three in Block G of Section 6, as shown on a plan drawn by D. Granger and Son and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of book 406, bounded, northeasterly on lot eleven in said block fifty and 68-100 (50 68) feet: southeasterly on lot four in said block one hundred (100) feet; southwesterly on Arlington street fifty and 68-100 (50.68) feet; and northwesterly on lots one and two in said block one hundred (100) feet. Containing 5,068 square feet. Also lot numbered fourteen (14) in Section one of Block four, as shown on the plan above referred to, bounded, seventy-six and 57-100 (76.57) feet on Beale street; eighty-eight and 12-100 feet (88.12) on Winthrop avenue; ninety (90) feet on lot numbered thirteen (13) in said Section; one hundred (100) feet on lot numbered fifteen (15, in said Section. Containing 7,793.9 square feet. Also a certain parcel bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the northeasterly corner of lot eleven in Block one of Section four on a plan drawn by D. Granger and Son recorded with said Deeds and running westerly along said avenue one hundred (100) feet; thence westerly and northwesterly following the curving line of said avenue ninety-three (93) feet to Webster street; thence still northwesterly by Webster street fifty and 6-10 (50.6) feet to lot number eight in said block; thence southwesterly by said lot eight one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence turning and running southeasterly one hundred and ninety-one (191) feet; thence northeasterly thirty-nine (39) feet; thence more easterly one hundred ninety-three (193) feet to lot number twelve (12) in said Block; thence northerly by said lot twelve one hundred and thirty (130) feet to the point of beginning. Containing 46,048 square feet more or less. Being lots numbered nine, ten and eleven in said Block one. Also lot E, Block one, Section one, on a plan of land of the Wollaston Land Associates by Whitman and Breck or revised by them, duly recorded with said Norfolk Deeds. Also a parcel of land in Block 14, Section 6, on said plan situated on Central avenue and Belmont street being the fourth and last parcel described in the deed of Moses Fairbanks et al, Trustees to Frank P. Partridge, recorded with said Deeds, Book 533, page 221. Also lots six (6) and nine (9) in Block One of Section Two of Lands of the Wollaston Land Associates, as shown on a plan of said block drawn by Whitman and Breck and recorded with said Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 532. Said lot six is bounded southwesterly on Central avenue sixty-six and 6 10 (66.6) feet; northwesterly on lot five (5) on said plan one hundred thirty-four (134) feet; northeasterly on Belmont street sixty-seven (67) feet; and southeasterly on lots seven and eight on said plan one hundred and twenty-seven (127) feet. Containing 8,691 square feet. Said lot nine is bounded southwesterly by Central avenue sixty and 5-10 (60 5) feet; northwesterly on land conveyed to Lafreniere one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet; northeasterly on Belmont street sixty (60) feet; and southeasterly on lot ten (10) on said plan one hundred and nineteen (119) feet. Containing 7,320 square feet. Or however otherwise bounded, measured or described. Being the same premises conveyed to me" (said George M. McCallar) "by two deeds,—one of Homer F. Hunt dated January 9, 1901, and recorded with said deeds, Book 902, page 192; and one of Frank P. Partridge dated July 17, 1901, and recorded with said deeds, Book 901, page 133, except one lot, being the last lot described in said deed of Hunt, which has been conveyed by me" (said George M. McCallar) "to Mabel S. Soule; and meaning and intending hereby to convey everything conveyed to me" (said George M. McCallar) "by said two deeds (with said exception) whether herein correctly described or not."

One of said parcels has however, been heretofore released from the operation of said mortgage, to wit, viz:—Lot numbered three (3) in Block G of Section 6, as above described; and said lot will therefore not be included in said sale.

The premises will be sold subject to the restrictions mentioned or referred to in said two deeds of Hunt and Partridge, respectively, above described, in so far as the said restrictions are now in force; and subject also to any and all tax sales and to any and all unpaid taxes.

Five hundred dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms may be then announced.

EMMA EAMES STORY, Mortgagee.

Burrage & Hayden, attorneys, 84 State street, Boston, Mass.

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Established 1887. Probate Business
Rooms 1 and 2 Savings Bank Building
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Sheriff's Sale.

NORFOLK, ss. January 3, 1905

Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction on MONDAY, February 6th, A. D. 1905, at twelve o'clock M., at Room 1, No. 1433 Hancock street, in Quincy in the County of Norfolk, all the right, title and interest which Wilbur F. Lakin of Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment and levy by execution) on the first day of August, A. D. 1903, at seven o'clock A. M. (being the time the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following described real estate, viz:

FIRST—A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon in said Quincy bounded southerly by Third street, 17 rods; easterly by land now or formerly of Souther and of the heirs of Nathaniel White, and on the Boland Meadow, so-called now or formerly belonging to J. Q. Adams, 20 rods; northerly on the river, 14 rods; westerly on land now or formerly of said Souther, 20 rods; being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 441, Page 37.

SECOND—Also a certain parcel of land, in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on Willard street at the easterly corner of said premises, thence running northeasterly on land now or formerly of Samuel Babcock, 865 feet; thence turning and running northwesterly 442.75 feet; thence turning and running southwesterly 516.5 feet; thence turning and running southeasterly 171.75 feet; thence westerly 140 feet to said Willard street; thence southeasterly along said Willard street 599.5 feet, to the point of beginning, containing 9 3-4 acres, more or less, and being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 918, Page 127.

THIRD—Also a certain parcel of land, in said Quincy, bounded northwesterly by Robertson street, 100 feet; northeasterly by land belonging now or formerly to the estate of J. W. Robertson, 166 5 feet; southeasterly by other land now or formerly of said Robertson Estate, 100 feet; northwesterly by land now or formerly of Maloney, 166.5 feet; containing 16,650 square feet more or less, and being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 948, Page 127.

D. EDWARD BEEDE,
Deputy Sheriff.

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FIRST—A certain parcel of land, situated in Quincy, bounded northerly on land now or formerly of John Vogel, formerly of Babcock, 100 feet; easterly on land now or formerly of Doble, 30 feet; southerly on land now or formerly of Gulliver, 110 feet; westerly on Willard street, 30 feet, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 579, Page 354.

SECOND—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, being lots numbered 11, 13, 15, 16, 20, 22, 23, and 25, on a "Plan of House Lots in West Quincy Belonging to H. F. Doble," made by Whitman, Breck & Company, dated August, 1886, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 587, Page 316; being a part of the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 587, Page 315

THIRD—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, containing 7,520 square feet, being lot numbered 17 on a "Plan of House Lots situated in West Quincy Owned by B. W. Reardon," dated June, 1882, recorded with Norfolk Records, Plan Book 9, No. 355, and being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 830, Page 22.

FOURTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded as follows: Northwesterly partly on land now or formerly of Elcock and partly on land now or formerly of J. Q. Adams, in all 400 feet; northeasterly on an old driftway, 196 feet; southeasterly on land now or formerly of Margaret Fontaine or by whom owned, 335 feet; southwesterly on land now or formerly of Elcock, 90 feet, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 667, Page 500.

FIFTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded as follows: Northerly on Copeland street, 105 feet; westerly on land now or late of Joseph W Robertson, 14 rods 13 feet; southwesterly on land now or late of Andrew; and easterly on land now or formerly of John A Duggan, 16 rods 3 links; containing 8,050 square feet, more or less, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 677, Page 489, and also in Book 789, Page 357.

SIXTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded westerly on a drift-way now called Hall place, 62 1-2 feet; northerly by a drift-way formerly of J. W. Robertson, 276 feet; easterly by land now or formerly of Catholic Cemetery, formerly of Robertson, 171 feet; and northerly by land now or formerly of Nicholas Carey, 264 feet; being a part of the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 867, Page 563.

SEVENTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded northerly on land now or formerly of Charles Riley, 165 feet; easterly on land now or formerly of City of Quincy, formerly of Robertson, 21 2-10 feet; southerly on a drift-way, 165 feet; westerly on said Hall place 69 feet, containing 7,234 square feet, and being part of the premises conveyed by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 867, Page 563.

EIGHTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded southerly by land now or late of Ann Maria White; westerly by land formerly of Samuel Brackett, northerly by land now or late of Charles F. Adams; easterly by land formerly of Clarissa Hayward, containing 14 acres, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 905, Page 531.

NINTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded northerly on Crescent street; easterly on a roadway called Hall place; southerly on land now or formerly of James Hall; westerly on Willard street; northerly again on land now or formerly of the St. Francis Court, No. 25, of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters; and again westerly on said last named land, being the premises describ
in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Bo
Page 195.

TENTH—Also a certain parcel of lan
the buildings thereon, situated in Wey
being lots numbered 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10,
15, 16, 17, and 18 on a "Plan of House
North Weymouth Belonging to E. S.
Esq, October 1894. Nash & Hunter,
Engineers," recorded with Norfolk Dee
Book 34, No. 1,587, being a part of the p
described in deed recorded with Norfolk
Book 801, Page 261.

ELEVENTH—Also a certain parcel
situated in Milton, being lots numbere
and 19 on a plan made by Henry Macka
December, 1894, recorded with Norfolk
Plan Book 18, Plan No. 824, being a par
premises described in deed recorded wi
folk Deeds, Book 775, Page 392.

D. EDWARD BEEDE,
Deputy S

Jan. 7

Commonwealth of Massach

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE

TO all persons interested in the estat
MARY JANE MARDEN,
late of Weymouth, in said County, dec
Whereas, William M. Marden, ex
the will of said deceased, has pres
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administration upon the estate of said
You are hereby cited to appear at
Court to be held at Quincy, in sai
on the eighth day of February, A
at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show
any you have, why the same shoul
allowed.
And said executor is ordered to
citation by delivering a copy there
persons interested in the estate
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one day at least before said Court, an
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Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esqui
said Court, this twenty-ninth day of
in the year one thousand nine hundr
JOHN D. COBB

Jan. 7.

BANKRUPTCY N

In the District Court of t
States for the County
folk, District of Mass
In Bankruptcy. No.

TO the creditors of JOHN E
East Milton, in the Coun
and district aforesaid, a bankrupt
Notice is hereby given that on
December, A. D., 1904, the
Quimby was duly adjudicated
that the first meeting of his cred
at Boston, in Room 320 Trem
on the 14th day of January, A.
o'clock in the forenoon, at
said creditors may attend, pr
appoint a trustee, examine th
transact such other business
come before said meeting.
EMERY B. GIB
Referee

Jan. 3, 1905.

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R. F. CLAFLIN, Cashier.

Quincy, Dec. 3. 6w

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NOTICE TO PARENTS.

City Clerk's Office, Dec. 30, 1904.

THE Record of Births in any city or town is always more or less unsatisfactory, owing to the fact that the canvasser finds difficulty in getting the necessary information. Names and dates are frequently given incorrectly. The importance of accuracy is shown in many cases where there is a question of descent, or inheritance of property, or collection of life insurance or pensions. The City Clerk's copy of the record is accepted as conclusive evidence in a court of law. While great pains are taken by his office to have the records correct, experience shows that it is necessary that parents themselves should lend their assistance. In fact the law requires that parents shall give notice to the City Clerk of the birth of their children and provides a penalty for neglect to give such notice for the space of 40 days.

It often happens that only children or servants are at home when the canvasser makes his call, and the answers to his questions are open to doubt. I therefore request all parents in whose household a birth has occurred in the year 1904, to place upon a paper or card the required information, and keep it in a convenient place until the canvasser appears.

The canvasser will begin on Jan. 2, 1905

HARRISON A. KEITH, City Clerk.

Quincy, Dec. 27, 1904. 1-1zt--p-2w

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New Master.

The officers elective and appointive of Wollaston lodge of Masons were installed Tuesday evening by Wor. Bro. Joseph W. Hill, past master of Faith lodge, assisted by Wor. Bro. John H. Studley, past master of Henry Price lodge as marshal, as follows:

W. M.,—Henry G. Fay.
S. W.,—Sidney F. Copeland.
J. W.,—Walter S. Pinkham.
Treas.,—I. Woodbury Pinkham.
Sec.,—Alfred H. Richards.
Chap.,—Rev. Edward A. Chase.
Mar.,—Charles G. Farwell.
S. D.,—Charles E. Monroe.
J. D.,—Charles E. Cherrington.
S. S.,—Carroll E. Bates.
J. S.,—John Morgan.
Org.,—William M. Wight.
Sen.,—Arthur Sparrow.
T.,—William P. Chase.

The ceremony as performed by the installing officers was very pleasing to the brethren assembled, including several visitors from Rural, and other lodges. Wollaston lodge is also to be congratulated on the intelligence, and prominence of its officers. The new master, Henry G. Fay, is the popular City Treasurer. Senior Warden Copeland is the well known pharmacist, and Junior Warden Pinkham is well established as a lawyer, and has been president of the City Council.

Wollaston lodge now has three past masters, Albert W. Fay, Eugene F. De Normandie and Theodore C. Gram. It has held eighty-two communications, and has a rapidly increasing membership. After the installing ceremonies ice cream and cake were served, and cigars passed.

Reception to Parish.

Rev. and Mrs. Carleton P. Mills gave a reception on Monday evening at the rectory to the members of St. Chrysostom's parish and their friends.

The reception was from 8 30 to 11 o'clock and during these hours the house was thronged with guests. The decorations were holly and red pinks.

Rev. and Mrs. Mills were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Page. The ushers were V. S. Brockaw, E. Landis Snyder, E. L. Hill, H. O. Ridevert and G. L. Anderson. Clifford Farrington and Theodore Corey assisted at the door.

Mrs. H. O. Rideout and Mrs. H. P. T. Bates poured, and Miss Lucy Luard and Miss Jennie Flood served frappe.

The ladies who assisted in the dining room were: Mrs. James Kent, Miss Margaret Mills, Miss Dorothy Mills, Miss Margaret Sibley, Miss Estelle Wight, and Miss Jenevive Pseisse the latter of Denver, Col.

The reception was a most enjoyable affair and served to cement more closely the relationship between the rector and his family and the parish.

I. O. O. F. Installation.

D. D. G. M. Silas S. Westcott and suite of Boston installed the following officers of Mt. Wollaston lodge, I. O. O. F., on Tuesday evening.

Noble Grand,—Albert Clark.
Vice Grand,—D. Edward MacDonald.
Recording Secretary, — Aubrey R. Keith.
Financial Secretary, — Arthur W. Stetson.
Treasurer,—E. Frank Mitchell.
Warden,—Charles S. Jones.
Conductor,—Robert W. Wood.
Outside Guardian,—Charles H. Wood.
Inside Guardian,—George H. Ripley.
R. S. N. G.,—Sam Wood, Jr.
L. S. N. G.,—D. Humphrey McNeil.
R. S. V. G.,—Charles G. Kezer.
L. S. V. G.,—R. Cady Loud.
R. S. S.,—Fred Osgood.
L. S. S.,—James Moorhead, Jr.

After the installation a collation was served.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

First Unitarian Church—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the Rev. Roderick Stebbins of Milton in exchange with the pastor. Sunday School at 12 m. All are cordially invited to be present.

Bethany Congregational Church, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 m. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Address by Mrs. Katerina Tsilka, who will tell the wonderful story of her captivity by the brigands in the Balkian mountains. Free seats and every one invited.

Universalist Church, Washington street—Rev. Charles H. Emmons, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by Rev. George H. Howes of Hingham, Mass. Subject: "The Simple Life." Sunday School at 11.45. International Lessons. The public is cordially invited to attend services.

Calvary Baptist Church, Franklin street,—Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 a. m. Sunday School at 11.45 a. m. B. Y P. U. at 6 p. m. Preaching at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. All welcome.

Wollaston Baptist Church—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Reaching the Goal." Sunday School at 12.10. Junior Endeavor at 4 p. m. Young People's service at 6.30. Social service for all the congregation at 7.30. All not worshipping elsewhere are invited.

First United Presbyterian Church, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 a. m., preaching by Rev. A. K. McLennon of First United Presbyterian church of Boston. Men's Bible class and Sabbath School at 11.45. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by Rev. Kneeland, D. D., of Boston. All are invited to these services.

Methodist Church Atlantic, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "A Despicable Nobility." Sunday School at 12 m. Junior League at 3.30 p. m. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The Indispensable Christ." Special services throughout the following week (Evangelistic) to which all are invited.

—Francis Landry of Braintree, employed in the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. shops, was run down by a train near the Braintree depot on Tuesday evening in the storm and killed. He was 35 years old and leaves a widow and child.

the Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 7, 1905.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.		Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Full Sea. Eve	Moon rises
Saturday,	Jan. 7,	7.14	4 28	12.15	12 30	6.40 P.M
Sunday,	" 8,	7.13	4 29	1.00	1.00	7.39 "
Monday,	" 9,	7.13	4.30	1.45	1.45	8.37 "
Tuesday,	" 10,	7 13	4.31	2 15	2 30	9.35 "
Wednesday,	" 11,	7 13	4 32	3.00	3 15	10.32 "
Thursday,	" 12,	7.12	4.33	3.45	4 00	11.29 "
Friday,	" 13,	7.12	4 34	4.30	4.45	12 02 A.M

First Quarter, Jan. 13th, 3.11 P. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of month for three years:

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1904	In 1903.	In 1902.
Sunday,	49	16	36	37	23
Monday,	45	23	31	42	28
Tuesday,	34	40	4	42	23
Wednesday,	14	40	8	42	22
Thursday,	23	35	11	40	44
Friday,	21	34	24	34	47
Saturday,	—	44	35	31	27

Notes and Comments.

Should water meters be installed, as suggested by the Mayor in his inaugural address, the receipts from water might be reduced without the expected reduction in Metropolitan assessments. In Brookline where meters are to be installed, the town has made an appropriation to cover the cost of installing the same. To install 5500 meters in Quincy would cost from $75,000 to $100,000, and $3,000 to $4,000 annually for interest. Will some one please tell us how much the taxpayers would save by installing meters?

Previous to 1905 Quincy had eight Mayors, and it is a notable fact that under all, with one exception the debt of the city was increased. The exception was Mayor Hodges, who not only reduced the debt during his two years' administration but he reduced it each year. A small reduction to be sure, yet nevertheless a reduction.

During the first five years, two under Mayor Porter and three under Mayor Fairbanks, a debt of over a million dollars was accumulated, but over $700,000 of this was for the purchase of the water works, and over $100,000 to replace the Willard schoolhouse destroyed by fire.

The following summary show the amount of debt at the end of each year, and the Mayor that year:

Dec. 31, 1904,	(Bryant)	$1,667,072.00
Dec. 31, 1903,	(Bryant)	1,741,628.00
Dec. 31, 1902,	(Bryant)	1,650,840.35
Dec. 31, 1901,	(Hall)	1,566,635.64
Dec. 31, 1900,	(Hall)	1,518,605.61
Dec. 31, 1899,	(Keith)	1,472,706.59
Dec. 31, 1898,	(Sears)	1,350,505.86
Dec. 31, 1897,	(Adams)	1,234,515.61
Dec. 31, 1896,	(Adams)	*1,134,835.61
Dec. 31, 1895,	(Hodges)	1,037,895.61
Dec. 31, 1894,	(Hodges)	1.065,091.00
Dec. 31, 1893,	(Fairbanks)	†1,073,730.00

* Includes sewer debt for first time.
† Includes park debt for first time.

Mayor Hodges found the debt when he became the executive to be $1,073,730,00. During his first year it was reduced $8,639.00, and during his two years, $35,834.39.

Under Mayor Adams for two years the debt was increased $196,620 00; during one year under Mayor Sears it grew $115,990.25; under one year of Mayor Keith, $122,200.73; under Mayor Hall for two years it increased $93,929.05, and under the three years of Mayor Bryant just closed the debt increased $100,437.36.

Coasting Accident.

Percy Lubarsky, the 7 year old son of David Lubarsky of 307 Water street, had his right leg cut off below the knee December 30, by being run over by a stone team. The team was from the quarry of C. H. Hardwick & Co. It was drawn by four horses and had a load of granite weighing from 12 to 15 tons.

The little fellow was coasting down a mound in front of his home across Water street. He did not see the approaching team, and Dennis Connors the driver of the team did not see the coaster until to late to stop his horses.

The sled struck the rear wheel of the wagon, throwing the boy beneath the wheels which passed over his leg.

The little fellow was in terrible agony while waiting for the ambulance to take him to the hospital.

When the boy was placed on the operating table the surgeons found that the wheels of the wagon had practically severed the leg.

The police investigated the accident, and found that Dennis Connors, the driver of the team, was using due care, and was in no way responsible for the accident.

Fifteen Minute Service.

Commencing Saturday residents of Quincy Point will be given practically fifteen-minute service on the street cars. Supt. Gammon, in an interview with the Daily Ledger, says that the company have been trying to arrange for better service on this line for sometime. The burning of the carbarn at West Roxbury and the extra cars needed on account of the new bridge at Atlantic has, however, served to delay their plans.

He further said, that it would be impossible to give fifteen minute service on the Quincy Point line, unless the cars arrived and left City Square on the even hour and half hour and on the quarter hour. This would oblige passengers from Boston to wait ten minutes for a car.

The company will, however, commencing Saturday, run a car between the regular cars during the morning hours and in the late afternoon. During the middle of the day when travel is light the cars will be taken off.

The extra cars will run only between Quincy Point and the depot via the Saville avenue tracks. These cars will leave the Quincy depot at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour, and returning will leave Quincy Point at 5 and 35 minutes past the hour.

The regular cars leave Quincy at 20 and 50 minutes past the hour and Quincy Point at 25 and 55 minutes past the hour.

Thanks are due in great measure to Councilman E. R. Stone for the improved service.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

Henry W. Savage's enormous production "The County Chairman," George Ade's great comedy, still continues to fill the Tremont Theatre, Boston. No play in recent years has interested theatre-goers so much, and the joyous faces of theatre-goers, who nightly puncture the atmosphere with their hearty laughter, is a most welcome sight at the Tremont. "The County Chairman" is a play redolent with the odors of the fields, and has a story quaintly brightened with homely wit and philosophy. In the spectacular features it is exceptionally diverting, and the masses of people, numbering one hundred, portrayed graphically the stirring scenes of the campaign at Antioch. The cast given "The County Chairman" by Mr. Savage is a potential one, including several favorites, named among whom are Maclyn Arbuckle, Willis P. Sweatnam, Frances Ring, Grace Fisher, and others.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, Jan. 4, 1905.

Organization day for the legislature has passed off very much according to the routine, but with certain marked exceptions. In the first place, at the republican caucus of the house this forenoon, Speaker Frothingham made prominent mention of the fact that there was to be a democratic executive and that it was for republicans to uphold their party loyalty. But he put the way of doing it upon such broad ground that no democrat or independent could take exception to his method, for he said that it was not for the republicans to make petty issues, trying to play small politics, but that they must be broad-minded and fair and give support to measures which were for the public good, no matter whether they came from a democratic or republican source.

This was exactly in line with what President Dana of the senate said to the republican caucus of the senators Tuesday evening. Therefore it is fair to presume that it represents the deliberate judgment of the legislative leaders, especially since Speaker Frothingham said that he had talked the matter over at length with President Dana. If this policy is lived up to, it will prevent petty political squabbles during the session, it will give the state the benefit of the best service of both the party leaders and will result in a fair test of administrative ability in running the state.

Most important of the action today was the vote of the House declaring vacant the seat of Thomas F. Curley of Ward 17, Boston, who is now in jail serving sentence for defrauding the government in a civil service examination. This case has become so notorious that it has attracted attention all over this country and abroad, and this notoriety probably had something to do with the large majority of 175 to 48 whereby the house adopted the resolution offered by Mr. Bennett of Boston, the colleague of Speaker Frothingham, declaring the seat vacant.

But the Curley case is not ended and the future action of the house may be fully as important as its vote declaring the seat vacant. After the vote was taken, an order was offered for a special election to be held in the district. It is believed that the purpose is to elect Curley again and try to get him into the house again. As he is to be liberated tomorrow, by the time of the election, he would not be a criminal in the eyes of the law and therefore one argument which was urged against him in debate today would not have force. But there is good reason to believe that if his district should send him back, the house would once more refuse to admit him. There is no doubt that the house, under the constitution, is the sole judge of the qualifications of its members, nor is there any doubt that the house has the right to decide the matter of qualifications upon moral grounds, for there are decisions sufficient to establish that point. The very recent date of the committal of the offense, and the great tribute which has been paid to both Curleys by their constituents in way of giving them dinners and receptions in jail, all have an effect upon the mind, as well as the criticisms of the moral character of the legislature as being very low. The members feel sensitive and there was much force in the question which was asked repeatedly today whether it was for the honor of the state for a man to graduate from the jail into the legislature, whether a law-breaker should at once become a law-maker. Therefore, judging by the very warm expressions which leaders of the house have made since adjournment this afternoon, it looks as if Curley would be rejected on the ground of bad moral character, if his district should commit the indiscretion of sending him back to try the temper of the house.

People who have business to transact with the legislature must look out or they will be shut out by the early closing of the doors. Not many years ago, February 22 used to be the last day. Then the date was set earlier until for a few years it has been the last secular day of January. It was so when the last day came last session. Afterward the rules were changed to make the day the third Saturday of January, which would be January 21 this year, and Speaker Frothingham, in his address today, said that he believed that the time could be shortened still further. But this is not probable, and it is still more probable that the present short limit will delay business more than it will promote it, for cases are sure to arise after the time has expired in which it is urgent that the rules be suspended and the debate over the case delays more than the rule helps. It is not the length of time which delays business, but the procrastination of the committees in getting to work and then in reporting promptly upon matters upon which hearings have been held.

One of the most experienced senators says that the senate seems to be the best body that has assembled in the upper branch for several years. Some of the corrupt members of the last senate, whom he named, have been left at home, and while some further purging would benefit the body, yet the situation is so much better apparently, than last year, that it is occasion for congratulation. What the house will prove to be cannot be predicted, for about half of the members are new, but some of the able old members are here again and there is good leadership to carry business forward promptly.

Indications are that the state house will feel the presence of the democracy more than it has since the Russell administration,—which is only natural. Party leaders have been close to Gov. Douglas during the last month. Conferences have been held with him repeatedly by such leaders as Mayor Collins, Judge John J. Flaherty, the chairman of the democratic committee (that is to be, as is expected,) ex-Mayor Quincy, Congressman McNary, and Sullivan, ex-Senator Corbett, and so on, including Byron W. Holt of New York, the tariff expert who has written much on the subject and who is credited with preparing much of the tariff matter which Gov. Douglas used in his tariff speeches last fall. The inaugural will show that there has been much study of the tariff situation, and the strength of the presentation is doubtless due, in part, to the diligence of Holt in gathering his facts and arguments. Labor leaders doubtless have had the ear of the governor to a material degree and the message shows proof of it. But, if the republicans take the advice of their presiding officers, they will act upon all these matters upon their merits, not with the desire of putting the governor in a hole.

Senator Lodge will deliver on January 19 his eulogy upon the character and services of Senator Hoar. The election of United States senators will occur Tuesday, January 17, the second Tuesday of the session, according to law, and advantage will be taken of Senator Lodge's presence in the state to have him deliver the oration. It is expected that the senator will exert himself to his fullest capacity, for, even more than at the funeral of Roger Wolcott, or his oration, rather, the subject will demand all the wealth of eulogy at the senator's command. There will be a joint convention of the branches to bear the oration.

Rule.

Four Vetoes.

One of the last acts of Mayor Bryant on Saturday was to put his stamp of disapproval on four orders passed by the City Council of 1904 by returning the orders without his signature.

The orders are those amending the ordinance relative to the Managers of the Woodward Fund, granting a location for a private railroad across Furnace avenue to William Cashman, and restrictions concerning same, also the order refunding Edith W. Whiton $15 one-half the cost of sidewalk on Whitney road.

The amendment to the ordinance concerning the Woodward Fund fixed the salary of the treasurer at $350, the clerk $50, and auditor $50.

The refusal of the Mayor to approve this order leaves the salary at $400 for the treasurer and $200 each for the clerk and auditor.

In returning this order the Mayor says: The proposed amendment does not improve the situation in any respect. It is not a question as to value, but whether they should charge anything for the management of the fund. As long as we underpay these officers for their services we cannot expect them to give additional services gratuitously for the management of property in which the city has a beneficial interest. Pay these officials a proper salary and require them to manage the Woodward Fund without compensation.

In returning the William Cashman orders the Mayor says, no location should be granted in public streets at grade except in extraordinary cases. It would be a dangerous precedent to grant locations for spur tracks that will cross any street at grade. If we start to establish new grade crossings we will be taking a step backward.

On the order refunding Edith W. Whiton $15 for half cost of sidewalk, the Mayor says, the council saw fit the first of the year not to make any appropriation covering this class of work. Under these circumstances no discrimination should be made to any citizen.

As the City Council of 1904 will hold no more meetings, these vetoes cannot be acted upon, and the orders therefore become null and void.

Woodward Board.

The annual meeting of the clergymen comprising the Board of Directors of the Woodward Institute was held Tuesday afternoon.

The superintendent made his annual report which was accepted. The Board then organized as follows:

Chairman,—Rev. E. C. Butler.
Vice Chairman,—Rev. Frank W. Pratt.
Secretary,—Rev. Edmund D. Webber.
Finance Committee,—Rev. William J. Heath, Rev. Carleton P. Mills and Rev. Henry G. Megathlin.
Committee on Text Books and Supplies,—Rev. William E. Gardner, Rev. William B. Barr and Rev. Nathaniel J. Sproule.

The following calendar was adopted for the year:

Winter term,—From Monday, Jan. 2, to Wednesday, April 12.
Founder's day,—Saturday, March 11.
Spring term,—Monday, April 24, to Friday, June 23.
Graduation,—Wednesday, June 21.
Entrance examinations, — Friday, June 23, and Monday, Sept. 11, at 9 A. M.
Fall term,—Monday, Sept. 11, to Wednesday, Dec. 20.

December Criminal Business.

The report of Probation Officer Francis A. Spear, for the month of December, shows the total number of criminal cases before the district court during the month to have been 126. In the corresponding month in 1903 there were 123 cases. In 1902 but 69 cases, and in 1901 a total of 75 cases.

Of the cases in December, 55 were for drunkeness; assault, 12; search for liquor, 11; larcency, 6; violation of the Lord's day act and illegal sale of liquor, 5 each; disturbing the peace, and illegal keeping of liquor, 4 each; disturbance on a public conveyance, and threats, 3 each; breaking glass, fornication, non-support, search for stolen goods and liquor nuisance, 2 each; bastardy, breaking and entering, cruelty to animals, evading fare, rape, truancy, unlawfully taking a team and violation of park rules, one each.

Prizes Awarded.

Mayor Bryant forwarded on Monday, through Chief of Police Hayden to Inspector McKay and Officers Hanson and Johnson, the prizes of $15, $10, and $5, which were awarded to the three officers making the best scores at the revolver shoot.

Accompaning each prize was a letter to each officer expressing his appreciation of their good work, and their skill as marksmen.

He also sent to Chief Hayden a letter thanking him and his officers during his term of office. This letter which was read to the men at rollcall Monday night was in part as follows:

"I wish to express my appreciation to the whole department, as well as to yourself, of the particularly good work done, and also wish at this time to express my appreciation of your efforts, as well as all the officers under your management, to carry out the various laws of our city during my administration."

W. R. C. Convention.

On Wednesday the Norfolk County association met at the Universalist church but, owing to the bad storm, only a few assembled.

A fine dinner was served by the ladies of Paul Revere Relief Corps, after which very interesting speeches were made by Commander Dunbar of the G. A. R. County association, Commander Marstin of Braintree, Comrade Blodgett, Comrade Pierson and Comrade Danforth from different posts and Comrade Loud of Post 88. Mrs. Cooper, Senior Vice President of the W. R. C. County association, spoke interestingly on the work, and remarks were made by all the past presidents of Corps 103.

A short program was rendered by the following: reading by Miss Phillis Smith, singing by commander Dunbar, reading by Mrs. Kate A. Hayden and a duet by Mrs. Dunbar and Commander Dunbar.

The convention then closed. Although it did not meet for business, on account of the bad weather, everybody declared they had enjoyed every moment of the day.

Inauguration Day.

The warm mild weather brought out an unusually large gathering Monday at the inauguration of Mayor Thompson. Every seat in the Council chamber was occupied, and as many more stood while the gallery which was reserved for ladies was also well filled. Inside the rail were a number of the City officials and Mayor William Barclay of Barre, Vt.

The Mayor's desk was resplendent with beautiful flowers. They included pink carnations from the lady clerks at City Hall; American Beauty roses, and red, white and pink carnations from friends of Mayor Thompson.

The curtains were drawn and the electric lights were on.

Precisely upon the hour of 12 City Messenger Tirrell entered the hall by the rear stairway, followed by Mayor Bryant Mayor-elect Thompson, City Clerk Keith and Rev. Edward Norton, pastor emeritus of Bethany Congregational church.

Rev. Mr. Norton offered prayer which was a model and eloquent one. The oath of office was then administered to Mayor Thompson and the members of the City Council of 1905 by City Clerk Keith.

The roll call of the City Council showed all members present except Councilman Chamberlin.

Mayor Thompson was then introduced and was received with an outburst of applause. He delivered his inaugural address, which occupied 42 minutes, in a clear and deliberate manner. Close attention was paid but there was no applause until the finish, when it was hearty.

The City Council then proceeded to organize which was as follows:

Number of votes cast,		22
Necessary for choice,		12
Walter F. Nichols had	21	
William G. Gassett had	1	

All the Councilmen voted for Mr. Nichols, except Mr. Nichols himself who voted for Councilman Gassett.

President Nichols on taking the chair said: "Gentlemen of the Council:—I desire to thank you for this expression of your confidence in calling me to preside over your deliberations for the ensuing year. It will be my utmost endeavor to serve you in such a manner as to entitle me to your respect and cooperation.

"Under our charter the City Council is the sole legislative body of our government, and is directly responsible to the citizens and taxpayers in all matters of legislation.

"I trust that by a thorough and intelligent consideration of the various matters that may come before us, and by a cordial co-operation with the executive we may attain a measure of success which shall be of the greatest possible benefit to all the people of our beloved city."

The organization of the City Council was completed as follows:

Clerk of Council,—Christopher A. Spear.
Clerk of Committees,—Christopher A. Spear.
City Auditor,—George A. Sidelinger.
City Messenger, —Harry W. Tirrell.

The vote for City Auditor was as follows:

Number of votes cast		22
Necessary for choice		12
George A. Sidelinger had	12	
Henry O. Fairbanks had	8	
John O. Hall had	2	

The Councilmen voted as follows:

George E. Adams,	Sidelinger
William P. Barry,	Fairbanks
Lewis Bass, Jr.,	Sidelinger
Charles H. Burgess,	Sidelinger
Fred C. Chamberlin,	Absent
William M. Chase,	Fairbanks
H. Everett Crane,	Hall
James M. Flaherty,	Fairbanks
William G. Gassett,	Fairbanks
Herbert D. Gearwar,	Fairbanks
William P. Hughes,	Sidelinger
Peter Hynes,	Sidelinger
Arthur W. Loud,	Sidelinger
B. A. McLane,	Fairbanks
Walter F. Nichols,	Sidelinger
Walter E. Piper,	Sidelinger
Herbert J. Polk,	Fairbanks
Newman A. Savage,	Sidelinger
George F. Sawyer, Jr.,	Fairbanks
William F. Sidelinger,	Sidelinger
William T. Spargo,	Hall
Andrew Stewart,	Sidelinger
Eugene R. Stone,	Sidelinger

The Telephone Company petitioned for permission to remove poles on Temple street. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Bass offered an order for printing 200 copies of the Inaugural address. Adopted.

Councilman Bass offered an order for printing the calendar. To Committee on Printing.

Upon motion of Councilman Adams the rules of the Council of 1904 were adopted for the Council of 1905.

Councilman Bass offered an order for $1,000 to pay deficit bills of 1904 of the Poor department. To Finance Committee when appointed.

Councilman Bass offered an order authorizing the borrowing $400,000 in anticipation of taxes. To special committee consisting of Councilmen Bass, Gassett, Hughes, Piper, Adams.

Mayor Thompson sent in a communication nominating the following as constables, all of whom were confirmed:

William M. Marden, Charles N. Hunt, Joseph W. Hayden, Henry L. Kincaide, John Benzie, John H. Starr, Nicholas Garbarino, J. White Hayden, Andrew Stewart, Michael Minihan, Edward Frye, Charles A. Furbish, Cornelius Driscoll, Frank H. Pray, Max Ziolkowski, John Duane, Walter H. Cobb, Vincent C. Saunders, Arthur B. Hultman, Henry. P. Furnald.

Charles H. Johnson, James E. Maxim, William H. Warner, Charles H. Penniman, Andrew Anderson of 13 Buckley street, Edward J. Lennon, James H. Cunningham, Howard D. Hunt, Albert G. Olney, John Hennigan, Charles J. Nord, George W. Taylor, Frank W. Nightingale, John Harkins, John S. Pitts, Francis M. Curtis, Frank L. Bowen, Frederick E. Goss, Stephen E. Wilson, Napoleon B. Furnald, Charles G. Batson.

Paul W. Kribs, Peter Josephine, Lemuel Pitts, James C. Porter, William R. Lofgren, William L. Peck, Jeremiah T. Tooney, John Murray, Herbert W. Merrill, Alexander Shirley, George A. McKay, Harry E. Putnam, Stephen Hannon, John Evans, Charles H. Tower Alphonse Williams, Charles H. Burgess, John T. Hunt, Amos L. Litchfield, John J. Guess, Charles C. Mueller.

The old members of the council who desired were allowed to retain the same seats as last year. The drawing resulted as follows: the first twelve numbers are front seats, beginning at the right of the President; the second row begins at No 13.

George E. Adams,	12
William P. Barry,	17
Lewis Bass, Jr.,	13
Charles H. Burgess,	4
Fred C. Chamberlin,	16
William M. Chase,	9
H. Everett Crane,	14
James M. Flaherty	8
William G. Gassett,	11
Herbert D. Gearwar,	6
William P. Hughes,	20
Peter Hynes,	1
Arthur W. Loud,	21
B. A. McLane,	7
Walter F. Nichols,	25
Walter E. Piper,	10
Herbert J. Polk,	22
Newman A. Savage,	3
George F. Sawyer, Jr.,	15
William F. Sidelinger,	5
William T. Spargo,	2
Andrew Stewart,	18
Eugene R. Stone,	19

Upon motion of Councilman Adams it was voted that when the Council adjourn it be until Monday, Jan. 9.

Councilman Polk offered an order for $65,000 for building an addition on the north side of the High school to Committee on Public Buildings when appointed.

While the City Council was in session a large bouquet was brought in and placed on the desk of Councilman Hynes.

Adjourned at 1.19 until Jan. 9.

New Year Fires.

The new year started in lively for the fire department, two alarms being sounded between midnight Saturday and 8 o'clock Sunday morning. The first alarm was sounded at 1.53, and was from Box 56. It was for a lively fire in a building on Newport avenue, Wollaston, owned by Mrs. R. S. Hewitson and occupied as a fish market by George Royce. The fire is supposed to have started from a stove and was burning briskly when discovered. When the department arrived the enterior of the building was a roaring mass of flames.

The store is in the centre of a large block and it looked at one time as though the whole block was doomed. Prompt work, however, on the part of the department, checked the blaze and confined it to the fish market. The loss to the building and contents is estimated at $800.

The second alarm was from Box 25 and sounded at 7.55 This was for a fire in a small building on Coddington street owned by Henry H. Faxon and occupied by B. F. Hodgkinson as a milk room. The fire started from a stove. The loss will not exceed $40. The all out signal was given within ten minutes.

The Central station apparatus was called out on a still alarm at 6 o'clock Sunday morning for a slight fire in the blacksmith shop of Daniel Desmond, which adjoins the Central station. The damage was slight.

Y. M. C. A. Committees.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the Young Men's Christain Association the balance of the working committee were appointed. The whole list of chairman and committee men, so far as selected, is as follows:

Executive and Finance, George H. Brown, chairman; A. D. Albee, H. B. Bailey, N. G. Nickerson and G. A. Sidelinger.

House Committee,—F. W. Crane, chairman; W. G. Shaw and W. F. Cummings.

Membership,—W. G. Shaw, chairman.

Educational Department, — R. C. Drinker, chairman; R. H. Allen, J. L. Miller, Alexander Falconer and W. H. Mitchell.

Physical Department,—Dr. E. R. Johnson, chairman; H. E. Crane.

Religious Work,—Dr. C. T. Sherman chairman; L. F. Crowell, A. L. Hayden, A. L. Melcher, J. A. Sedgwick, George E. Thomas and Dr. H. M. Willard.

Boys' Work,—D. King, chairman; Claude Patch, C. W. Miller.

Social Department,—E. D. Gourd, chairman; E. V. Fitts and V. E. Miller.

Sub-committees will be added as the work developes.

New Year's Reception.

The Quincy Day Nursery association gave a reception at the nursery on Saturday afternoon for the mothers and children connected with the nursery. Many mothers and children were present besides other guests.

An entertainment was provided consisting of music by a quartette composed of Mrs. N. S. Hunting, Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann, Mrs. Horace F. Spear and Mrs. Ross K. Whiton. There were banjo solos by Cecil Blanchard and solos by Dorothy Lowe, in costume.

Chocolate, sandwiches and cake were served. Each mother received a calendar and each child a toy and some fruit.

It was a very pleasant afternoon and reflected much credit on the committee having the affair in charge.

Daughters of the Revolution.

Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, of Quincy, held the January meeting with Mrs. E. G. Pratt of 49 Spear street, on Monday afternoon. The Regent, Mrs. N. V. Titus, presided. After a short business session, the meeting was placed in the hands of the entertainment committee, and Mrs. Marion MacBride, who has recently come to Quincy, gave an exceedingly interesting paper on Paul Revere.

Miss G. A. Robbins, regent of Abigail Smith Chapter of Weymouth, was the guest of the afternoon.

The entertainment closed with singing of America by the chapter, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. James MacBride. A social hour followed, during which refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Pratt, Miss Mary Hinkley, Mrs. Charles Wilson and Mrs. Frank Brewer.

Bank Shares Sold.

Some idea of the solidness of Mt. Wollaston bank can be had from the fact that the thirty-three shares of stock held by the Woodward fund have been appraised at $143. When the bank renewed its charter last July the Managers of the Woodward Fund notified the bank that they desired to withdraw from the corporation.

The law provides that when a bank charter is renewed that a stockholder may withdraw from the corporation and that he shall be paid the market value of his stock as determined by a board of appraisal.

Appraisers were selected to determine the value of the shares held by the Woodward Fund. Their finding has just been made, which was that they were worth $143. The bank will retire them at this figure.

In the last annual report of the Woodward Fund the 33 shares were valued at $4,655, or $141 per share.

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Clan McGregor Dance.

Clan McGregor's twenty-fourth annual entertainment and dance was held in Quincy Music hall, Dec. 30. The event was one of the most successful ever given by the clan.

The entertainment was signalized by talent of the highest order. Mr. John A. Robertson of Boston, a noted singer and story teller, led the program; his performance was vociferously received. Miss Beatrice R. Walker of Quincy, a reader of marked ability and charming personality, won favor by her excellent interpretation of "The Bashful Man," and other selections.

A most notable number on the program was Miss Mary C. Ogilvie of Boston, a soprano of wonderful sweetness and power. Her rendering of "Afton Water" and "The Auld Scotch Sangs" won her storms of applause. She was encored many times.

The Sherriff sisters, of Quincy Point, in conjunction with Helen Kennedy, of Pleasant street, in fancy character dances, meet with redoubled favor and ingratiated themslves more than ever into the hearts of their Quincy friends.

Chief Alexander Clark conducted the program in an efficient manner. He was supported on the platform by Royal Secretary Peter Kerr, and also by officers of Clan McDonald of Brockton, and officers of Clan McGregor.

Mrs. Thomas F. Milne, of Pleasant street, played the piano accompaniments, Thompson's orchestra was in attendance and furnished the music for the grand march and dancing.

The grand march was a magnificent feature, led by Chief Alexander Clark and Miss May. Floor Director Angus D. Martin led the second wing. The assistant floor director was Norman E. Ross and the aids: John M. Troupe, George Mavers, Newton MacLeod, Alexander Michael, Alexander M. Smith and William Pratt.

Piper Alexander Ellis played for the Scotch reels, etc. Dancing was kept up until 4 o'clock when a most brilliant gathering was brought to a close.

Chief Clark was ably assisted on the reception committee by Tanist Angus G. McDonnell and John M. Troupe.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The new Y. M. C. A. building is progressing well. The top floor of dormitory rooms is plastered and the two floors below will be this week. It is hoped to get the dormitory rooms ready to occupy by the first of February.

The House committee have the matter of prices under consideration and will be ready to announce a schedule of prices next week. Four applications have been filed and choice made by two of them thus early. The rooms should rent at sight for the advantages are unsurpassed.

The matter of furnishings is claiming the attention of the committee at present. Here is an opportunity for societies or individuals to have a definite part in this splendid enterprise by furnishing one or more rooms.

They will be furnished practically uniform, the single ones costing $40 and the double ones $80.

In some of our Massachusetts cities the various church societies have taken a room each, and have benefited themselves and the movement materially by having such a share in the building. It is hoped that many of these rooms may be taken care of in this way. It is a good way for individuals to make a memorial gift or for any person to place a gift where it will do a maximum of good. Let the friends of the work come forward.

City Books Closed.

Through the strenuous efforts of City Treasurer Fay the financial reports of all the city departments of the year 1904 were closed at 5 P. M. on Saturday Dec. 31.

This is unusual in Quincy as in the past the City Treasurer has allowed several days in January, some time over a week.

Not only were the books closed, but so far as possible every bill was forwarded to the City Treasurer, and he in turn saw that they were paid in 1904.

Many of the departments are said to have pleaded with the City Treasurer for a few days' time, but the Treasurer was firm, and his business-like methods are being commended.

League Bowling.

The scores in the Old Colony bowling league Thursday evening were above the average, and the Holbrooks and East Weymouths were winners.

The Quincys opened up at Holbrook with a string of 437 and won by 5 pins. Both teams weakened in the second and the Holbrooks won 410 to an even 400. The home team were on their nettle in the third, and 88 was the lowest made by any man while Austin rolled 109.

The Quincys lost the rubber by 72 pins and were 77 behind on a three-string total.

The two Weymouth teams were very evenly matched, the grand totals being 1260 to 1257. The East Weymouths won the first 423 to 405 and the second 428 to 421, but the Weymouths kept improving and won the third 431 to 409.

The District Court.

William H. Learned was fined $5 and Daniel Daly $3 for drunkenness at Braintree.

Frank Footunl, William Derry, Ernest W. Godfrey and Matt Johnson were fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Frank A. Mullen was arraigned for bastardy at Milton. Case continued until Jan. 10.

William Gray was fined $15 for breaking glass at Milton.

The liquors seized from Mary E. Metcalf at Cohasset were forfeited.

James P. Mack of Hingham, put off the train at Quincy Tuesday night was fined $10 in court for drunkenness.

Births.

KINGDON—In Quincy, Dec. 28, a son to Mr. and Mrs. John Kingdon (nee Farmer) of 81 Granite street, ten pounds.

Deaths.

BONNEY—In Boston, Jan. 4th, Cephas W. Bonney, aged 78 years, 6 months and 15 days. Funeral from Waterman's Chapel, 2328 Washington street Boston, (near Dudley St.,) Saturday Jan. 7th, 11 A. M.
Marshfield papers please copy.

DAVIES—In Quincy, Jan. 1, Mrs. Mary Davies aged 65 years, 5 months and 6 days.

HEDMAN—In Quincy, Jan. 1, Mrs. Maria A., wife of Mr. Gustaf E. Hedman, of 14 Eustis street, aged 46 years.

JONES—In Quincy, Dec. 31, Mr. Edwin W. Jones, aged 37 years, 9 months and 27 days.

MUNN—At Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, Jan. 2, Mr. Alfred E. Munn of 17 Hollis avenue, aged 37 years.

GEDDES—In Braintree, Jan. 3, Martha L. Geddes of Washington street.

WHALEN—In East Milton, Dec. 30, Mrs. Winnifred, wife of Mr. Thomas Whalen, aged 65 years.

BATCHELDER—In Randolph, Jan. 4, Mr. Harland Batchelder, aged 61 years, 9 months, 25 days.

BURGESS—In Dedham, Jan. 2, Mrs. Ellen Dodge Holman, widow of Dr. E. C. Burgess.

SHERMAN—In Hingham, Dec. 30, Dr. James H. Sherman, aged 73 years, 9 months and 27 days.

LITCHFIELD—In Scituate Centre, Jan. 3 Mrs. Arabella Thorndike, widow of Stillman Litchfield, aged 73 years.

WHITON—In Dorchester, Jan. 2, Col. John C. Whiton. Burial at Hingham.

KEEN—In Marshfield, Jan. 1, Mrs. Martha J. Keen, widow of Nathaniel Keen, aged 71 years, 9 months and 4 days.

HENRY—In Marshfield, Jan. 2, Mrs. Jane W., wife of Dr. Stephen Henry.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Oct. 30, 1904, trains will run as follows:

[Subject to change without notice.]

TO BOSTON Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
r *5 14	abcdefghi	5 42	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 27	cba	6 46 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	7 17	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 27	cba	8 49 r
r 7 43	abc	8 03	9 25	ihgfedcba	9 51 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 27	cba	10 49 r
r 8 13	abc	8 33	11 25	ihgfedcba	11 54 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 27	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 57	cba	1 19 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	1 27	cba	1 49 r
10.01	Exp.	10.17	1 57	cba	2 19 r
r 10 13	abc	10 33	2 27	cba	2 49 r
r 11 09	abcdefghi	11 37	2 45	Exp.	3 02
r 12 13	abc	12 33	3 27	cba	3 49 r
r 1 13	abc	1 33	4 12	a	4 31 r
r 1 43	abc	2 03	4 27	cba	4 49 r
r 2 13	abc	2 33	4 40	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 13	abc	3 33	5 15	a	5 34 r
r 3 43	abc	4 03	5 19	dba	5.40 r
r 4 13	abc	4 33	5 27	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 13	abc	5 33	5 46	ihgfedcba	6 15 r
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 57	cba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 27	cba	6 49 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	6 57	fedcba	7 23 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	9 27	cba	9 49 r
r 11 13	abc	11 32	10 27	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
			10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
			11 27	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 43	abc	8 03	6 24	ihgfdcba	6 52 r
8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
r 9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 08	abcdefghi	7 35	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdefghi	8 36	8 [illegible]	Exp.	9 00
r 10 18	abc	10 38	9 [illegible]	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
			10 28	cba	10 49 r

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

West Quincy for Boston (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 a.m. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 p. m. Sunday—7.46 8.46 9.46 a. m., 1.16 5.16 10.19 p. m.

Boston for West Quincy (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 10.16 a. m. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.40 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 p. m. Sunday—8.46 a. m., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 p. m.

Montclair for Boston—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 a. m. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 p. m. Sunday—7.51 8.51 9.51 a. m. 1.21 5.21 10.24 p. m.

Boston for Montclair—6.16 8.16 10.16 a. m. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 p. m. Sundays—8.46 a. m. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 p. m.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

DIVISION 1.

TIME TABLE.

In effect Nov. 1st, 1904.

(Subject to change without notice.)

QUINCY TO NEPONSET.

Via Hancock Street,—5.40 6.05 6.10 6.40 6.55 a. m. and every 10 25 40 and 55 minutes past the hour until 4.55 p. m., then every 10 and 40 minutes past the hour until 8.40 p. m. and 9.10 p. m.

Via Norfolk Downs—7 30 a. m., and every minutes past the hour until 8.30 p. m., then 9.40 and 10.10 p. m.

Via Wollaston—6.05 7.05 a. m., then every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 11.35 p. m.

NEPONSET TO QUINCY.

Via Hancock Street—6.05 6.15 6.40 7 7.10 and 7.45 a. m., then on the even hour and every 15 30 and 45 minutes past the hour until 5.15 p. m., then on the even hour and half hour until 9.30 p. m., then 10.30 p. m.

Via Norfolk Downs—7.50 and 9 a. m., then on the even hour until 11 p. m.

Via Wollaston—6.30 7.30 a.m., then on the even hour and half hour until 12 o'clock midnight.

Cars leaving on the even hour and half hour run through to Brockton and Weymouth Landing.

QUINCY TO NORTH WEYMOUTH.

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Talk Happiness.

Talk happiness!
Not now and then, but every
Blessed day,
Even if you don't believe
The half of what
You say;
There's no room here for him
Who whines as on his
Way he goes;
Remember, son, the world is
Sad enough without
Your woes.

Talk happiness each chance
You get—and
Talk it good and strong;
Look for it in
The byways as you grimly
Plod along;
Perhaps it is stranger now
Whose visit never
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But talk it! Soon you'll find
That you and happiness
Are chums.

—Somerville Journal.

Notes and Comments.

—Chicago with her $30,000,000 railroad station takes the prize over anything in that line ever erected in this country.

—Possibly the most notable picture of the strenuous life today is being presented by Mr. Thomas W. Lawson, whose exposures of the ways and wiles of leading financiers are attracting wide attention. As a result of his attacks upon "high finance" and commercial kiting, a number of securities seem to have become highly indigestible, and many millionaires have been unceremoniously placed upon the rack. So pointed has he spoken of the methods of the Rockefellers and the clique of New York financiers who have been in the habit of pumping water into stock when they wanted to sell and squeezing it dry again when they wanted to buy it in, that threats have been made that the magazine for which he is writing would be suppressed. But this only made the public more eager to read what he has to say, and resulted in giving the magazine such advertising as could have been secured in no other way. In spite of the wrath he has kindled, it must be owned that Mr. Lawson has held his own in the struggle with astonishing success, and all efforts of his powerful antagonists to squelch him have failed utterly. Whatever may be the final outcome, it is certain that no such touch has ever before been felt about the money centre, and his shaking up of the millionaires will be remembered for many years to come.—Brookline Chronicle.

—The local movement for the suppression of the gypsy and brown-tail moths, to which we have already alluded as the right step in the right direction, has taken robust shape. The organization which has been effected carries great prestige and influence. Its head is the Hon. George R. Jones of Melrose, late president of the Massachusetts Senate. Its vice-presidents are Mayor Collins of Boston, Dr. Walcott of the State Board of Health, Mayor Peterson of Salem and General Lawrence of Medford, and the Mayors of Newton and Somerville. The secretary is Mr. Akerman of Cambridge, the State Forester, and on the executive committee are Mayor Buttrick of Melrose, Cyrus E. Dallin of Arlington, president of the Arlington Heights Tree Protective Association; James H. Bowditch, Tree Warden of Brookline; General Frances H. Appleton of Peabody and J. Lewis Ellsworth of Worcester, both members of the State Board of Agriculture; Allen Chamberlain, Tree Warden of Winchester, and Mayor Newton of Everett. Such an organization means business. And when we find upon the committee on legislation the City Solicitor of Medford, Mr. J. Mott Hallowell, whose bills before the Legislature last year were the most practical ever presented, we may expect something effective from the movement. This is of even greater importance than the passage of the bill before Congress—which, by the way, will not be passed, making an appropriation in aid of the efforts to rid New England of the moth pest.—Boston Courier.

—More than 22,824,299 acres of the public lands were turned over to private individuals last year. This means that an area almost equal to that of the State of Indiana has within that time been added to the productive regions of the United States. Most of these newly opened lands were homesteaded by farmers.

—Shall we have a new and up-to-date State seal for Massachusetts? Sixty years ago, Charles Sumner criticized the emblems and the motto as "bellicose" and wanted them changed. Last year, also, in his capacity as Independence Day orator, Mr. Edwin D. Mead denounced the design upon the seal, and now he returns to the charge, offering a substitute which he considers more in harmony with history and with existing conditions. What Mr. Mead suggests in preference is a picture of the Mayflower under full sail, with the motto, "In the name of God, Amen," and as the crest a lighted candle in a colonial candlestick, instead of "a right arm, bent at the elbow, and clothed and ruffled, the hand grasping a broadsword." But what is to become of tradition? asks the Boston Courier. The next generation may prefer a trolley car on the "field" of the coat of arms and an electric light for the crest. Let us stick to what we have received. It means more than any new inventions of sentiment.

Mayor Thompson's Address.

The message of Mayor Thompson to the City Council, Monday was unusually lengthy, being twice as long as the addresses delivered by Mayor Bryant in 1902 and 1903, and a half longer than the address of last year. It received close attention from the City Council and citizens assembled, and is worthy of a careful reading. The Patriot prints the address in full:

Gentlemen of the Council:

We have assembled here to-day as the chosen representatives of the people for the ensuing year, and in obedience to the provisions of the City Charter, to receive the oaths of office, and assume the duties and responsibilities of the several positions to which we have been elected.

I believe we are all actuated by the single and sole purpose, so far as in us lies, to further in all ways the welfare and prosperity of our city.

As is customary at this time, a review of existing conditions, and a forecast of the requirements for the future is in order, and it becomes my duty to state my views concerning them.

The first consideration is the financial condition of the city. What are our resources and liabilities? Not always interesting, especially, if found scant, and unable to meet the demands made upon them.

FINANCIAL CONDITION.

The municipal year closes December 31, giving a very limited time to prepare a statement, but I submit, herewith the following debt figures. For greater detail I will refer you to the reports of the Treasurer and Auditor.

MUNICIPAL DEBT.

Municipal debt Jan. 1, 1904,	$516,828.00
Paid during the year,	149,078.00
Leaving,	367,750.00
Added during the year,	39,822.00
Debt Dec. 31, 1904,	407,572.00

WATER DEBT.

Water debt Jan. 1, 1904,	$716,000.00
Paid during the year,	35,500.00
Leaving,	680,500.00
Added during the year,	25,000.00
Debt Dec. 31, 1904,	705,500 00

SEWER DEBT.

Sewer debt Jan. 1, 1904,	$468,800.00
Paid during the year,	14,800.00
Leaving,	454,000.00
Added during the year,	62,000.00
Debt Dec. 31, 1904,	516,000.00

PARK DEBT.

Park debt Jan. 1, 1904,	$40,000.00
Paid during the year,	2,000.00
Debt Dec. 31, 1904,	38,000 00

DEBT SUMMARY.

Total debt Jan. 1, 1904,	$1,741,628.00
Paid during the year,	201,378.00
Leaving,	1,540,250.00
Added during the year,	126,822 00
Total debt Dec. 31, 1904,	1,667,072.00

DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS.

	Jan. 1, 1905.	Jan. 1, 1904.	Decrease.
Municipal,	$407,572.00	$516,828.00	$109,256 00
Water,	705,500.00	716,000.00	10,500.00
Sewer,	516,000.00	468,800.00	*47,200.00
Playground,	38,000 00	40,000.00	2,000.00
	1,667,072.00	1,741,628 00	74,556.00

*Increase.

LOANS ISSUED IN 1903.

Water debt,	$30,000.00
Sewer debt,	70 000 00
Municipal debt,	109,628.00
	209,628.00

LOANS ISSUED IN 1904.

Water extension,	$25,000.00
Sewer extension,	62,000 00
Sewer house connections,	7,000.00
Willard school heating,	10,000.00
Special repair public buildings,	1,500.00
Goffe street, Mt. Wollaston Cemetery entrance, etc.,	6,700 00
Whitwell street, etc.,	6,800 00
Connecting Atlantic hose house with sewer,	400 00
Bathhouse Ward 2,	1,300 00
Police signal boxes,	1,115.00
Sea avenue,	1,500.00
Poor debt, 1903,	1,907.00
Plans and surveys,	1,000.00
City scales,	600.00
	$126,822.00
Decrease for the year,	$82,806.00

MATURING DEBT.

Municipal debt falling due in	1904.	1905.
January,	$1,950.00	$ 50 00
February,	20,000 00	1,115 00
March,	31,000 00	6,000.00
April,	2,900.00	2,900.00
May,	4,000 00	6,000 00
June,	26,500.00	2,500 00
July,	29,650 00	31,450.00
August,	7,150.00	9,120.00
September.	4,500.00	3,000.00
October,	3,000.00	4,900.00
November,	5,600.00	6,007.00
December,	1,828.00	3,600.00
	148,078.00	77,912.00

TAX LEVY.

In 1903,	$429,446.36
In 1904,	470,062.57
	$899,508.93

TAX COLLECTED TO DEC. 1, 1904.

Tax of 1903,	$376,279.51
Tax of 1904,	237,295.54
	613,575.05
Uncollected Dec. 1, 1904,	285,933.88
Cash on hand Dec. 1, 1904,	249,926.92
	535,860.80
Bonds and notes due in Dec. 1904,	$70,680.20
State tax paid in December, 1904,	68,942.47
	139,622.67
	396,238.13
Temporary loans due in 1905,	328,000.00
Unexpended balances of Appropriations 1903 and 1904,	67,429.73
	395,429.73
	808.40

The above figures relating to our municipal, water, park and sewer debt give the amounts due on January first of the year just closed, with the amounts paid, and added during the year, showing the net debt on December 31, 1904, in either case.

These debts are bonded debts with equal proportions as provided in the loan order incurring the debt, maturing annually, and being raised in the tax levy. This matter cannot be evaded as the statute requires the board of assessors, under penalty, to assess and raise sums for all debts falling due.

A question raised in the past, and creating considerable criticism at the time, was gone into quite fully by my predecessor in his address last year, namely, the matter of temporary note obligations outstanding, borrowed in anticipation of the tax of the then current year.

On January 1, 1904, the sum of eighty thousand dollars, ($80,000.00) was borrowed within the municipal debt limit to provide for temporary note obligations, not because of any shortage in assets (as at that time explained), but because of uncollected taxes of preceding years.

I am pleased to say that the matter has been paid, and our municipal debt limit has been relieved to the amount of this eighty thousand by the collection of back taxes preceding the year 1904.

The amount of indebtedness incurred during the past year is $39,822.00, which represents a very creditable showing for the outgoing city government.

I find, however, that the debt maturing for the current year is $77,942.00, considerably in excess of past years, accounted for by the many one year loans created.

Care should be had in making loans at no greater amount to mature in any single year than an equal proportion of the whole, otherwise it adds heavily to taxation. We can proceed at about a certain pace, but with increased debt maturing, we are adding to the tax rate, and, in my judgment, this is a matter we cannot afford to do. The amount, which we may assess this year for current expenses under the law enabling us to raise twelve dollars per thousand of the assessors' valuation for the preceding year, less abatements to December 31, is $284,976.94.

On January 1, 1905, our borrowing capacity at two and one-half per cent. valuation of the average of the assessors' valuation of the three preceding years, (the valuation of each year, being first reduced by the amount of all abatements) is $571,132.80, leaving a margin on the debt limit to our credit of $163,560.80.

In order to meet the current expenses of the city, a loan order will be introduced at this meeting to provide the money, temporarily, until we can collect the taxes of the year, which will not be due until about ten months hence. therefore, it must become apparent how essential it is promptness should be had in the collection of overdue taxes. Great losses have been entailed upon the city, because of the slowness in collections. Prior to 1900, I have found a large proportion of the single poll taxes, a great many personal taxes, and some real estate taxes uncollected, and now impossible to collect, because of the neglect or indifference of those to whom was specially committed this duty. The non-performance of this duty is grievous to the honest taxpayer, who in the end pays not only his share, but the other as well. The law says, "All persons shall pay their proportion of the public charges;" and failure to collect the taxes is a discrimination against the honest citizen. It will be my duty to see that the Collector collects all single poll taxes in the current year of issue, also personal taxes within six months from date of bill.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT AFFAIRS.

We are fortunate in being included in the Metropolitan water district, which gives us a bountiful and healthful supply of pure water.

I find by a comparison of the charges made by the Metropolitan Water Board to the city during the past five years, an increase of more than three hundred per cent. It is true that we have made extensive additions to the water mains. By a comparison of the conditions existing in 1900 I find nothing to justify this large increase; therefore, a proper subject of inquiry on our part would be:—Is there any waste of water in the city? As I understand the matter, we are assessed for the amount of water consumed, and if water is being pumped to run to waste we are paying for something from which we get no return.

Pending before the Council last year was the matter concerning meters. In view of the very large increase of the Metropolitan water charge in the past five years, it appears to me the reason for it should be investigated and if found that this matter may be obviated by the introduction of a meter system, I believe it will be good policy for the city to enter upon it.

Another matter of considerable importance which has arisen within very recent years is the construction of a high level gravity sewer for the South Metropolitan sewer district. The amount assessed upon us last year on account of this construction was $24,698.31. The only direct return we have for this expenditure is the operating of what was the pumping station of our local system; also, for the future, whatever may conduce to a better sanitary condition of this section of the Metropolitan sewerage district, and a generally better condition of public health for the whole community.

I desire to call your attention to these matters as this expenditure alone on our present valuation represents one dollar additional to our tax rate. With the completion of the system the maximum charge will be reached, which is hoped will be this year.

We were also called upon last year to pay $9,088.94 as our proportion of the Metropolitan park assessment. We receive no direct benefit at this time because of this expenditure, and suffer from loss of taxation on the large area taken by the State for park purposes. It is true that this year the park commission has commenced a piece of construction in Ward Six from Atlantic street to Squantum street, and in Ward Four from Adams street to the Blue Hills reservation. It will be my purpose to hasten in all possible ways the completion of these two parkways, and further extension, if possible, that we may receive any advantages accruing because of these constructions.

SEWER DEPARTMENT.

The main work of the board during the past year, has been the construction of the main sewer in West Quincy, from the high level sewer in Adams street, through the parkway, with some construction of laterals in the same section, and a considerable amount of additions to the system in South Quincy and Norfolk Downs, in all representing about five miles.

Chapter 279 of the Acts of 1895 provides that whenever the sewerage system shall be substantially completed, and put in successful operation, the sewerage commission, upon written request of the mayor, shall transfer the same to the commissioner of public works, and thereupon the power of the sewerage commission shall cease.

Believing with the completion of the West Quincy main sewer, the sewerage system was substantially completed under the meaning of the act, Mayor Bryant requested the board to transfer it to the Commissioner of Public Works. This request was acted upon by the board at a meeting duly held, and it was voted to make the transfer on February 6, 1905. The delay in making the transfer is caused by the belief on the part of the board that the putting into successful operation of the system includes the finishing of the plans, and levying of assessments on the sewers built.

The system has been built with money borrowed under authority of various acts, representing a total of $600,000, all of which has been borrowed except $10,000. There will be also a balance of a few thousand dollars left from the last appropriation.

By the Treasurer's statement I find the net debt December 31, stands at $516,000.00. Of this amount the sewer debt stands credited in apportioned and unapportioned assessments, approximately, the sum of $87,000.00.

Up to this time, no part of the maintenance, interest or debt maturing charges against the system has been included in the tax levy, these charges having been met by the assessment on abutting property. Now with a heavier debt, with a larger annual part falling due, with greater interest charges, we are brought to a question of taxation, that will have to be met at an early date.

There are formal petitions now before the board not acted upon, and doubtless, there will be a demand for sewer extensions, which must be met. I shall, therefore, recommend that application be made to the legislature to borrow a further sum of money for the extension of the sewer system.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

The physical condition of our public water supply is superior to any previous time since its acquisition by the municipality. Pipes laid by the city as well as those originally laid by the Quincy Water Company, are, at this date, in the best of preservation and good for many years, therefore making the entire system in a high state of efficiency.

Our active assets in the system consist of ninety-seven and fourteen one-hundredths miles of pipe laid in our streets, with its 5563 services, 668 hydrants, 1204 gates and one high pressure water tower. We are still the owners of the land, dam and basin located in Braintree—our water supply previous to our admission to the Metropolitan district.

The financial condition of this department is most favorable. It continues to forge ahead as a revenue producer at a rapid rate, and in the course of a year or two will be eliminated from any part in the make-up of the tax levy, while at the same time supplying all our municipal needs free as in the past, such as hydrant services, school and all public building services, fountains and water used for street sprinkling purposes, all of which if computed at a moderate figure is worth not less than $25,000 annually.

The United States government, through the War department, has made application to be connected with the system at Houghs Neck, thence by submarines to the forts on Peddock's Island. By agreement with the Commissioner of Public Works, who is authorized to do all the land construction work necessary for these pipes (the government complying with all rules and regulations as any other applicant) all bills are to be paid by the government, effecting a saving to us as a city of about two thousand dollars in the extension of our water mains, which eventually would be necessary.

To obtain the water rates because of this supply it may be necessary for us to ask the legislature to amend our water act to include Peddock's Island in our water district.

In view of this flattering condition it is not out of place at this time to give credit to those members of our earlier city government who were active in the city's purchase of the Quincy Water Company and our admission to the Metropolitan water district. These are matters of only about twelve years ago, and yet in that short time has been proven the wisdom of the business venture, whether viewed from the point of public health or money invested.

STREET DEPARTMENT.

Public streets, and sidewalks are good object lessons of thrift, and public spirit—or the reverse—of a community. Well built, and cared for streets, properly drained, add to the value of property, and to the convenience, and necessity of the public.

I think all will concede, we are making progress slowly with our heavy traffic streets should continue to be paved as fast as our means will permit, first, however, making provision for due width, and surface drainage, with all gas, water and sewer pipes laid preceding the completion of a piece of roadway. We have all frequently seen the streets broken into just as the work was completed, and left in a most unfinished condition. We cannot afford this great cost, and the waste incidental to this condition of neglect.

The turning over of the Sewer department to the Commissioner of Public Works is a step in the right direction, removing one of the greatest evils to the good maintenance of our streets (illustrations of which have been numerous), and bringing back to the Commissioner, the authority originally conferred under the charter. No license should be granted by the Commissioner to open a street without absolute guaranty that it shall be left in as good condition as when the work was entered upon.

Many improvements, and repairs have been made on the streets, during the past year. The general appropriation for this work is small, but the people are demanding larger returns than results show.

We have seventy-five miles of streets; still, in justice to many taxpayers, the city should accept many private ways that are well built upon.

We have been relieved of any further maintenance of Randolph avenue, it having been taken over by the State.

Additional appropriation should be made for edgestones and paved gutters. I consider this a most necessary work, and recommend its continuance so far as is compatible with our resources.

I have every reason to believe that during the current year we will be compelled to pay our portion of the construction and expense charges of the Fore River bridge between Quincy Point and North Weymouth, and the Hancock street bridge now being built over the tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad at Atlantic.

The commissioners appointed by the superior court to determine the cost of the bridge at Atlantic and who shall carry out the work in question adjudged necessary by the county commissioners, have named the parties specially interested and the proportion of the entire cost to be paid, and their report has been rendered to and accepted by the court: the railroad company is ordered to pay sixty per cent, the street railway fifteen per cent and the city of Quincy twenty-five per cent. Approximately, the work is estimated to cost about $46,000, making expense to us of about $11,000.

The cost to the city of Quincy of the Fore River bridge is not yet determined, unfortunately, pending decision of the special commission appointed to hear all the evidence of the interested parties, and before any report was signed one of the members died. What delay this may cause in the finding is yet unknown, and what the portion may be for the city of Quincy to pay is also unknown.

The cost of this bridge as it stands today, represents from $106,000 to $107,000 of which amount we will be called upon to pay a considerable part. When the amount is known it will be necessary for the Council to raise the money, which may be either in the general tax levy or by the incurring of a debt under our municipal debt limit. Or, if the sums are large, the question may well be considered as to whether or not the construction of these bridges is not such a permanent improvement that the city is warranted in asking the Legislature to authorize it to borrow the money outside its limit of indebtedness.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The extension of the water mains of the city, with frequent hydrant service where needed, I consider the greatest addition we can make to our fire department. It has been possible with the high water pressure to nearly make unnecessary our fire engine—the hose service attached to the hydrants giving all the force and elevation needed in a great majority of our fires. It may not be possible nor wise to think we can dispense with the heavy and unwieldy fire apparatus now in vogue, but I believe this is a matter that should be given careful attention and study.

With a department carefully drilled in the handling and use of hose and its hydrant connections, and the proper use of chemicals, greater efficiency and economy may be possible in the department.

In some of our populous sections, I believe more hydrants should be placed; this would obviate the necessity of laying long lines of hose and effect a saving in many ways, especially the time saved in getting a stream upon the fire.

The station at Houghs Neck has not yet been put into commission. I believe some not over-expensive apparatus, with the necessary help, will fill all the needs of this district. The property owners are entitled to protection, and I recommend an equipment along the line suggested be taken by the Council.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The police department now consists of a chief and twenty-one patrolmen. It seems to me wise that the ordinance should be amended making a new rank, such, for instance, as sergeant, lieutenant or even higher if deemed proper. This would mean promotion to those officers, who, by length of service and general efficiency are entitled to reward, and the authority conferred would tend to raise the morals of the department. I recommend the ordinance be changed in this manner.

The work of the department for the current year has been about the same as last year, there having been no serious crime in the city.

CITY ENGINEER.

The work of this office has been principally for the department of public works and has comprised the giving of lines and grades for all new streets, edgestones, paving, gutters, drains, walls, etc. Lines have been given for all water extensions during the year. Work has also been continued on plans for the board of assessors, under a special appropriation, making complete at this time plans for wards one, two, three and five, and some work accomplished in ward six, at a total cost of three thousand dollars. These plans are of great value in the assessment of property not only to the individual owner but to the city as well.

I would recommend that the city council do not pass on plans of any description until referred to the city solicitor and the city engineer. In this way another Willard school yard controversy would be averted.

Survey of the old cemetery has been made and plan completed. I recommend that the plan be lithographed and about five hundred copies made which may be sold at a small figure, thus giving the public interested an opportunity to obtain one without expense to the city.

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS.

With the rapidly growing use of the different parks and playgrounds almost the whole amount of appropriation is required for repairs and general maintenance. Permanent improvements can only be attempted on a very small scale. Through storm and fire, the trees at Merrymount park are suffering severely, and systematic tree planting should be begun, and continued, to make up the annual loss. The department has attempted to do something in this line, and during the past year set out two hundred chestnuts, but unless the setting of fires can be stopped, and better police protection afforded, the success of the effort will be problematical.

Through a special appropriation of thirteen hundred dollars, an addition to the public bath house was built during the past year, which doubled the capacity of that popular institution. About twenty thousand people availed themselves of its facilities during the season.

Through a special appropriation, the playground in ward six has been graded and sown down. It was formerly an eyesore and detriment to the locality, but is now an attractive addition.

FRANCHISES.

In the matter of granting franchises to the different public service corporations, such as electric light, telephone and telegraph companies and street railways doing business in our midst, extreme caution should be exercised to see that the city obtains an equivalent return for concessions granted.

While we must acknowledge the great advantages and accommodations to our citizens obtained through these same corporations, on the other hand is to be considered the extremely valuable asset, such as a franchise in a rapidly growing city like ours.

The poles used by these corporations in different sections of the city should be rigidly looked after and care taken that all wires are properly insulated to insure the greatest protection to human life, and to our shade trees as well.

In regard to the street railway, it should be possible to obtain such concessions as will give our citizens more frequent service on all lines operated in our city, especially during the winter months when inclement weather practically makes use of street railways a necessity rather than a convenience.

It would seem wise, in view of the amount of money already expended and hereafter to be expended by the State for the great reservation at Nantasket beach and to which expense this city, naturally, is a heavy contributor, to obtain through cars to Nantasket beach, which would start in the first instance from City Square. This recommendation is made in view of the fact that traffic on this line is unusually heavy through the summer months and it is almost impossible for persons starting from City Square to obtain a seat on any car which runs from Neponset.

It would also seem that the system of free transfers from one part of Quincy to another should again be put in operation by our street railway company, so that the traveling public may board the first car which passes rather than suffer delay and inconvenience necessitated by waiting for through cars.

SCHOOLS.

Our large and constantly growing school population makes a very heavy draft on the resources of the city. The laws of the commonwealth provide for compulsory school education up to the age of fourteen, also free text books, and approval of plans of new school buildings. It is to be hoped the laws may be still further extended in the near future by assessing upon the citizens of the commonwealth a state tax for school purposes, and make distribution of the same to the several cities and towns according to the school population. This would establish a uniform rate of taxation for the education of the child throughout the commonwealth. Such is not the fact, however, as the schools are solely supported at local expense, and in our particular case the cost per capita of the amount—twelve dollars—we may assess for municipal purposes represents thirty-five per cent of that amount devoted to this purpose.

Since we became a city many school buildings have been erected, permanent structures meeting all requirements; costly, it is true, for the present, but cheaper in the end. Our municipal indebtedness since incorporation as a city has been largely made up of the money expended for the construction and furnishing of these buildings. Nevertheless, a demand exists for no less than has been done in past years; and the body of public-spirited gentlemen, to whom under the city charter is committed the management and control of our public schools, can have no other purpose than to serve the best interests of the public.

Naturally, in considering the need of the schools our school committee are required to take into consideration the limited sums of money that are possible to be raised for our municipal current expenses. And while it is their duty to meet as nearly as possible the requirements of the statutes, it is also their duty to conduct as economically as possible the management of the schools.

The matter of increased accommodation for the high school has been pending for several years, and it is now incumbent upon this city council to take it up and accord it the consideration to which it is entitled. So far as a previous knowledge of the detail of what has been done, or of plans presented, I enter upon this matter entirely unprejudiced. But whatever is done in the way of additional school accommodation (provided it is decided to meet the consensus of public opinion to add to our present high school), I hope great care will be exercised to make sufficient provision not only for the present, but for the immediate future, and that when completed the building will present a finished appearance. It seems to me it would be unwise to add to this structure in such manner as would make necessary another addition in the future to make a completed building, for we cannot guarantee action of future city governments or demands of the public. Furthermore, a decision may be made by the school board in the near future that the time has come for the city to establish a manual training school. With the growing strenuous competition in mercantile and mechanical life, we are best educating our youth when we place them on an equality to meet those with whom they will come in contact. I recommend immediate action to provide high school accommodation.

THOMAS CRANE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The popularity of the library is attested by the increasing circulation, and it has reached such conditions that the trustees recommend for the future, the establishment of branch libraries in different parts of the city.

Since the building of the library, the population of the city has greatly increased, and the conditions which were at first sufficient are now inadequate; so that if the people are to avail themselves of the benefits of the library, the establishment of such branches would appear to be essential.

During the past year the purchase and transferring of the hospital property has been consummated and the same turned over to the trustees of the library; the grounds have been leveled and otherwise put into good condition.

NO-LICENSE.

The crime and untold misery caused by the legalized saloon, where it exists, are too well known to need elaborate mention here. The following data, however, will serve to illustrate the condition of Quincy in a material sense as compared with some of her sister cities where license prevails.

	Population Census of 1900.	Paid for support of Poor in 1903.
Chicopee,	19,167	$22,041 93
Marlboro,	13,609	17,411 07
Pittsfield,	21,766	17,546 34
QUINCY,	23,899	12,260 89

Moreover, the poor tax in Quincy in 1881, the last year under license, was $1.42 per capita, while in 1903, under no-license it was 62 cents.

Viewed only from an economic standpoint the reasons for no-license are sufficient, and for many years this has been recognized as the settled policy of this city. By the largely increased majority vote on this side of the question for the past two years our citizens have emphatically declared their approval of local prohibition of the traffic.

As the chief executive of this municipality I shall require from the proper officers a vigorous and impartial enforcement of the laws regulating the sale of intoxicating liquors to the end that the expressed will of the voters shall be made effective.

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—Evidently marriage is not looked upon as a failure in Utah, the opinion of the rest of the world upon the subject, notwithstanding.—Weymouth Gazette.

—The Southwestern World publishes the following sarcasm in reply to the theories of the bacteriologists: "Drink water and get typhoid fever. Drink milk and get tuberculosis. Drink whiskey and get the jim-jams. Eat soup and get Bright's disease. Eat meat and encourage apoplexy. Eat oysters and acquire toxaemia. Eat vegetables and weaken the system. Eat dessert and take to paresis. Smoke cigarettes and die early. Smoke cigars and get catarrh. Drink coffee and obtain nervous prostration. Drink wine and get the gout. In order to be entirely healthy one must eat nothing, drink nothing, smoke nothing, and even before breathing one should make sure that the air has been properly sterilized."

Household Receipts.

Julienne Soup. Fry an onion brown in a spoonful of butter, add two quarts of soup stock, or the water in which corned beef has been boiled, chop fine a carrot, a turnip and a little cabbage, and cook until the vegetables are very tender; season to taste.

Curried Fish for Chafing Dish. Cook one tablespoonful of onion, cut very fine, in one tablespoonful of butter five minutes. Be careful not to burn. Mix one tablespoonful of curry powder with one tablespoonful of flour and stir into the melted butter. Add gradually, half a pint of milk or cream, stirring constantly. Then add a large cupful of any kind of cold boiled fish; let it simmer a few minutes and serve very hot.

Creamed Peas. Drain one can of peas, rinse, cover with boiling water and drain again. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter; add one tablespoonful of flour with one teaspoonful of sugar and half a teaspoonful of salt; add peas and one-third cup of milk, stir, and let cook until it begins to bubble.

Cranberry Fritters. Beat one egg thoroughly and stir it into one and one-half cups of milk, add one tablespoonful of sugar and one cup of flour in which has been sifted one teaspoonful of baking powder. When well mixed stir in one cup of thick, rich cranberry sauce, and drop in spoonfuls on a hot, buttered gridiron. Brown very lightly and serve with butter and powdered sugar.—Good Housekeeping.

Anecdotes.

First Actress—"I was certainly beside myself with rage."

Second Actress—"You certainly were. Why, you quivered even in the places you were upholstered."—Life.

"If you eat any more of that pudding, Tommy, you will see the boggie man tonight."

Tommy—"Well, gim'me some more. I might as well settle my mind about the truth of that story once for all."

Visitor—"At what time do they dine here, little one?"

The Little One—"As soon as you have gone."—La Caricature.

"Oi did not mind the threats av 'im," Mr. Hogan explained, "as much as th' insultin sthyle av his remarks."

"And fwhat did he say?" asked Mr. Grogan.

"He says to me 'Hogan,' says he, ''tis a great notion Oi have to jump on you and knock your face into shape.'"—Indianapolis Journal.

"Mrs. Watts—"Don't you find your neuralgia an awful annoyance?"

Mrs. Potts—"Oh, I get used to it more or less, and besides I always get the tenderest piece of the steak when my teeth are lame."—Indianapolis Journal.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Weston W. Osborne to Edward P Williams, trs, $1,500
George D. Tripp to Lora C. Merrill.
Lora C. Merrill to Barney D. Mann.
Oskar E. Djerf, et. al., to Wictor Leeman.
Peter McConarty to E. Gertrude Hanson.
E. Gertrude Hanson to Barbara McConarty.
Oscar E. Djerf, et. al., to Peter T. Fallon, et. al.
George W. Hopkins, et. al., trs., to David Fulton.
David Fulton to Edith A. Palmer.
Alex McLeod to Jessie M. McLeod.
Dana I. McIntire to Warren S. McIntire.
Mary Harrington to Rosa Silverman, $1,650.
Julia E. Fuller to Henrietta B. Tabb, (2.)

—The state auditor has found out just how much money will be needed the coming year to properly run the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the total foots up to $30,000 more than last year. These figures will be no surprise to those who have watched the growth of the state, its added commission and departments. It is easy and proper to call for economy, but a state and town are not much different from a family—as it grows, a larger house must be added, with other expenses, so that the same revenue that might have sufficed at one time, is inadequate in later years. But in the case of the State so long as the money is carefully spent, so that there is a dollar's worth of benefit from 100 cents of taxes, the taxpayers will not complain, and it is for the State officials to see that expenditures are wisely made.—Old Colony Memorial.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Castle Square Theatre.

The enterprise of the management of the Castle Square Theatre is again shown in the announcement that next week's attraction at this play house will consist of the first Boston production of this dramatic version of Bertha Runkle's novel "The Helmet of Navarre," a novel which attracted wide spread attention a few years ago. The play is the joint work of Miss Runkle and Lawrence Marston and has been commended in other cities as a good example of dramatic construction. The action of the play follows closely the scenes of the novel and it presents a very fascinating series of pictures of the court and camp life of France at the time that King Henry of Navarre was fighting his way to Paris.

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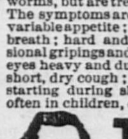

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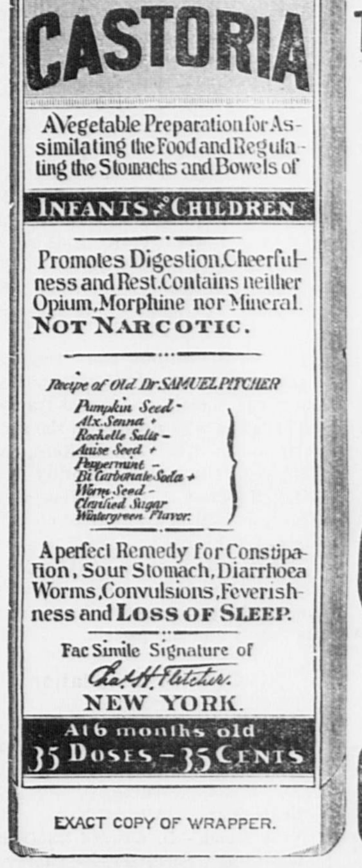
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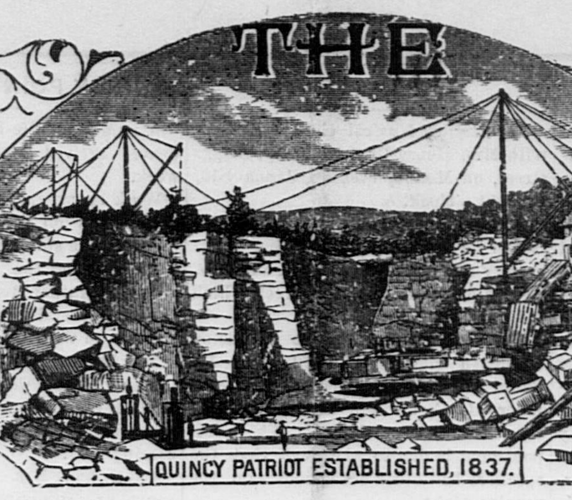
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Amount at Risk,	$24,184,554.84
Cash Assets,	646,230.13
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance	187,897.32
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$458,332.81
Contingent Assets,	346,523.48
Total Available Assets,	992,753.61

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Cash Assets,	161,046.08
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	59,250 86
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$101,795.22
Contingent Assets,	106,428.43
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GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year, **$12,983.04**
GAIN IN CASH FUND the past year, **20,297.34**

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Cash Assets	472,396.14
Deposit Notes	569,644.43
Available Assets	1,042,040.57
Total Liabilities	310,988.83
Cash Surplus	161,407.31
Gain in Surplus in 1903	1,389.25
Gain in Assests in 1903	23,968.44
Losses paid in 1903	72,704.06
Dividends paid in 1903	60,356.48
Receipts in 1903	216,632.[illegible]
Disbursements in 1903	187,057.63

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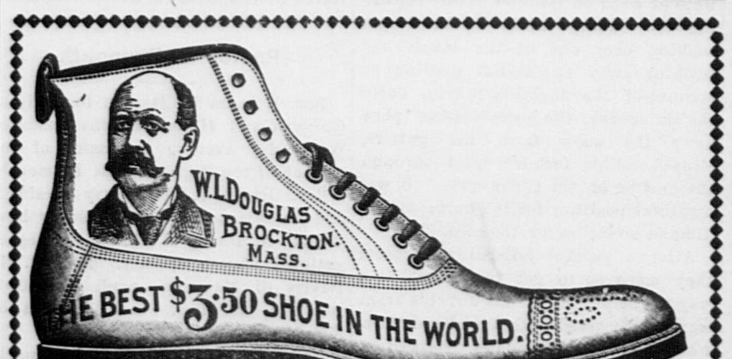
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Poetry.

A Reform Movement.

The parson said: "There's come to town a most immoral play—
That is, of course I judge of it by what the papers say.
Some of the congregation may quite innocently go,
So, if it is as wicked as the criticisms show,
I think 'twould be but proper to make mention of its sin,
Lest by its pretty posters people may be taken in."

Then honest Deacon Perkins said: "Condemn it well, say I;
Than that an honest man should witness it 'twere better he should die."
This roused good Deacon Wiggins, and indignantly he cried:
"To any who may go to it may ever woe betide!"
And all the other deacons said it would be only right
The parson should condemn it from his pulpit Sunday night,
Although they all asserted it was not until that day
That they heard this drama was at all a naughty play.

The parson was fair minded, so he thought he ought to go
And witness a performance ere he should denounce the show,
"Because," said he, "it seems to me 'twould really be quite sad
Should I denounce it Sunday and then find it was not bad."
He donned his coat and hat straightway, and to the show he went;
He passed within the doorway, and, to his astonishment,
Here in the parquet, side by side, all sitting in a row,
He saw his saintly deacons at this horrid naughty show.

—Brooklyn Eagle.

Miscellany.

THE UNCLE'S CHOICE.

"Do you know you are distractingly pretty in temper?"

"And you are excessively impertinent!"

Miss Lynde drew her slim figure to its height, and flashed indignant eyes upon the gentleman opposite.

"And so," said Roger Windom, his manner assuming sudden warmth, "you consider me impertinent because to my eyes, you are the loveliest woman in the world, and, therefore, I have asked you to marry me, whether my uncle likes it or not?"

The young man was thoroughly in earnest now, and poured out his words without reference to rhetoric or effect.

"It is precisely that to which I object," interrupted Miss Lynde, imperiously. "Listen to me. You come here where I am employed as governess, ostensibly to visit the lady of the house—in reality to see me. You waylay me on the street when I go out to walk; you annoy me and astonish Mrs. Burdett by asking for a private interview, and then you tell me, with your usual assurance, that you would like to marry me, although your uncle, upon whom you are entirely dependent, has emphatically refused his consent. You leave my possible feelings altogether out of your consideration, Mr. Windom. You should remember that I have my own dignity to uphold, and that I am not a scheming adventuress trying to thrust myself upon an unwilling family."

Miss Lynde stopped, breathless, though in her excitement, her gray eyes still flashed dangerously.

"At least, you have been very plain spoken," said Roger Windom, bitterly, standing as he had listened with his black brows contracted and arms folded upon his breast. "And now, perhaps, Miss Lynde, you will permit me to answer you. I have very little to offer in defense, except that I have been foolish enough to love you madly from the moment that I saw you smile and heard you speak. I have no excuse ready for my reprehensible conduct in waylaying you on the street—none for asking you to accept the devotion of my life. Pardon me that in dwelling on my own selfish hopes I have failed to consider the delicacy of your position. But I will not trouble you farther, Miss Lynde; I will bid you good-bye."

"Stay a moment," interrupted the lady, with a detaining gesture. "Mr. Windom, you have shamed me into an apology for my ungracious words," with a smile void of coquetry in its perfect frankness. "You do not know what my life has been," she added, gently. "Even as a child I knew what unhappiness meant, for my poor mother married, even as you wish me to do, against the wishes of her husband's family. In a year he was tired of her—accused her of having spoiled his career; finally, he deserted her. Before my poor mother died she told me the sad story. I promised her then that I would never marry as she had done; and, so help me Heaven! I never will." The beautiful eyes were full of unshed tears as they were raised to Roger Windom's face, and the girl's voice trembled as she went on. "I thank you indeed for the honor you have done me; I will even acknowledge that under different circumstances I might have learned to love you. But, as it is, it is better we should never meet. Do not come here any more—do not see me again, and you will soon forget that such an insignificant person exists as Janet Lynde."

As she ceased speaking, Miss Lynde's pale face was lit up with an April smile, and the hand extended in token of farewell was firmly clasped between two larger palms.

"I shall not forget you," said the young man, passionately, his brown eyes looking with a triumphant gladness into hers. "And I shall love you until the hour of my death. This I shall tell my uncle, and if he still persists in refusing to give his consent, without knowing you, or even so much as hearing your name, then henceforth he and I are strangers. For, Janet, what you are not allowed to share neither will I possess nor enjoy; and so, darling, for a long time, good-bye."

Before Miss Lynde had quite recovered herself Roger Windom had kissed the little hand so closely imprisoned in his own and was gone.

For a long time she stood as he had left her, with hands hanging helplessly at her side and head downcast. She was not a beautiful woman, scarcely a noticeable one among a number, and yet there was something noble in the poise of the proud head, in the resolute curves of lip and chin. It was a face whose beauty and intelligence grew upon you as you gazed—a face that inspired involuntary confidence and a belief in truth and goodness.

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"Pray, Mrs. Burdett, who is the young lady across the way from us?"

Mr. Samuel Windom was addressing himself to his hostess, a well-preserved matron intent upon being agreeable to her rich guest.

"That is Miss Lynde, my governess; really a superior young person, and the children are quite devoted to her," explained the lady, with much graciousness.

Janet, in a blue lawn dress and broad-brimmed garden hat, was seated upon a rustic bench, ostensibly reading, but in reality gazing out over the fair green meadow that stretched before her, while she pondered absently upon the inscrutable ways that had brought Roger Windom's uncle under the same roof with her.

The winter had gone and summer had come again since she and Roger had parted. In a despairing letter of farewell she had learned that he had parted from his uncle in anger—had gone out into the wide world to work out his fortune, but not without the hope, he added, that some day he should come back to seek and claim her.

Janet's reverie was interrupted by voices close by her, and rising hastily in her confusion, Miss Lynde was introduced to Mr. Windom. The sunlight and faint blushes met upon her cheek, and made her positively beautiful, for the time, as she stood talking to the stately and ceremonious old gentleman who had once held her happiness in his hand, and had refused to give it to her.

Long ago Janet had confessed to herself that Roger Windom's love would have crowned her life with happiness indeed. For life had been a colorless affair for Janet until the advent of this handsome and ardent lover, and now that he was gone Miss Lynde discovered that, after all, she had not been impervious to the influence of an absorbing love. There was a singular mixture of reverence and repugnance in the girl's mind towards this proud and self-opinionated old man, and Miss Lynde's eyes and lips were very grave as she answered Mr. Windom's courtier-like speeches, and walked beside him down the trim garden path.

Evidently he was not aware that this was the woman who had taken his nephew away from him. Roger had withheld the name, and the other had not had the curiosity to inquire after it. The fact was enough to the inflexible old man. His nephew wished to form a connection beneath his position in life. The woman had sufficient shrewdness to see that his consent was necessary to make her marriage to his adopted heir a desirable one. Mr. Windom congratulated himself on his own astuteness when he absolutely declined this compliance with his hot-headed nephew's impassioned and very impatient demands. So the two equally fiery and obstinate natures had met in wordy combat, and both had been worsted, though each refused to yield.

They had parted in anger, and Mr. Samuel Windom was trying the effect of change and variety in his now lonely life; for, all unacknowledged to himself, he felt his nephew's defection keenly, and but for his pride would have begged him to come back again.

In the meantime, Mr. Windom found himself becoming seriously interested in this serious-eyed Miss Lynde. Quite unaware, Janet had touched the vulnerable spot in Samuel Windom's nature. He fancied he saw in her a fair resemblance to his dead wife, and she had not dispelled the illusion by the fashionable airs and affectation that young ladies generally display. So Mr. Windom's visit at Mrs. Burdett's elegant country mansion was prolonged from week to week, until that lady confidently asserted to her husband the belief that Mr. Windom intended marrying their governess; and certainly the lady's theory was not without sufficient basis, for the gentleman's old-fashioned and courtly attentions were impressive enough to even unobservant eyes.

One morning, as Miss Lynde was leaving her room, she was rather startled by Mr. Windom's servant handing her a letter, with that gentleman's compliments.

"Could it be possible that he was really about to propose to her, as Mrs. Burdett had vaguely intimated?" thought Janet, as she broke the seal in some perturbation; and this is what she read:

"My Dear Young Lady—I have considered whether I should speak to you upon this subject that lies very near my heart, or trust it to the most dispassionate medium of a letter. For I desire that you should weigh carefully the proposition I have to make you. I am an old man, without a tie that is not mercenary. The only relative I have living has forsaken me in my old age for some scheming adventuress, who doubtless expected to secure my money, too. Will you come to me in his stead to brighten and cheer the remainder of my days? I have not asked you without due reflection, and a thorough study of your character; and to remove you from any sense of dependency, or from future contingencies, I would convey in your name certain bonds and household property, of which we will speak more explicitly if you consent to regard favorably my proposition. In this event I should also desire to adopt you legally as my daughter—that you should assume my name, with all its privileges, and the assurance again repeated that I am acting upon matured reflection and a sincere motive of mutual benefit.

Truly yours,
Samuel Windom."

Miss Lynde felt extremely perplexed as she refolded her letter. What should she do? Would she be hurting Roger Windom's interest in accepting his uncle's proposals, or, rather, would she not be rendering him a service in securing him against others who might be more self-interested than she?

Altogether it was irresistible. The thought of reigning in the house where Roger had lived—perhaps to have him come back some day to find her there awaiting him.

A little later, then, and Janet Lynde beheld herself transformed into an important personage, with all the luxurious surroundings and costly accessories that befitted a rich man's daughter.

Mr. Windom was kindness itself in his stately, old-fashioned manner, and yet Janet was not altogether content. The coming home to which she had looked forward so hopefully had not come to pass, and upon the subject of his truant nephew Samuel Windom spoke never a word.

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"And so, Uncle Samuel, you have brought me back all this way to tell me you have found me a wife? But it is out of the question. There is only one woman in the world you could induce me to marry, and she will not marry me."

"Wait until you have seen my daughter," said his uncle, with a benign smile.

"It is scarcely worth while to quarrel at our first meeting," thought Roger, as he came slowly down stairs as the dinner bell sounded.

Then he opened the door and entered the room. Standing before the fire, with her back to him, he saw a slender female figure, with soft brown hair braided smoothly into a crown upon a well-shaped head, and her trailing silk robe of pale hue hanging in statuesque folds about her.

She turned slowly and brought him face to face with Janet Lynde.

"Janet, you here?" he cried, eagerly, his whole handsome face lighting up with a delighted smile. "I suppose," slowly, as the smile faded, but with her hand still tightly clasped in his, "that you are married?"

"No, not married," Janet answered.

"At least," he said, drinking in the beauty of her face with hungry eyes—"at least you are more prosperous," with a quick glance at her heavily-jeweled hands and the richness of her ivory-tinted gown.

"Yes; I have been greatly blessed," she answered quietly.

"And I suppose that you are here visiting this paragon my uncle raves about? Janet, do you know my uncle sent me a beautiful letter full of the idea of mutual forgiveness and reconciliation, and when I arrive, full of penitence for my own shortcomings, behold, it was to marry me to his new daughter that he wanted me!"

And Roger Windom looked infinitely disgusted at the bare idea.

"It would be a most desirable marriage for you," said Janet demurely looking down.

"Do not be unkind," said the young man, with a beseeching accent of entreaty. "For your sake I went willingly into exile. Already I have been fortunate enough to lay the foundation of a future independence. Once I have gained a secure foothold, promise me, my Janet, that I may come home to claim you for my very own. Will you promise, my darling?"

The eager voice had assumed a dangerous tenderness as the words poured forth, but the girl only answered:

"You have forgotten, Mr. Windom, that the obstacles that existed still remain, do they not? Believe me, the marriage your uncle has planned is in every way suitable, and from the bottom of my heart I hope that you will marry your uncle's choice."

And Janet was evidently in earnest.

"Then I am sorry I must disappoint you both," said the young man, passionately. "Unfortunately, I was born with a heart—an organ with which, it appears, you have dispensed. Oh, Janet!" with a despairing cadence in his tones, "why can you not love me? Why are you so lovely and so cold?"

"Roger"—the voice had grown suddenly sweet and low—"I will confess it now. From the bottom of my heart I do love you. Nevertheless," an arch smile breaking over her face, "I am quite convinced that when you have once seen Mr. Windom's adopted daughter, you will change your opinion about marrying her."

And while Roger, with both her hands in his, was trying to assure her of the impossibility of such a result, the door opened, and Mr. Samuel Windom's amazed eyes dwelt upon the pretty picture before him.

"Upon my soul, Roger, you seem to be progressing very well," said his uncle, as he elevated his eye-glasses.

"And this," said his nephew, triumphantly, "is the only woman you can induce me to marry."

And so it was time that Janet should offer an explanation; the result of which was that in another month there was a magnificent wedding in the Windom family, and the bride, so charming in her creamy satin and priceless pearls, was given away by Mr. Samuel Windom.

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—It is an almost forgotten fact that President Roosevelt's grandfather was the first man to navigate a steamboat on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. Captain Roosevelt was a close personal friend of Robert Fulton, inventor of the steam craft.

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For the Patriot.

New York Fashions.

NEW JEWELRY.

But few genuine novelties are apparent in new jewelry. Pearls occupy the foremost position, either in collars of many strands, kept in place by diamond clasps, or in long ropes, wound many times around the neck. So great is the rage for wearing jewelry that imitations have reached a remarkable degree of perfection, and those who cannot afford the real, resort to the imitation, usually difficult to detect. Small watches remain marvels of beauty as ornaments for elegant waists, and the sole novelty is a small diamond ball, containing a tiny watch which is attached to the end of a long chain.

PENDANTS

occupy a prominent place in popular favor, and are attached to bracelets, brooches, necklaces and sometimes to rings. The variety is immense and range in prices from costly and exquisite jeweled creations to—well there must be something for the bargain counter. One of the newest charms for a necklace or bracelet is a motor lamp, the light a ruby. Chain bracelets are much liked again, and never seem more charming than when supplemented by a dainty watch set with jewels. Bracelets of heavy chain, set with mock jewels are affected by many well-dressed women. Of brooches, the variety is great, but there are no distinct novelties this season.

KEEN BLASTS

render furs the important topic of the hour. What nature provides against cold, must always take precedence over any substitute, therefore all good managers are taking advantage of C. C. Shayne's January offers, and purchase at a reduction. The more so, since his reliability is beyond question, a fact which cannot be too strongly emphasized, as in fur the buyer must depend upon the rectitude of the dealer. The woman of moderate means, who has looked longingly at a Persian lamb jacket, or a black lynx boa, may now possess it, at a price far below what it was early in the season, as a liberal discount is now allowed on every kind of fur.

FOR EVENING HOSIERY

embroidery in small, neat designs is approved, the bizarre note is banished and daintiness reigns supreme. Hand embroidery on silk hose, insertions of lace medallions, supplemented by incrustations, wrought with small gold or steel beads and spangles, reach the acme of elegance and are shown in both black and white. After being relegated to comparative obscurity for two or three seasons, the ostrich feather fan is again revived, but a good deal smaller than heretofore. The empire fan comes in spangled gauze, hand-painted designs on a filmy foundation and also in the richest lace. They owe their popularity to some extent to their convenient size, and then too, everything pertaining to that special epoch in France, possesses a certain prestige.

This pretty evening waist, the illustration of which is supplied by the Modes Fashion and Pattern Co., of this city, is developed in blue mousseline, trimmed with black chiffon velvet. Evening waists are this season made either moderately low with elbow sleeves, or else extremely decollete, without even a suggestion of an arm covering. Fichus, especially the Marie Antoinette are a charming accessory, and scarfs of crepe, mousseline or chiffon, the ends stamped in lovely floral patterns rival the Pompadeur scarfs, which although beautiful, appear hard by comparison.

THE GRACEFUL JABOT COLLAR

is eagerly welcomed by its many admirers, and comes in heavy or sheer lace, and combinations of colored crepe de chine as well. Other styles formed of delicate colored or white silk folds, on a chiffon foundation, sparkle with tiny gold, silver or crystal beads, and many of these have one, two or three tabs, conveying a partial jabot effect, but not the softness of grace of the true jabot.

Lucy Carter.

Mixed Breed.

A friend of mine who recently bought a farm is anxious for a good dog. One of the young men who calls at the house said he knew where a worthy canine could be obtained, and he was authorized to make the purchase and be settled with when he produced the animal.

"He's a mixed breed," remarked the young man solemnly; "in fact, I believe he's got a little of everything in him; but he'll be just the thing on a farm. He's sleek and brown."

"Bring him along and let us have a look at him," was the instruction given.

Several days later the young man, who is somewhat of a practical joker, appeared on the scene with a long rope, to which was attached a modest smoked sausage.

Curtain.—Sunday Journal.

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For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, Jan. 7, 1905.

There can be no Washington letter now a days without considerable of Theodore Roosevelt in it, not that he is a usurper of prominence, but his positive and aggressive personality and his interest in everything that pertains to public affairs continually brings him to the front and to the footlights. He appears to be ready to express himself on every subject and is always able to make himself understood. This week there has been a Forestry Congress held in Washington. It was opened by the Secretary of Agriculture and on the second day of the Congress the President addressed it from the stage in the National Theatre. The theatre of course was crowded until after the President's address when he left and subsequent speakers, including the French Ambassador, spoke to many empty seats. It appeared that the country is at last aroused to the imminent peril of forest annihilation in North America, and the consequent dangers that are even now upon us. Both federal and state action to prevent further wastage of trees is urgent.

The whipping post—another presidential recommendation—is up in Congress where as someone suggests, it is most needed. A bill to utilize it for wife beaters has been introduced by Mr. Adams of Pennsylvania, who it transpires has no wife, and as a Member of Congress suggested in the debate is therefore immune. Another member suggested its use for any man who would strike a woman but failed to offer an amendment recommending its use for any woman who would beat her husband. During the debate, someone asked Mr. Adams if he was backing the whipping post because he was a bachelor and safe from its consequences. Adams replied that the only men able to introduce such a bill were single men, because they did not belong to the married men's trust. There can be no doubt that the whipping post is in the air. It will be a saving to the tax payer and good from an economic point of view. Under the present law, wedded ruffians are sent to prison or rather to the hotels called prisons, where tax payers support them in idleness and are frequently compelled to support their families also. The State of Maryland has such a law and it is said that it has effected a complete cure of wife beating. Mr. Adams in unfolding his bill, addressed a crowded house and members as is their custom on an occasion of great interest, crowded around him in dense masses. He said: "I want to call attention to a serious problem connected with the holy state of matrimony and I take this occasion to quote from the utterance of President Roosevelt in his last message to Congress upon the question." He then read the President's message referring to some sort of corporal punishment for wife beaters in the District of Columbia. "In accordance with the President's wishes," continued the speaker, "I have introduced in this House, a bill providing for the establishment of corporal punishment for criminals of this class."

There is every indication that this session, although a short one, will accomplish some legislation. The President's intimation about a week ago, that something must be done very soon in the way of tariff legislation or he would call an extra summer session, has had a galvanic effect on legislative dawdlers.

The House has passed the Fortifications Appropriation Bill, the discussion of which gave Representative Baker of New York an opportunity to denounce war and its attendant horrors. He declared that the President was emulating the German Kaiser, whom he called the "god of war." Mr. Baker is the member from New York who made himself conspicuous by refusing a railroad pass. It is to be regretted that all members are not conspicuous for the same virtue.

Senator Gallinger has introduced a bill providing that no person or corporation in the name of which the word "university" is included shall conduct any educational business or institution in the District of Columbia or grant diplomas unless the purpose of the said institution is not for profit or private gain.

Adams.

A New Disorder—"Cellaritis."

"Cellaritis" is the name given by somebody to untraceable outbreaks of diphtheria, typhoid, scarlet fever, etc., in families.

It is a good one, too, for in many a neglected cellar would be found the secret of the trouble, when the doctor and the plumbing inspector could find no cause.

Any housekeeper so unfortunate as to have a damp cellar would better let everything else go and attend to that. There are cellars quite beyond the housekeeper, which the man of the house, if he be not alive to the danger, must be stirred up to have drains put in and windows cut out.

I have seen cellars where the housekeeper after every heavy rain had to visit her milk closet and fruit cupboard, walking over planks raised up a foot out of the lake which covered the cellar floor. And this condition of things was passively endured till the water finally soaked away of itself. Yet this family in other matters were most thrifty and provident—"good managers." They were often "under the weather," felt sort of "miserable," but it never seemed to occur to them that the cellar had anything to do with it.

Let in plenty of air, and, if, possible, sunlight. Sunshine is the best germ-killer, better than anti-toxin. Air the cellar in the daytime, for the cool night air is apt to form condensation, meeting the warmer air inside, and so increase the dampness. Don't have the ice box in the cellar, and, above all, don't let it drain into a pit under the cellar floor, as is often the case in the country.

Look out for any decaying vegetables, and don't have any heaps of cobwebby old rubbish. Clear out the furnace, if there is one, and see that the water pan is not getting rusty.

Nothing purifies a cellar like a coat of whitewash over walls and ceiling.—Keith's Magazine.

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The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 1905.

Mass. Press Association.

The annual meeting of the association was held on Monday at the United States hotel, Boston. President C. C. Doten called the meeting to order and after hearing the report of the treasurer the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President,—George C. Fairbanks.
Vice Presidents,—George M. Billings, D. H. Huxford, George W. Prescott, Ernest H. Pierce, W. F. Jarvis.
Secretary,—W. J. Hefferman.
Treasurer, —J. S. Smith.
Historian,—George M. Whitaker.
Auditor, —Charles S. Parker.

The following gentlemen were then elected delegates to the National Editorial convention to be held at Guthrie, Oklahoma: George C. Fairbanks, A. C. Dowse, W. F. Jarvis, George W. Prescott, C. J. McPherson.

The convention meets May 20, for four days. After which the delegates will be invited to take a trip of two to three weeks to Dallas, Texas; Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Portland, Oregon. In the latter city they will visit the fair being held in that place.

After the business meeting the members adjourned to the parlors, there meeting their ladies, and a social half hour was enjoyed before they were summoned to the banquet hall. Dinner, followed by singing and speaking, occupied three to four hours, and was pronounced one of best the association has ever held.

In the evening the members and ladies accepted an invitation to attend Keith's theatre, where a pleasing program brought the day to a very delightful close.

Thanks are due to the hotel management, to Mr. Keith and Mr. Keating and to all who helped make the occasion so enjoyable, also to John Carter & Co. for the beautiful menu cards for the dinner.

Join National Association.

The Granite Manufacturers' Association held its first meeting in its new rooms in the Adams building Tuesday evening. The rooms have been newly painted and have new furniture and carpets, making them very attractive.

The association starts the new year under very favorable conditions, one of its members as Mayor of the city, one as a member of the Legislature. Its President on School Committee, and its oldest member has renewed his youth and taken to himself a young wife. Many of the members thought that Mr. Field would stand the cigars at the last meeting but he forgot his pocket book.

The association voted to affiliate itself with the National Association of Granite Industries. The national body is composed of quarrymen, monumental manufacturers and builders in all parts of the country, which promises to be of the greatest benefit to the business, in bringing the whole granite industry into harmonious accord.

$100,000.

Elmer H. Capen, president of Tufts college, announces that Andrew Carnegie, the great philanthropist, has agreed to give the Universalist college at Medford $100,000 for the purpose of building a new library on College hill.

The building at present in use as the college library is inadequate and has been for many years. It was erected in 1854 as a college dormitory, and for a number of years it was the only dormitory. It contains separate rooms for students working in the departments of History, Ancient Language, English, Music and Political Science and in addition a reading room containing the daily papers and periodicals is maintained by the students in one of the ground floor rooms.

The Fall River Strike.

There was a conference on Thursday afternoon, at Fall River, between Herbert T. Drake, a native of Quincy, representing Gov. Douglas, and Mayor Coughlin, of Fall River, and the secretaries of the operatives unions with reference to a possible settlement of the long-continued strike by the mill operatives.

At the conference, the situation was thoroughly discussed, but Mr. Drake made no proposition to the labor leaders.

At a meeting to be held this Friday evening a proposition to confer on the textile council, the delegate body representing the five unions, authority to deal directly with any proposition in the interests of a settlement without being obliged to refer any action taken back to the unions for indorsement, will be voted on.

State Depository.

That the National Granite bank is as solid as the granite hills, for which it was named, has again been demonstrated by the fact that the state of Massachusetts has selected it as a depository of State funds. This was announced on Tuesday at the annual meeting of the stockholders.

The cashier also reported that the assets of the bank were in excess of one million dollars, and that the deposits were $629,731.00.

These directors were elected: Theophilus King, Edwin W. Marsh, James Thompson, Joseph H. Vogel, Clarence Burgin, Rupert F. Claflin, Delcevare King and Russell A. Sears.

The directors will meet for organization next week.

Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary.

The regular meeting of Woman's Auxiliary to Y. M. C. A. will be held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. F. Welch, 1662 Hancock street. Miss M. A. Gilmore of Boston will speak. Subject: "Appeals and demands for the women of today." Mrs. Nathaniel S. Hunting will sing. The meeting is at three o'clock and all women interested in the work are cordially invited to be present.

—Representative Cole of Andover has filed two bills with the clerk of the House looking to move rigid regulation of the keeping and selling of explosives. One of the bills removes the powers and duties heretofore conferred upon cities and towns regulating the keeping, storage, use, manufacturer, sale, handling and transportation of all kinds of explosives.

—The republican senators and representatives met in caucus at the state house on Thursday and nominated by acclamation Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge to succeed himself in the United States senate and Hon. W. Murray Crane to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator George Frisbie Hoar.

—The details of the Tucker trial for the murder of Miss Mabel Page fill many columns of the daily press. The case will continue for a week or more.

CITY BRIEFS.

Colder.

It is a week of banquets.

Henry P. Kittredge has gone South, for the balance of the winter.

Mrs. Mary Pollock of Bigelow street is confined to the house by illness.

William A. Richards is confined to his home on Roselin avenue by sickness.

Miss Helen Rhines will reopen her her dancing school at Colonial hall this afternoon.

Mrs. William Brown of Boston has been visiting friends in this city the past week.

Mrs. A. F. Wilscher is confined to her home on Beacon street quite ill with tonsilitis.

The will of Charles E. French of Boston has been allowed and there will be no contest.

Edwin Glover of Washington street has returned from a short business trip to Portland, Me.

William G. Webb is confined to his home on Washington street with symptoms of diphtheria.

Councilman Crane is recovering from the grip which has kept him in the house for nearly a week.

Frank A. Tirrell officiated as clerk in the district court Tuesday in the absence of Clerk Churchill.

There will be a meeting of the Fragment society in the Unitarian chapel next Wednesday at 2 P. M.

Rev. E. N. Hardy gave an address before the Abington Young Men's Association on Sunday afternoon.

Saturday Jan. 7, was an unusually fatal day in Quincy at least five deaths being reported. Three were at Atlantic.

In the the billiard tournament at the Granite City club Monday night, H. H. Hill beat W. W. Mitchell 150 to 103.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Tirrell have been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Richards of Roselin avenue the past week.

Bernard McCormack, father of Mrs. James Kelley of Quincy, died on Saturday at his home in Maynard, aged 84 years.

The annual meeting of the City Hospital of Quincy corporation will be held at the First church chapel next Monday evening.

Francis P. Loud is unable to attend to his duties as letter carrier, being confined to his home on Washington street with rheumatism.

Herbert W. Lull, formerly of this city, was on Monday evening reelected superintendent of schools at Newport, R. I., at a salary of $3000.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers, nee Purdy, of Hancock street, are receiving congratulations, a daughter being born to them on Tuesday, January tenth.

The mornings as well as the afternoons are lengthening. The days are already 13 minutes longer, and on Feb. 1 will have gained 56 minutes.

At the billiard tournament at the Granite City club on Saturday evening, H. H. Hill beat C. H. Penniman 150 to 85, and F. L. Badger beat W. R. Thomas 100 to 89.

Officer James W. Murray who has been off duty for the past twenty weeks on account of illness, returned to work Sunday. It is good to see "Jim" once more patroling City Square.

The Sewerage Commission is preparing an exhaustive report of the building of the system covering several years, previous to turning it over to the Commissioner of Public Works.

The funeral of Mrs. Johanna Keniley was held on Monday from St. John's church. The services were conducted by Rev. Julian E. Johnston. The burial was at St. Mary's cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Ellis, who have been stopping with their daughter, Mrs. H. E. Winslow of Bent place, the past two months have moved to Boston, where they will make their home.

Edward A. Bower died at his home 60 Old Coach road Jan. 6th after an illness of a year's duration. He was a carpenter by trade. He was about 31 years of age and leaves a wife and one child.

Mr. and Mrs. Dozier of Lynn, former residents of Quincy, were in town on Monday. Mr. Dozier was formerly manager of the Quincy Telephone exchange, and now holds a similar position at South Boston.

-A memorial cairn similar to the ones erected by the Daughters of the Revolution on Penns hill and Squantum Head, is proposed for Medford on the celebration of the 275th anniversary of the settlement of the town.

Mr. Frank Hobbs Preble and Miss Annie Maud Turner were married at Malden on December twenty-first, the ceremony being solemnized by the groom's father, Rev. E. W. Preble, formerly pastor of the Universalist church in this city.

Col. Henry L. Kincaide of the Governor's staff, and a member of the Ancients, was a guest of Hon. A. Shuman at a luncheon tendered Maj. C. E. D. Budworth of the Honourable Artillery Company of London at the Exchange club last week.

B. H. Prescott of Lynn, who came to Quincy to spend Christmas with his sister, Mrs. F. F. Prescott, has extended his visit because of illness. He is a machinist in the employ of the General Electric Company, a prominent Odd Fellow, and also a member of the Ancient Order of United Workmen.

Mrs. Johanna Keniley, one of Quincy's old residents, died at her home on South Walnut street, Jan. 6th, aged about 70 years. Mrs. Keniley lived for years in the families of Josiah Quincy and Miss Elizabeth C. Adams, and few were better conversant with the home life of these two families than was she.

Frank W. Flowers, District Deputy Grand Master of District 103, publicly installed the officers of Crescent lodge, No. 82, I. O. O. F., of East Weymouth on Thursday evening, assisted by the following past grands: Frank L. Carlton, Edward L. Goodridge, William Williams, Charles A. Hobart, Charles Wood, Aubrey R. Keith and Samuel Wood, Jr., the last named as grand marshal.

Mr. John Hendry has entered the draughting room of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, coming from the New York Shipbuilding Company. Mr. Hendry is a native of Dumbarton, Scotland and an expert worker. When his companions learned he was to leave Philadelphia they made him several handsome presents and sent him off in a royal Scottish fashion. Upon arrival in Quincy he was met by his friend Mr. John Denney, who is also at the Fore River and a Scotchman from Dumbarton. The Fore River Shipbuilding Company is attracting some of the finest ship draughtsmen in this country. Mr. Hendry is stopping at at Hotel Greenleaf. Monday evening he was the guest at dinner of James D. MacBride at his home on Spear street.

Another meeting of the City Council next Monday evening.

The several city departments are at work upon their annual reports.

Mr. Thorpe Babcock returned to the Yale Law school Tuesday of this week.

Mr. L. Dowley Williams is expected home from Europe the last of January.

Fred E. Tupper is very favorably mentioned for Commissioner of Public Works.

City affairs are running as smoothly as though there had not been a change in the office of Mayor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Emery, of Adams street, entertained their whist club on Wednesday evening.

Unity circle of King's Daughters will hold its annual meeting and supper the second Tuesday in February.

John Q. Newcomb of Hancock street, a clerk at the post office, is at the City Hospital for treatment of his foot.

William K. Nash of Lynn visited Quincy on Wednesday for the first time in many years, although born here.

The ladies of First church have begun to prepare for a fair, which they are to hold in the chapel early in the spring.

C. A. Howland, Jr., and Lawrence H. Sturtevant of Adams street are in New York attending the automobile show.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers, of Hancock street, are being congratulated on the birth on Tuesday, of a little daughter.

January seventeenth is dramatic night in the Manet club series and is an event looked forward to with much pleasure by the members.

Three are sick in the family of Edward E. Miller of Bigelow street; Mrs. Miller, their young son, and Wendell Luce, all having tonsilitis.

Once again E. Moody Boynton has introduced a petition into the Legislature to incorporate the Boston, Quincy and Fall River bicycle electric railway.

The entertainment committee of the Granite City club are arranging for a ladies' night to be held at Colonial hall and the club rooms Thursday evening, Jan. 26.

Rumor has it that Dr. Ross K. Whiton and Henry P. Kittredge have been selected as two members of the Board of Health to be appointed by Mayor Thompson.

Miss Florence R. Emery and Miss Beatrice Tisdale are guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bates Holden, nee Whicher, at East Orange, New Jersey.

The body of Mrs. Annie MacDonald, who died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. B. G. MacRae, at Medford, Sunday, was brought to Quincy for burial. She was 95 years old.

At the billiard tournament at the Granite City club Wednesday evening, Charles H. Penniman beat George W. Jones 125 to 104, and John W. Walsh beat J. Warren Nightingale 100 to 84.

The second of the series of matinee whist parties by the ladies of the Cochato club of Braintree will be given next Tuesday, the seventeenth, at the club house, from two thirty until five o'clock.

The committees of the Granite Manufacturers' Association and Granite Cutters' Union, who are considering the changes asked in the agreement and bill of prices, have not accomplished anything as yet.

The Y. M. C. A. gymnasium classes are now running to schedule, large numbers of boys and men are taking the work regularly. The class for business and professional men will begin as soon as suits can be procured.

The Junior Christian Endeavor society of Bethany church held an enjoyable and largely attended social in the chapel Wednesday evening. Over 170 were present. Games were played and there was an informal entertainment. Refreshments were served.

The State society of the Daughters of the Revolution is to hold a meeting on Monday afternoon, January sixteenth, at hotel Vendome, Boston. After a short business meeting, Mrs. Emily C. Fisher is to read a paper on "Noted women of the Revolution" and Mrs. Charles Lewis Holt will contribute several solos.

On Monday, January sixteenth, the Y. M. C. A. auxiliary is to be entertained at the home of Mrs. John F. Welch, Hancock street, corner of Elm. It is the regular monthly meeting, and Miss M. A. Gilmore, of Boston, will give a paper on "Appeals and demands for the woman of today." Mrs. N. S. Hunting is to sing.

A bill has been introduced into Congress by Representative McNary of this district to make Quincy a port of delivery in the customs district of Boston and providing that the privileges of the act of June 10, 1880, governing the immediate transportation of dutiable merchandise without appraisement, shall be extended to the new port, and a surveyor be appointed to reside in Quincy.

The first car of the Boston Elevated road to run into Quincy came through as far as the Atlantic bridge Saturday night. The car was a special and brought ex-Mayor Sears and a party of friends, who had been doing Chinatown in Boston. When it arrived at Neponset it was taken in charge by Motorman Abbott and run through to the Atlantic bridge.

Quincy was well represented at the Twelfth Night revels of the Copley association at Copley hall, Boston, on Monday evening. Miss Georgiana C. Lane represented Pierrot the French clown; Miss Fay Hitchcock, dancer; Mr. Henry Kitson, Pan. Mrs. Kitson wore a beautiful costume, the national Roumanian, which was presented to her by the Queen of Roumania. Several others from Quincy enjoyed the festivities.

About fifty were in attendance at the January meeting of Bethany Brotherhood Tuesday evening and listened to an instructive and interesting paper by Dr. William A. Earle of Boston on the subject of "School hygiene for the eye." Dr. Earle spoke for nearly an hour and went into details; giving also statistics of pupils who have been examined. He also answered several questions. Ice cream and cake were served at the close.

A temporary reading room has been opened in one corner of the running track of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium and the following periodicals will soon be found on the table. In addition to the local papers, the Boston Herald, Harper's Weekly and Monthly, Scribners, McClures, Everybody's, Review of Reviews, Independent, Success, Scientific American and Supplement, Youth's Companion, American Boy, Motor Age, Outing, Rudder, Marine Engineering, American Machinist.

Dean's Rheumatic Pills absolutely cure Rheumatism & Neuralgia. Entirely vegetable. Safe

SOUTH QUINCY.

Mrs. Sallie Harris of Brooks avenue has been confined to her home by illness the past few days.

Funeral services of the late Nathan P. Harrington were held Tuesday afternoon from his late residence on Pearl street. Many relatives and friends were present. The floral tributes were numerous.

Mr. Charles A. Hinckley and Mr. Alexander Hall were treated to a double surprise party, in honor of their birthday anniversaries, at 108 Franklin street on Tuesday evening by their many friends. Mr. Hinckley was presented with a handsome reading lamp and Mr. Hall with a beautiful silk umbrella. Each responded with a short speech. The evening was pleasantly passed by music and entertainment and later light refreshments were served, after which the company dispersed, having spent a most enjoyable evening.

Fred Owens, who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Roland Hughes of Goddard street, returned to his home at Fair Haven, Vt., Monday.

Oskar Djerf and Carl G. Winquist, doing a quarrying business under the name of Djerk & Winquist, have filed a petition in bankruptcy; liabilities, $6,697; assets, $1,086.

The Rev. Dr. Scott F. Hershey preached his farewell sermon as pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Boston, on Sunday. He goes to the First church at Worcester, Ohio.

Swingle & Falconer have dissolved copartnership, and J. S. Swingle will continue the business.

James Craig has about completed a large addition to his granite plant on Water street to be used as an engine house and polishing mill. The engine house is of brick and the polishing mill of wood.

The Quincy Column Turning Co. is erecting a large travelling derrick at its plant at South Quincy.

Richard Brooks, the sculptor is home from Paris for a short visit.

Miss Louise M. Cook, formerly of Quincy, has withdrawn her suit of $2,000 against Joshua T. Small of Provincetown for slander, it having been settled out of court. It is understood that the defendant made sufficient reparation to the injured feelings of the plaintiff.

One Man Arrested.

Inspector Bradley who has been working on the Albert Pierson burglary case has succeeded in connecting Simon Stone, the man arrested on suspicion, with the affair. In one of the bags found in Stone's team was a jimmy which has been found to fit the mark on the window sash of Pierson's store, and the mark on the money drawer.

Upon visiting Stone's home in Boston, and interviewing his wife, Inspector Bradley learned that the man, who was with Stone the night he visited Quincy was Solomon Rosenthal. He is believed by the police to be the man who was in the store, and who skipped, when Mr. Pierson entered.

Stone's wife volunteered to locate Rosenthal for the police, and started out to do so. She found him in a barber shop. Instead of getting the police and taking them to the man she took hold of Rosenthal and undertook to take him where the police were. The result was that the man pulled away from her and made his escape.

As the Boston police have a good description of the man wanted it is probable he will soon fall into their clutches. Since then Stone has admitted that Rosenthal hired him to come to Quincy.

The case against Stone came up in the district court, Thursday, when he was given a hearing.

Mr. Pierson testified that he visited his store on the morning in question about ten minutes past midnight. As he entered the store he heard a noise. He tried to light a lamp. As he lit it he saw the form of a man going through the side window. He chased the man as far as Fort street. Here he met the prisoner leading his horse by the bridle. Witness asked him if he had seen a man go by. No answer was made to this query, but he asked the way to Brockton.

Pierson said he then went to the police station and told the police. He went back to the store and found the window had been pried open. There were marks on the window that the jimmy shown fitted. The money drawer was on the floor and $20 in silver gone. He also found a number of bags, one of which was full of goods. There was also a candle on the floor and marks on the money drawer. He identified the prisoner as the man he had met with a team on Granite street.

Officer Gallagher of Boston testified to the arrest of Stone, and to finding a number of bags in the wagon, in one of which was a jimmy. Stone said when questioned that he had been to Brockton with a load of bags.

Officer Johnson testified to seeing the team about 11.30. At that time the horse was feeding.

Sargeant Barry testified to searching Stone and finding a screw driver and a candle in his pocket.

Stone first denied all knowledge of the jimmy and then said it had been in his possession two weeks. Wednesday night, in reply to questions, Stone denied that any one was with him, but later said that Rosenthal came out from Boston with him, and that they brought the bags with them. That Rosenthal took the bags from the wagon and that he stayed with the wagon near a stone shed. Officer tried the jimmy on the store window and it fitted. Also fitted it to marks on the money drawer.

Inspector Bradley testified to fitting the jimmy to the store window, and to finding the piece of candle in the store. Was present, when Stone was questioned by Sergeant Barry at both times, told him had seen his wife. He then acknowledged that Solomon Rosenthal had hired him to come out, and do the job.

The court found probable cause to believe Stone guilty, and held him in $1000 for the grand jury.

Wednesday's Fire.

The alarm from box 441 at 7.05 A. M. Wednesday called the department to a lively blaze in a house at the corner of Quarry and Kidder streets, owned by the heirs of Timothy Galvin and occupied by August Blondie and a family named Pillsbury. The fire was caused by the overturning of a lamp in the tenement occupied by Blondie.

The fire proved a stubborn one to handle, and worked up through the roof before it was got under control.

Chief Williams estimates the loss on building and contents as $500.

The first term of twenty lessons in the Y. M. C. A. monumental and free-hand drawing class is finished, and a second will begin on Monday evening. Fifteen of the eighteen men enrolled in the class are going to continue for twenty lessons more. All have progressed very satisfactorily and many have done very commendable work.

WOLLASTON.

The Ladies' Musical club will meet with Mrs. Henry Clifford Drury, Briggs street, on Monday evening, January 16, at eight o'clock.

One hundred invitations have been issued for the eleventh wedding anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Fraser of Beach street, which will take place in February.

The next meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club will be January 17. Rabbi Solomo Schindler and Professor Emery L. Crane will talk on "Individualism and Socialism." The postponement is due to the fact that the speakers had other engagements on the regular night.

A. N. Potterton and family have moved from North Weymouth to 26 Blake street, Wollaston.

The members of St. Chrysostom's church learn with regret that Rev. Carlton P. Mill's appointment as field-secretary of all the Sunday schools in Massachusetts, an office created for him, will rob his parishioners of his services except about once or twice a month.

Miss Elizabeth Thayer of Wollaston took part in the "Twelfth Night Revels," given by the Copley society, in Copley hall, Boston, Monday evening.

Nathaniel Thayer of Willow street is home from the West for a short vacation.

Charles G. Farwell of Wollaston has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $31,148 and assets of $334.

Mrs. H. J. Gurney gave a very interesting talk on "The Power of Personality" at the Young People's Religious Union of the Wollaston Unitarian church, Sunday evening.

Frank E. Parlin attended on Wednesday evening the banquet of the Boston Unitarian club.

Frederic M. Blanchard of Chicago University will give a recital on Macbeth at the Quincy Mansion school, Friday evening, Jan. 20.

Robert H. Sibley of Wollaston has returned to Phillips Exeter academy after three weeks' vacation.

Mrs. C. L. Barstow of New Bedford has been the guest of her son, Eben Barstow of North Central avenue.

Dr. Elmon Johnson is receiving the sympathy of his friends on the death of his father who passed away recently in Pittsfield, Mass.

Ernest Hicks, a son-in-law of Mr. A. A. Lincoln of Grand View avenue, was taken violently insane in Wollaston on Monday of this week. After an examination by doctors he was committed to the asylum at Waverly for treatment. Much sympathy is felt for the family and friends.

There has been very good skating for the past week in Mr. Leigh's pasture on Beale street and since yesterday's rain it promises to be better than ever. The field is flooded by an overflow from a brook and as the water is, at the most, only two or three feet deep there is no danger of drowning accidents.

DOWNS AND PARK.

Mrs. Benjamin Blanchard of Norfolk Downs entertained the Entre Nous whist club January sixth. Mrs. S. F. Nutting and Mrs. A. H. Hall received the highest scores and were awarded pretty souvenirs. Refreshments were served.

A horse belonging to one of Taylor's laundry team became frightened on Hancock street, Norfolk Downs, Monday evening, and ran some distance before it was stopped. Some boys in the vicinity stopped the horse before any damage was done.

An interesting talk was given Thursday at the hall of the Wollaston Yacht club, by J. J. Feeley, the subject being a description of the lighthouses and other aids to navigation along the coast, with other things of interest to yachtsmen. A fine series of pictures was shown on the screen by Dr. Brayton beginning with a Norseman's Galley and ending with the modern racing yachts. The entertainment was enjoyed by a large number of the club members and their friends.

Pickwick Club Anniversary.

The Quincy Pickwick club celebrated its thirty-second anniversary with a mid year banquet at The Greenleaf Wednesday evening. Twenty-five covers were laid, the table being most attractively set in the parlor of the hotel, and a very delightful menu was well served, as follows:

Blue Points on the Half Shell
Cream of Celery Soup aux Croutons
Stuffed Olives Celery Sweet Pickles
Roast Young Turkey
French Dressing Giblet Gravy
Cranberry Sauce
Potato Croquettes Hubbard Squash
Banana Fritters Lemon Sauce
Cold Sliced Ham Cold Roast Beef
Parker House Rolls Home-made Bread
Chicken Salad au Mayonnaise
Neapolitan Ice Cream
Assorted Cake Macaroons
Oranges Apples Bananas
Nuts Dates Raisins
Cheese Saltines
Cafe Noir

After the dinner the fun began. An Italian singer with her guitar and a gypsy fortune teller entertained, each after her fashion. "The Cook" gave her views on the situation, a reader from nonsense authology, a male quartette with histrionic and dramatic power and a humorous recitation, all from the ranks of the club, showed that more than a little nonsense now and then is relished by the wisest men.

The club reeled off the last hour, singing in unbroken circle "Auld Lang Syne" for the wind-up of so many years of good fellowship.

The dainty menus will be treasured by the members as souvenirs of one of its most successful and thoroughly enjoyable anniversaries.

Twelve Associates.

On Tuesday evening the Twelve Associates held their third meeting of the season at the residence of Mr. Thomas Borst, Prospect street, Atlantic; the full membership being present with the exception of Mrs. Frank Jenkins who has been confined to her home for two weeks with a bad cold. Miss Martha Jenkins acted as substitute. Whist was played from 8 to 10, after which the company were pleasantly entertained by the host and hostess. Prizes were awarded as follows: 1st to ladies, Mrs. Roger Wilde; 2d, Mrs. Herbert Barker; 1st to gentlemen, Mr. Crawford Harvie; 2d, Mr. George Hinkley. Refreshments were served.

The next meeting of the club will be held Wednesday, Jan. 25th, at the home of Mr. George Hinkley.

County Commissioners.

The annual meeting of the Norfolk County Commissioners was held Tuesday and organized by the election of James Hewin as chairman. The other members are Marshall P. Wright of Quincy and Sumner H. Foster of Brookline.

John F. Drummond was appointed a county policeman and janitor of county buildings, and William M. Marden of Quincy was appointed a special county policeman.

QUINCY POINT AND NECK.

A number of life-boats for the Providence, arrived at the shipyard last week.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new stores on East Howard street, opposite the shipyard gate.

The ice on the meadow off South street is rather treacherous in some places. Several people have discovered the fact to their disadvantage.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Washington street Congregational church held its regular annual meeting Monday afternoon. Officers were elected for the coming year.

Capt. and Mrs. Smith of Cleverly court are receiving congratulations on the birth of a little stranger into their home.

There was an unusually large attendance at the Washington Street Congregational Sunday school on Sunday. The school continues to grow and the outlook is most promising.

The steamer Providence, as she nears completion, makes a fine subject for the photographer. Many pictures have already been taken, but the life-boats were put in place Tuesday and they make a big addition to the appearance of the steamer.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Shaw of Brookline have issued invitations to a reception which will be held at their home Friday evening, Jan. 20. The occasion is the fifth anniversary of their wedding. Mrs. Shaw will be remembered as Miss Leona Hayden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayden of Quincy Neck.

At a meeting of the Quincy Point Young Men's club, Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected: President, C. C. Foster; Vice President, J. Peterson; Secretary, F. W. Russell; Treasurer, T. F. Merill; Financial Secretary, A. B. Foster. A smoke talk will be held next Tuesday evening at the club rooms.

C. Arthur Sampson, who was operated upon at the Quincy Hospital for appendicitis, several weeks ago, has been removed to his home on Washington street, Quincy Point.

The Washington Street Congregational church extended a cordial invitation to the old and young to attend the monthly men's meeting which was held last evening at 7.30. William E. Lee, the leader of the meeting took for his subject: "The church for the working-man." Albert L. Hayden was soloist for the evening.

The Washington Street Congregational Sunday school held a social and entertainment in the vestry Thursday evening. The affair was in charge of Mrs. T. B. Pollard's class of girls, and William E. Lee's class of boys. The entertainment was furnished by local talent. The social part of the evening was a decided success. The children joined heartily in all the games. Ice cream and cake were served during the evening.

MILTON.

The house warming at the Mission of Our Saviour church Wednesday evening proved a most enjoyable occasion. There was a large number present, and good cheer prevailed throughout the evening.

The evening's pleasure opened with a supper, which was served at 7 o'clock. The menu consisted of escalloped oysters, potato and chicken salads, cold meats, ice cream, cake and coffee. The table were also decorated with cut flowers.

The supper was pronounced excellent, and was well served, and much credit is due to the ladies having it in charge. They were: Mrs. J. E. Quimby, Miss Isabel Wigley, Mrs. Harry Brierley, Mrs. James Gibbs, Mrs. E. J. Eaton and Mrs. Edward Crowell. They were assisted by a large corps of waiters, including Miss Helen Donovan, Miss Jessie Lowe, Miss Eva Forde, Miss Hutchingson, the Misses Kelley, Mrs. George Arnold, Mrs. Laura McDonald, Mrs. George Wendall, Miss Lizzie Briggs, Mrs. A. Woods, Miss Edith Graham, Miss Townsend, Miss Flossie McDonald and Miss Dora Murray.

After supper Rev. Theodore I. Reese was introduced as toastmaster. He spoke briefly on the history of the church and the building of the edifice. Other speakers were Rev. George E. Whitehouse, Rev. Carlton P. Mills of Quincy, Rev. Charles Hutchinson of Boston, E. F. Fitzgerald the lay reader, M. G. Richardson and C. F. Harding of Milton academy.

At the close of the evening's festivities each person was presented with a portrait of the church.

The fourteenth annual ball of the Milton fire department will be held next Wednesday evening.

John Reynolds gave a talk on "Civil service reform" before the Thursday Evening club this week.

The alarm from box 43 at 4.50, Wednesday morning was for a slight fire in a house on the Gordon estate, caused by a defect in the chimney. Loss $100.

The Ladies' whist met Monday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. McIntosh. Prizes for the best scores were awarded Mrs. W. H. Doherty and Mrs. Hamersley.

Mrs. Charles Thompson, who has been quite ill, is reported as improving.

Miss Holmes, of Plymouth, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. P. Libby.

Chief Engineer Choate reports the number of bell alarms in 1904 as 49, and the still alarms as 47.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. French, nee Gannett, have returned to Akron, Ohio, after passing the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gannett of Milton Hill.

The Milton High basket ball team was defeated at Malden on Saturday 40 to 10 by the Malden High.

The Milton academy ice hockey team defeated the Stone school team on Wednesday 3 to 1.

A Painful Tale.

Last Saturday while some of the men were at work on Botolph street repairing the damage made by the water rushing over one of the lawns and washing away the recent grading on account of the inability to run down the sluice-way, the horse used to plow away the snow from the gutters, slipped and his fore-feet went through the grating of the sluice-way. It was a painful position for the horse and a difficult situation for the men.

After a painful tail-pulling process they managed to get the animal in a way to help himself out but his front legs were covered with blood and those who had watched the procedure thought of the doctrine of Pathagrus, and wondered what wicked human soul was taking its punishment in the four-legged sufferer.

☞The Boston Journal has been making a remarkable record during the past year. It has gained in circulation every month in 1904 except April, and has today 55,000 net circulation.

This means a growth of over 17,000 sales in the brief space of twelve months, and shows how popular the paper has become.

Although sold now everywhere for 1 cent, it keeps up all the departments that a 2-cent paper carries, having its usual strong editorial and financial departments, its entertaining dramatic and musical department and a whole page devoted to women and women's affairs, and edited by the best women's editors of New England.

WEST QUINCY.

Fred L. Badger has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $9,590 and assets uncertain. William A. Clark of Butte, Montana, is the largest creditor, his claim being $6,000.

A joint installation of the officers of of St. Francis and St. Ambrose courts of Foresters was held Tuesday evening at St. Mary's hall. There was a large number of the members of the orders present. The officers of St. Francis court were installed by D. H. C. Ranger Robert Sheehan and suite of Avon, while the officers of St. Ambrose court were installed by Mrs. Susie Ryan and suite of Brockton. Addresses were made by the visiting grand officers and Rev. A. F. Roche. A collation was served.

Arthur J. Woodward and Arthur W. Woodward of West Quincy gave testimony Thursday at the trial of Tucker for murder.

Word was received on Friday of the death on Thursday at Rockland, Me., of Jeremiah Culinan, formerly of West Quincy, aged 59 years. Mr. Culinan was a stone cutter and went to Rockland, Me., a year ago. He was a veteran of the Civil war and a member of a Taunton post, G. A. R. The body will be brought to Quincy for burial.

The St. Mary's basket ball team of West Quincy was defeated at Danvers Thursday evening, 38 to 16.

Quincy will be represented on Sunday at the dedication of the new church of the Finnish Evangelical Mission Society at Fitchburg. Services will be held at 10 A. M., 12 M., 3 and 5 P. M. The cost of the new edifice without furniture was $9,000. It is of wood, 44 feet on the street and 74 feet deep. The pastor is Rev. Andrew Groop.

City Council Banquet.

Many secrets were divulged and shots fired at the banquet of the City Councils of 1904 and 1905 at Hotel Essex, Boston, Wednesday evening, at which department officials were guests. It was a large and happy gathering, the post prandial exercises being the feature of the evening.

Chairman Langelier opened the post prandial exercises with a story and then asked Mayor Thompson to respond to the toast—"Valuations."

Mayor Thompson thanked the committee for the invitation to be present. He told those entering the new city government that there were duties to perform. That the combined action of the executive and legislative branches of the city were necessary to make a complete whole. That all should sink individual differences and work for the best interest of the city in harmony.

He referred to the High school enlargement as one of the burning questions. He had no positive views. It should be treated as an entirely new matter, and worked up. He said the ideas he had expressed in his inaugural address had been misrepresented. He did say he desired a complete job, but made no mention of two wings. He was not in favor of the extravagant sum suggested, but thought $75,000 ample. We should not use up the debt limit as there were demands from Ward Six and Ward One for schoolhouses. We cannot do everything in one year.

He said he made but few recommendations because of the city's limited income. In the past we have been using receipts to help pay current expenses. If we could live within the $12 limit we could have a moderate and uniform tax rate. We must be very careful not to make the burden too heavy. He hoped Council would be economical and endeavor to get best possible returns.

Ex-Mayor Bryant responded to the toast "The Mayor's office." He noted the evolution of the quarters provided at City Hall for the Mayor, going back to the time when the executive had a desk in the City Clerk's room in the old City Hall and later a box with two doors.

He said the Mayor's office was a hard position to occupy. That it was not the place to go to sleep. That it has thorns. That citizens drop round with all kinds of grievances. They look to the Mayor to do everything and hold him responsible for all things, even delays in the Council. Urged Council to report promptly on all matters.

We should have no ward divisions on High school accommodations, but figure the best way to serve all the people. Whatever is done let it be a complete job and provide accommodations for eight years, You should build now for 1000 pupils. I should have vetoed any plan for a less number.

Councilman Flaherty contributed a piano solo, and Councilman Gassett the Stein song.

Art Lecture.

The Quincy Teachers' Association announces a stereopticon lecture on "Central Shrines," by Henry Turner Bailey, former agent of the State Board of Education, in High School hall, Thursday evening, January 19.

Mr. Baily is too well known to need any introduction to the people of this vicinity. All who have ever heard him will bear testimony to his charming personality and his remarkable ability to entertain, instruct and inspire. Miss Arnold, president of Simmons college, says to him, "Whatever his theme, he holds and charms his audience."

Mr Bailey says of this lecture: "All the great galleries of Europe have one or more works of art of supreme importance. This lecture is an attempt to bring these priceless treasures of the Vatican, The Uffizi, The Academy of Venice, The Louvre, and the National Gallery of London before an audience in an interesting and helpful way."

Mr. Bailey has seen the originals and made a critical study of them. The opportunity to see copies of these great art treasures through the eyes of such a master of interpretation is a rare treat which none who can avail them selves of it should miss.

Pastor at Plymouth.

Rev. William W. Dornan formerly of Quincy and Holbrook, was installed Wednesday evening as pastor of the Church of the Pilgrimage at Plymouth.

Rev. George A. Tewksbury presided, and the sermon was preached by Rev. Edwin N. Hardy of Bethany Congregational church, Quincy. Rev. T. M. Davies of Manomet read the Bible selection, and Rev. Frank J. Nash of Kingston made the prayer.

Rev. A. F. Pierce, D. D., of Campello brought the greeting from the East Norfolk Association. The address to the pastor was by Rev. F. B. Noyes of Plymouth; address to the people, Rev. George A. Tewksbury of Concord, and welcome to fellowship of local churches by Rev. John Cuckson of Plymouth.

The services were very largely attended. Rev. Mr. Dornan who goes to Plymouth from Holbrook is receiving a most cordial reception from the people of Plymouth.

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ATLANTIC.

Atlantic has not had such a dancing season since the days of the old Social club. There are, beside the Wednesday evening socials, run by Miss Lena Crane, to be dancing parties Friday evenings under the management of Cuff's orchestra of Braintree.

Word was received at the police station Monday night that a man had fallen off the embankment at the new Atlantic bridge. The ambulance was sent down and the man brought to the station. He proved to be James Sproule. Fortunately he was but little injured. He was locked up for drunkenness.

Mrs. Adelaide McGrath of Botolph street, Atlantic, is entertaining her mother Mrs. Studley of Rockland.

John A. Riecker of Charlestown, formerly in the employ of Coleman Bros., at Atlantic, was on Saturday indicted by the Suffolk grand jury for murder of his wife Helen Riecker at Charlestown, on Dec. 28 last.

The funeral of James A. Moore, who died on Saturday at Atlantic was held Monday from St. John's church. Services were conducted by Rev. John J. Coan. The burial was at St. Mary's cemetery.

Howard Wade returned to Sioux City, Iowa, on Saturday after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wade of Prospect street.

At the annual meeting this week of the Boston Bicycle club, Dr. W. G. Kendall was re-elected captain for the eighteenth consecutive term. The Boston Bicycle club is the oldest cycling organization in America, and the second oldest in the world, the Pickwick Club of England antedating it by only a few weeks. Although dating from 1878 it has always kept up its active interest in the sport until at the present time it turns out more rider on its frequent runs that can be showed by any other club.

Mr. Geekie is making preparations to reopen his barber shop in the Sagamore block, which was damaged by the fire in the adjoining store of Mr. Needleman. Mr. Needleman will not resume business again.

Mock Trial.

Since the announcement was made in these columns that a big mock court trial was to be held under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, in Music hall, on Tuesday evening January 24, there has been curiosity to know "who 'tis." The secret is going to be let out right here and now and the public can begin to look forward to the merry event.

No wonder there is deep interest when so important a question is at stake, as to whether the affections of fair woman shall be trifled with, her tender heart rent asunder and her future blighted, with no redress whatever.

That this mock court trial will be no light affair will be clearly seen and here comes the list of participants.

His Honor the Judge will be Judge Everett C. Bumpus; clerk, Geo. H. Brown; court officer, W. M. Marden; court crier, Walter S. Pinkham; plaintiff's attorney, Col. A. V. Newton of Worcester; defendant's attorney, C. B. Perry, Esq.

The broken-hearted plaintiff in this highly interesting breach of promies suit will be Mrs. Wilson Marsh, and the luckless defendant Emery L. Crane. The witnesses will be: Mrs. A. S. Davis, Walter E. Simmons, Dr. N. S. Hunting, Miss Hattie E. Sargent and T. B. Pollard.

The jury to be empanelled if the lawyers do not kill each other before the trial begins, will be as follows: T. King, Dr. H. M. Willard, William E. Badger, Eugene H. Sprague, Charles L. Hammond, Richard R. Freeman, Edward E. Jameson, Clarence Burgin, Eben W. Sheppard, Mayor James Thompson and Richard D. Chase.

Altogether this mock court trial promises to be one of the events of the season, both in the interest attaching to it and in the crowd that will attend.

Norfolk Lodge Installation.

The following elected officers of Norfolk lodge, No. 178, A. O. U. W. of Wollaston, were installed by D. G. M. W. Wm. Davis and suite of Temple lodge, Dorchester, on Monday evening:

P. M. W.,—Alman C. Brown.
M. W.,—Charles Kolstad.
F.,—John H. Doody.
O.,—Charles W. Nelson.
Recd.,—John M. Ransom.
Ree.,—Robert B. Smith.
Fin.,—James W. Flanagan.
Guide,—Thomas Whelan.
I. W.,—Beniah Corkum.
O. W.,—Daniel Wooley.
Organist,—John C. Wood.
One candidate was initiated.

The money for furnishing the Y. M. C. A. dormitory rooms is now coming along nicely. Four rooms are assured and one more is in sight. A list of the societies and individuals giving them will be published a little later.

Relief Corps Installation.

Mrs. Alice M. Goddard Department Junior Vice President assisted by Mrs. Mary E. Powers, installed officers of Paul Revere, W. R. C. 103 at the regular meeting Tuesday evening.

Before installation Mrs. Goddard in behalf of Corps presented Mrs. Mary A. Fox, the retiring President with a handsome opal and diamond ring.

Officers installed were:

President,—Mrs. Jennie Ewell.
Senior Vice President,—Mrs. Annie Grignon.
Junior Vice President,—Mrs. Edith Wolfe.
Treasurer,—Mrs. Mary A. H. Crane.
Chaplain,—Mrs. Jennie Holton.
Conductor,—Mrs. Agnes Fletcher.
Guard,—Mrs. Celia Baxter.
Assistant Conductor, —Mrs. Laura Cameron.
Assistant Guard,—Mrs. M. Emma Newcomb.
Secretary,—Mrs. Isabella A. Souther.
Patriotic Instructor, —Mrs. Eliza Penniman.
Press Correspondent,—Mrs. Mary E. Powers.
Pianist,—Miss Elvira Ewell.
Color Bearers,—Mrs. Idella Savage, Mrs. Katherine Cotter, Mrs. Annie R. Brown, Mrs. Rebecca Longhead.

After installation Miss Elvira Ewell in behalf of the newly installed officers presented Mrs. Goddard with a china fruit dish. Mrs. Goddard responded in a feeling manner and wished the corps a happy and prosperous year.

The executive committee of Paul Revere W. R. C. will meet at the home of Mrs. Annie Wright Friday afternoon.

LOST.
DOG LOST—A white setter dog with two brown patches on top of head; new collar but unmarked; two years old; disappeared Friday, Jan. 6. Reward will be paid for return to 137 PROSPECT AVE., WOLLASTON.
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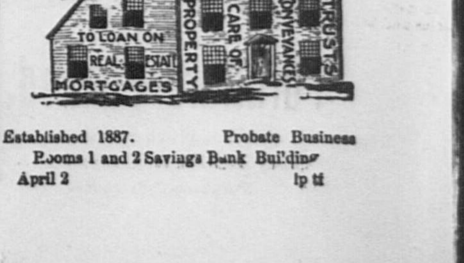

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NORFOLK, SS. January 3, 1905.

TAKEN on execution and will be sold at public auction on Monday, February 6th, A. D. 1905, at twelve o'clock M., at Room 1, No. 1433 Hancock street, in Quincy in the County of Norfolk, all the right, title and interest which Herbert F. Doble of Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment and levy by execution) on the first day of August, A. D. 1903, at seven o'clock A. M., (being the time the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following described real estate situated in Quincy, Weymouth and Milton, viz:

FIRST—A certain parcel of land, situated in Quincy, bounded northerly on land now or formerly of John Vogel, formerly of Babcock, 100 feet; easterly on land now or formerly of Doble, 30 feet; southerly on land now or formerly of Gulliver, 110 feet; westerly on Willard street, 30 feet, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 579, Page 354.

SECOND—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, being lots numbered 11, 13, 15, 16, 20, 22, 23, and 25, on a "Plan of House Lots in West Quincy Belonging to H. F. Doble," made by Whitman, Breck & Company, dated August 1886, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 587, Page 316; being a part of the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 587, Page 315.

THIRD—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, containing 7,520 square feet, being lot numbered 17 on a "Plan of House Lots situated in West Quincy Owned by B. W. Reardon," dated June, 1882, recorded with Norfolk Records, Plan Book 9, No. 355, and being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 830, Page 122.

FOURTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded as follows: Northwesterly partly on land now or formerly of Elcock and partly on land now or formerly of J. Q. Adams, in all 400 feet; northeasterly on an old driftway, 196 feet; southeasterly on land now or formerly of Margaret Fontaine or by whom owned, 335 feet; southwesterly on land now or formerly of Elcock, 90 feet, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 667, Page 500.

FIFTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded as follows: Northerly on Copeland street, 105 feet; westerly on land now or late of Joseph W. Robertson, 14 rods 13 feet; southwesterly on land now or late of Andrew; and easterly on land now or formerly of John A. Duggan, 16 rods 3 links; containing 8,060 square feet, more or less, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 677, Page 489, and also in Book 789, Page 357.

SIXTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded westerly on a drift-way now called Hall place, 62 1-2 feet; northerly by a drift-way formerly of J. W. Robertson, 276 feet; easterly by land now or formerly of Catholic Cemetery, formerly of Robertson, 171 feet; and northerly by land now or formerly of Nicholas Carey, 264 feet; being a part of the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 867, Page 563.

SEVENTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded northerly on land now or formerly of Charles Riley, 165 feet; easterly on land now or formerly of City of Quincy, formerly of Robertson, 21 2-10 feet; southerly on a drift-way, 165 feet; westerly on said Hall place 69 feet, containing 7,231 square feet, and being part of the premises conveyed by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 867, Page 563.

EIGHTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded southerly by land now or late of Ann Maria White; westerly by land formerly of Samuel Brackett, northerly by land now or late of Charles F. Adams; easterly by land formerly of Clarissa Hayward, containing 14 acres, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 905, Page 531.

NINTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded northerly on Crescent street; easterly on a roadway called Hall place; southerly on land now or formerly of James Hall; westerly on Willard street; northerly again on land now or formerly of the St. Francis Court, No. 25, of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters; and again westerly on said last named land, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 935, Page 195.

TENTH—Also a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in Weymouth, being lots numbered 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18 on a "Plan of House Lots in North Weymouth Belonging to E. S. Beals, Esq., October 1891. Nash & Hunter, Civil Engineers," recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 34, No. 1,587, being a part of the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 801, Page 261.

ELEVENTH—Also a certain parcel of land situated in Milton, being lots numbered 11, 12 and 19 on a plan made by Henry Mackay, dated December, 1891, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 18, Plan No. 854, being a part of the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 775, Page 392.

D. EDWARD BEEDE,
Deputy Sheriff.

Jan. 7 3w

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by George M. McCallar of Cambridge, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Emma Eames Story, wife of Julian Story, of Paris, France, dated March 10th, 1902, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Vol. 916, page 135, will be sold at public auction for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, on the premises to wit, on the parcel hereafter described situated at the corner of Beale street and Winthrop avenue, in Wollaston, on the second day of February 1905, at 2.15 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed (except as hereafter set forth), and described therein as follows:—

"The following parcels of land all situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, and Commonwealth aforesaid called Wollaston, bounded and described as follows, viz.—Lots numbered one, two and three in Block 3 of Section No. 4 on a plan recorded with Norfolk Deeds and bounded northwesterly on Beale street; easterly on lots 4 and 15 in said Block 3 two hundred and forty-eight and 6-10 (248.6) feet; southerly on Hillside avenue one hundred and fifty-nine feet; and southwesterly on Summit avenue two hundred and five and 3-10 (205.3) feet, Containing 47,605 square feet. Also lot numbered three in Block G of Section 6, as shown on a plan drawn by D. Granger and Son and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of book 406, bounded, northeasterly on lot eleven in said block fifty and 68-100 (50.68) feet, southeasterly on lot four in said block one hundred (100) feet; southwesterly on Arlington street fifty and 68-100 (50.68) feet; and northwesterly on lots one and two in said block one hundred (100) feet. Containing 5,068 square feet. Also lot numbered fourteen (14) in Section one of Block four, as shown on the plan above referred to, bounded, seventy-six and 57-100 (76.57) feet on Beale street; eighty-eight and 12-100 feet (88.12) on Winthrop avenue; ninety (90) feet on lot numbered thirteen (13) in said Section; one hundred (100) feet on lot numbered fifteen (15) in said Section. Containing 7,793.9 square feet. Also a certain parcel bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the northeasterly corner of lot eleven in Block one of Section four on a plan drawn by D. Granger and Son recorded with said Deeds and running westerly along said avenue one hundred (100) feet; thence westerly and northwesterly following the curving line of said avenue ninety-three (93) feet to Webster street; thence still northwesterly by Webster street fifty and 6-10 (50.6) feet to lot number eight in said block; thence southwesterly by said lot eight one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence turning and running southeasterly one hundred and ninety-one (191) feet; thence northeasterly thirty-nine (39) feet; thence more easterly one hundred ninety-three (193) feet to lot number twelve (12) in said Block; thence northerly by said lot twelve one hundred and thirty (130) feet to the point of beginning. Containing 46,048 square feet more or less. Being lots numbered nine, ten and eleven in said Block one. Also lot E, Block one, Section one, on a plan of land of the Wollaston Land Associates by Whitman and Breck or revised by them, duly recorded with said Norfolk Deeds. Also a parcel of land in Block 14, Section 6, on said plan situated on Central avenue and Belmont street being the fourth and last parcel described in the deed of Moses Fairbanks et al, Trustees to Frank P. Partridge, recorded with said Deeds, Book 533, page 221. Also lots six (6) and nine (9) in Block One of Section Two of Lands of the Wollaston Land Associates, as shown on a plan of said block drawn by Whitman and Breck and recorded with said Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 532. Said lot six is bounded southwesterly on Central avenue sixty-six and 6-10 (66.6) feet; northwesterly on lot five (5) on said plan one hundred thirty-four (134) feet; northeasterly on Belmont street sixty-seven (67) feet; and southeasterly on lots seven and eight on said plan one hundred and twenty-seven (127) feet. Containing 8,691 square feet. Said lot nine is bounded southwesterly by Central avenue sixty and 5-10 (60.5) feet; northwesterly on land conveyed to Lafreniere one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet; northeasterly on Belmont street sixty (60) feet; and southeasterly on lot ten (10) on said plan one hundred and nineteen (119) feet. Containing 7,320 square feet. Or however otherwise bounded, measured or described. Being the same premises conveyed to me" (said George M. McCallar) "by two deeds,—one of Homer F. Hunt dated January 9, 1901, and recorded with said deeds, Book 902, page 192; and one of Frank P. Partridge dated July 17, 1901, and recorded with said deeds, Book 901, page 133, except one lot, being the last lot described in said deed of Hunt, which has been conveyed by me" (said George M. McCallar) "to Mabel S. Soule; and meaning and intending hereby to convey everything conveyed to me" (said George M. McCallar) "by said two deeds (with said exception) whether herein correctly described or not."

One of said parcels has however, been heretofore released from the operation of said mortgage, to wit, viz:—Lot numbered three (3) in Block G of Section 6, as above described; and said lot will therefore not be included in said sale.

The premises will be sold subject to the restrictions mentioned or referred to in said two deeds of Hunt and Partridge, respectively, above described, in so far as the said restrictions are now in force; and subject also to any and all tax sales and to any and all unpaid taxes.

Five hundred dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms may be then announced.

EMMA EAMES STORY, Mortgagee.

Burrage & Hayden, attorneys, 84 State street, Boston, Mass.

Jan. 7, 3w

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George W. Patten to George A. Fisher, trustee under the will of Betsy Tucker, dated January 1, 1898 recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 809, fol. 598, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on THURSDAY, the ninth day of February, A. D., 1905, at three o'clock in the afternoon all the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows: A certain parcel of land situated in that part of the City of Quincy in the County of Norfolk called Atlantic, being the lot numbered three hundred ninety two on a plan of "Norfolk Downs" by Charles D. Elliot dated April, 1892, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book of Plans No. 14, plan No. 640 and bounded and described as follows, viz: Southwesterly by Royal street fifty feet; northwesterly by lot No. 391 on said plan one hundred feet; northeasterly by lot No. 394 on said plan fifty feet; Southeasterly by lot No. 393 on said plan one hundred feet. Containing 5000 square feet of land be all of said measurements and area more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to said George W. Patten by Robert Treat Paine, Jr., et. al., trustees by instrument dated December 23d, 1897 duly recorded. The premises will be sold subject to the restrictions in said deed contained.

Said premises will also be sold subject to any tax sales, unpaid taxes or municipal liens or assessments whatsoever.

Terms,—$50 in cash to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

DUDLEY TALBOT,
Present Trustee under the will of Betsy Tucker, mortgagee.

CHARLES GASTON SMITH, Solicitor,
2343 Washington Street.

Boston, January 4, 1905. 3w 14 21-28

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in the estate of

MARY JANE MARDEN,

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, William M. Marden, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the eighth day of February, A. D. 1905, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Patriot, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

Jan. 7. 3w

Sheriff's Sale.

NORFOLK, SS. January 3, 1905.

Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction on MONDAY, February 6th, A. D. 1905, at twelve o'clock M, at Room 1, No. 1433 Hancock street, in Quincy in the County of Norfolk, all the right, title and interest which Wilbur F. Lakin of Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment and levy by execution) on the first day of August, A. D 1903, at seven o'clock A. M. (being the time the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following described real estate, viz:

FIRST—A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon in said Quincy bounded southerly by Third street, 17 rods; easterly by land now or formerly of Souther and of the heirs of Nathaniel White, and on the Boland Meadow, so-called now or formerly belonging to J. Q. Adams, 20 rods; northerly on the river, 14 rods; westerly on land now or formerly of said Souther, 20 rods; being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 441, Page 37.

SECOND—Also a certain parcel of land, in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on Willard street at the easterly corner of said premises, thence running northeasterly on land now or formerly of Samuel Babcock, 865 feet; thence turning and running northwesterly 442.75 feet; thence turning and running southwesterly 516.5 feet; thence turning and running southeasterly 171.75 feet; thence westerly 140 feet to said Willard street; thence southeasterly along said Willard street 599.5 feet, to the point of beginning, containing 9 3-4 acres, more or less, and being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 918, Page 1?7.

THIRD—Also a certain parcel of land, in said Quincy, bounded northwesterly by Robertson street, 100 feet; northeasterly by land belonging now or formerly to the estate of J. W. Robertson, 166 5 feet; southeasterly by other land now or formerly of said Robertson Estate, 100 feet; northwesterly by land now or formerly of M loney, 166.5 feet; containing 16,650 square feet more or less, and being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 948, Page 127.

D. EDWARD BEEDE,
Deputy Sheriff.

Jan. 7 3w

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BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

There is no diminution in interest or attendance at the Tremont theatre, where George Ade's "The County Chairman" still continues. Last week marked the twenty-fifth performance of this comedy in Boston, and although the patronage would indicate that the play might remain here for some time to come, the bookings elsewhere prevent a continuance of its local season, and the last two weeks of the engagement are announced. Mr. Ade's play has proven one of the most enjoyable treats of the midwinter season, and its humorous episodes, breezy features, and happily put satire, has proven interesting to lovers of laughter. It is enough to add that the play is admirably presented by a most effective cast, and honors are divided between Maclyn Arbuckle as the County Chairman, and Willis P. Sweatnam as an impecunious darky, Grace Fisher as a simpering and flirting milliner, Edwin Chapman as the village oracle, Rose Beaudet as a domineering wife. Aside from the laughable incidents of "The County Chairman," there is a wealth of color in its presentation, and the spectacular side of the campaign is depicted in a succession of big scenes in which hundreds of people are employed. Wednesday and Saturday matinees will be continued during this week.

—The new Bath Iron Works Company has been incorporated for $500,000,

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 1905.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.		Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Full Sea. Eve	Moon rises.
Saturday,	Jan 14,	7 11	4 35	5.15	5 30	12.26 A.M
Sunday,	" 15	7.11	4 37	6 00	6 30	1.24 "
Monday,	" 16,	7.11	4.38	7 00	7 30	2.23 "
Tuesday,	" 17,	7 10	4.39	7.45	8 15	3.23 "
Wednesday,	" 18,	7 09	4.40	8.45	9 15	4 22 "
Thursday,	" 19,	7 09	4.44	9.30	10 00	5.21 "
Friday,	" 20,	7.08	4.43	10.15	10.45	6 15 "

Full Moon, Jan. 21, 2.14 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of month for three years:

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1904.	In 1903.	In 1900.
Sunday,	32	49	27	37	46
Monday,	36	45	33	18	24
Tuesday,	45	34	32	26	43
Wednesday,	30	14	30	36	25
Thursday,	38	23	33	31	37
Friday,	32	21	42	21	34
Saturday,	—	50	39	26	31

Notes and Comments.

The prominence of those announced to take part in the mock court trial ensures a great treat for all who attend. A breach of promise suit is always interesting and this will be no exception.

There is a saying that you cannot teach an old dog new tricks and it is also true that a veteran fireman of years ago cannot give an up-to-date firemen of today many points.

The fire losses of the year 1904 in the country aggregated $252,364,050, nearly $100,000,000 above all the recent years, and a record breaker. Quincy was fortunate and has been for many years. It is not all luck either, for the city has a remarkably good department for its size.

The supply of granite in Quincy seems to be inexhaustible, when over sixty-six thousand tons are shipped annually. This is the record both for 1903 and 1904, last year exceeding 1903 by over thirteen hundred tons. This part of the world should be getting lighter.

It is prompt work that counts in the Police department as well as the Fire department. This was strikingly illustrated in the work of the police on the night of the Pierson burglary. Had they waited until sunrise there would have been very little chance of making an arrest. Now a Boston fellow is held for the grand jury.

In Switzerland children's fares on the railroads are regulated by height instead of age, and a machine for registering height is found in every ticket office. This contains a suggestion for the public schools which at every new session seat a surprising number of children cautiously insistent that they are five years of age when their size proclaims them to be below the school age.

Changes seem to be the order of the day in city officials this year, and ex-Mayors are taking back seats. With its new chairman it is probable that the School Committee and the City Council will be more harmonious, not alone on High school enlargement, but annual appropriations. We believe it will be the aim on the part of Chairman Hallowell, and the City Council should meet him half way.

Most people, especially women, would be glad to live by the judgments of others if they could find out what they are. Mrs. Van Vorst has written a weak book berating the modern club woman. Mrs. Charlotte Perkins Stetson Gilman has written a witty one denouncing the home and its stultifying influence on character. Jail or the whipping post it seems the only refuge between this Scylla and Charybdis of modern thought.

Legislative Committees.

The speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives evidently believes that Quincy is not only a strong No-License town, but it has a mortgage on a place on the committee on Water Supply, for Representative Nicoll's only committee appointment is on that committee, so ably filled in the two preceding years by Representative Fallon. But Mr. Nicoll is of the majority party and should have had something better.

Representative Freeman fared well. He is again House Chairman of the Committee on Harbors and Public Lands, it being the third year he has been on this committee. Mr. Freeman also has a place on the House Committee on Rules, one of the most important committees of the Legislature.

Representative Hilliard from Braintree has been appointed on the joint standing Committee of the Legislature on Taxation, and Representative Barnes of Weymouth on the House committee on Engrossed Bills, and a member of the joint committee on Public Lighting.

Senator Nevin of Weymouth who represents this district, is a member of several important committees. He is chairman of the Committee on Printing, a member of the Public Service committee and the Railroad committee.

Senator Cummings of Brookline, the other Norfolk county senator, is a member of the Senate Judiciary committee, chairman of the Street Railway committee, and a member of both the Labor and the Library committee.

Representative Pierce of Milton is upon important committees: the House Judiciary, and chairman of the House Committee on Elections.

Granite Shipments.

Returns from the granite shipments from the three railroad terminals for December show the amount shipped to have been 10,584,650 pounds. Of this amount South Quincy forwarded 6,001,985 pounds; West Quincy, 4,638,025 pounds, and the Quarry railroad 1,944,640 pounds.

The total shipments for the year 1904 were 135,352,826 pounds against 132,728,120 pounds for 1903, an increase of 2,624,706 pounds or 1,312 tons.

The amounts shipped from each terminal during year 1904 were as follows:

South Quincy, 54,234,353 pounds.
West Quincy, 57,473,649 pounds.
Quarry railroad, 23,644,824 pounds.

L. A. Chapin, the newsdealer, is to occupy one of the new stores in the new Faxon block on Granite street as a wholesale store. Newsboys will make up their bundles and start from there and the bundles sent to the different newsdealers will also be dispatched from the new rooms. This work is now done in the rear room of his store in the Welch block. The other new store will be occupied by Fostello, the fruit man.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, Jan. 11, 1905.

Good feeling exists at present between the executive and the legislative departments and thus the session makes a gratifying beginning. Republicans and democrats are disposed to play fairly with each other and to make the test of their appeal to public support their genuine capacity for public service rather than any expert skill in putting each other in a hole. The republicans would have the advantage of numbers, but the democrats might thereby gain a corresponding advantage in an appeal to popular sympathy and a sense of justice. But there is a friendly disposition. Mr. Ward of Buckland, house chairman of the committee on ways and means, let it be known that he would like to have a conference with the governor regarding the state's finances. In an unofficial way, just as his remark was through an unofficial channel, came an invitation from Gov. Douglas to call at the executive chamber when convenient, for the governor would like to talk with him. There is need of harmony and friendly consultation upon the finances, for, as the governor said in his message, there must be a heavier state tax than for a long time and it is for the legislature to see what measures of economy can be practiced. It looks as if the days of a low state tax were forever passed. The transfer to the state of the support of the insane poor means more than $1,000,000 permanently put upon the state which was formerly paid by the cities and towns and the latter will save it, though the distribution of the expense will be different from what it was under municipal management. But there are constantly increasing state expenses as the state grows and the clothes which fitted the boy will not suit the man.

Secretary Olin has issued the annual report on vital statistics and kindred matters. In 1903 the whole number of divorces granted was 1721, or 241 more than in the year before, 345 more than in the year before that, and 725 more than the average per year for the previous 20 years, thus rapidly is the divorce evil increasing in the state. In 1884 the marriage rate per 1000 people was 18.15 and the number of divorces was 614, or the ratio of one divorce to 28 marriages. In 1903 the marriage rate had dropped to 17.90 per 1000 persons, the divorces increased to 1721, or one divorce to every 15.6 marriages. The divorce rate last named is the highest in the 20 years, but the lowest was in 1890, when it was one to every 31.9 marriages. The number of marriages in 1903 was 26,940, or more than in any other year, but the rate was less than in some years, though it stood one marriage to every 56 people, against one to every 57 the year before, 58 in 1899 and 60 in 1898. The rate was 0.42 greater than the average for the decade and the number of persons married was the largest on record. The number of men under 20 years who were married was 1.9 per cent of the whole.

The average of the men marrying for the first time was 27.5 and of the women marrying for the first time, 27.7 years. There were four women married of less than 14 years of age, and seven of the men were only 16 years old. There was one fifth-marriage of a man, but the highest record for a woman was a fourth-marriage, of which there were four. Marriage rates per 10,000 of population compare as follows with foreign countries, all of the records being of 1900 or later, except that the figures for Russia are for 1897: Massachusetts, 90; Hungary, 88; Germany, 82; Austria, 82; Italy, 72; France, 79; Holland, 76; Switzerland, 70; United Kingdom, 79; Belgium, 81; Russia, 91; Norway, 76; Sweden, 60; Spain 88.

The death rate for 1903 was 16.34 per 1000, which is unusually low. Mortality from consumption is declining. In 1875 it was 34.7 per 10,000; in 1880, it was 30.8; in 1885, it was 30.7; in 1890, it was 25.9; in 1895, it was 21.9, and in 1900, it had dropped to 18.5, which is the last census year, showing the population. The mortality from pneumonia was 4293 in 1903, or 290 fewer than in the year before. There were 519 deaths from whooping cough, or 182 more than in the year before.

It was a very lively democratic caucus this afternoon after the session of the legislature. Senators and representatives were both present, and Representative Skerrett of Worcester was chairman. The main question was whether they should nominate two candidates, one for the long term and one for the short term, or whether they should show a non-partisan feeling and vote for Senator Crane without making any nomination against him. There was quite a feeling against Senator Lodge, though it is said that Representative Martin Lomasney of Boston, head of the democrats of the house, is really on such terms with Lodge as to try to secure the nomination of two candidates, so that there should seem to be no discrimination against Lodge by the democracy. Some of the members,—Messrs. Davis of Salem, Lord of Athol and Chrystal of North Adams, were positive that they should vote for Crane if they wanted to, and if the caucus undertook to intruct them, they would go out. Notwithstanding, a motion was made to instruct, but it called out such a protest that the mover withdrew it. By a large majority they voted to support two candidates for the senate, and then they nominated W. A. Gaston for the long term and John R. Thayer of Worcester for the short term by 32 for him to 13 for ex-Mayor McNamee of Cambridge and smaller votes for Boutwell, Naphen and Crosby. It was a very lively caucus and tried Skerrett's parliamentary skill, but he did the correct thing. The election will occur at 2.30 P. M. next Tuesday, and at 12 o'clock Wednesday they will have a joint convention to compare notes. Of course the republicans, who will nominate Lodge and Crane tomorrow forenoon, will elect them easily. There is a democratic prediction today that Crane will get 30 democratic votes.

A new phase of anti-corporation activity has broken out this year, that of providing that no corporation shall contribute any money for campaign of any party or candidate. If this proposition shall find any favor, it will require a further enforcement of the corrupt practices act, which has been in danger of losing some of the prestige which it had just after its enactment in 1892. One of the two bills which has been introduced, that of Mr. Davis of Plymouth, says that a fine of $5000 shall be put upon the corporation which breaks the law, and $1000 upon the person who is guilty of the crime, besides a liability to one year's imprisonment.

Several of the much expected measures have been introduced already, such as the bill to repeal the semi-colon law, the bill to prevent overtime work in factories when machinery has been stopped for repairs, the eight-hour bill for public employees and the bill to repeal the Boston police act. Regarding the latter, it looks as if the Curley incident had settled the fate of any repeal bill for this year, for the deliberate action of Boston in re-electing two criminals to office, when they were in jail for their crime, has set the feeling of the house against Boston as a whole, and it is argued with energy that the incident proves that Boston is unfit morally to govern itself, and that view seems likely to prevail.

There has been presented again the bill for a bicycle railway between Boston and Fall River by way of Quincy, Brockton and Taunton. E. Moody Boynton is kept as one of the incorporators, and the new bill permits the mortgaging of the patents to the state for $1,000,000. James F. Shaw drops from the list of incorporators.

Rule.

Twenty-fifth Anniversary.

Jan. 6th the hospitable doors of the Morse home on Goffe street again swung wide open, the occasion this time being the observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of the host and hostess. Twenty five years ago Mr. Joseph C. Morse of Quincy and Miss Ethel E. Seavey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilman S. Seavey of Boston, were united in marriage in Boston by Rev. Daniel Munro Wilson, pastor of the First church of Quincy. Since their marriage they have resided in Quincy, constantly added new friends to their list, until now their friends are legion as was shown at their reception Friday evening, the spacious rooms being filled throughout the evening with those desiring to extend congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Morse received in the parlor and were unassisted. The guests were ushered by their two sons, Joseph C. Morse, Jr., and Edwin M. Morse, assisted by Walter S. McKenzie, George D. Follett, Morris H. Litchfield, Lowell M. Baker and Phillips Rogers.

Cuff's orchestra played continuously in the upper hall, while in the dining room Cook, the caterer, served salads, ices and coffee.

Mrs. Morse wore a beautiful dress of white satin, and looked like a veritable bride. It was impossible to believe she had been married twenty-five years, but she was quite young when married. At the golden wedding she will be ready to think of getting old.

So substantial were the testimonies of their friends that a room was reserved for the beautiful gifts of silver and flowers.

Among the guests were Rev. and Mrs. Wilson of Northfield, besides friends from neighboring towns, and business friends of Mr. Morse.

Mr. and Mrs. Morse invited all to come again twenty-five years hence. The reception was a delightful affair as was the one which they gave a few weeks ago in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Morse, Jr., who followed in the footsteps of their parents and married young.

School Committee Meeting.

The annual meeting of the School Committee was held Tuesday evening. The meeting was signalized by the retirement of Charles H. Porter as chairman of the board, after nine years' service, and the election of Dr. H. C. Hallowell as chairman.

Messrs. Miller, Peirce and Hunting were absent when the meeting was called to order.

Chairman Porter presided, and after thanking the board for the confidence expressed in him in the past by electing him chairman, he desired to state that he was not a candidate for reelection.

On the first ballot for chairman Dr. Hallowell had four votes and F. H. Smith one. As five votes were necessary to elect there was no choice.

A second ballot gave Dr. Hallowell five votes and Mr. Smith one and Dr. Hallowell was elected as chairman.

A resolution was then adopted thanking Mr. Porter for his services as chairman of the board for the past nine years.

Chairman Hallowell upon taking the chair thanked the board for its courtesy and promised his best efforts.

Frank E. Parlin was re-elected secretary and superintendent.

Charles H. Johnson was re-elected truant officer and census taker.

The resignation of Miss Emily N. Rogers of the Gridley Bryant school was accepted, to take effect Jan. 20.

The Hospital Aid Association was granted the use of High School hall one evening in January.

It was announced that W. C. Caldwell had been appointed temporary janitor of the Coddington school during the illness of Janitor Brown.

The following calendar was adopted for the year:

First term,—Monday, Jan. 2, to Friday, April 14.

Second term,—Monday, April 24, to Friday, June 30.

Elementary schools close Thursday, June 22.

Grammar school graduation,—Friday, June 23.

High school graduation,—Wednesday, June 28.

Third term,—Monday, Sept. 11, to Wednesday, Dec. 20.

New Year,—Tuesday, Jan. 2, 1906.

Dr. Hallowell the new chairman of the School Committee was first elected to that board in 1895, when he was the choice of both parties as a member from Ward One. He has served continually on the board since that time as a member at large, being the choice of both parties.

Dr. Hallowell was born in Bangor, Me., where he fitted for college. He was graduated from Colby University and the Hahnemann Medical college of Chicago. He taught school at Methuen, Chicopee Falls and Gloucester.

He first practised medicine in Auburn, Me., coming to Quincy from there in 1889.

During the war he served in Co. A. an unattached Maine regiment. He was made Inspector of Milk in 1894 and served continuously in that capacity until the advent of Mayor Bryant. He is a member of Paul Revere Post, 88, G. A. R., and the Granite City club.

Sunday Evening Services.

Beginning January 15, there will be a series of Sunday evening services held in the Universalist church on Washington street, Quincy, the speakers and subjects to be as follows:

Jan. 15,—The Rev. D. M. Hodge, D. D.; Subject: "The Layman and the Church."

Jan. 22,—The Rev. F. W. Hamilton, D. D. Subject: "Jesus, the Saviour of Mankind."

Jan. 29,—The Rev. Charles Conklin, D. D. Subject: "The Incentives to a Religious Life."

Feb. 5,—The Rev. Francis A. Gray. Subject: "The Simple and Strenuous Life, Refined and Reconciled."

Feb. 12,—The Rev. Richard E. Sykes.

Feb. 19,—The Rev. W. H. Morrison; Subject: "The Good Examples of Bad Men, the Bad Examples of Good Men."

The N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad has dropped the age limit of 35 years on the employment of new men, and will employ good men regardless of the age limit as announced in Boston at the meeting of railroad trainmen.

Taxes and Loans.

The order of Chairman Bass of the Finance Committee, adopted by the City Council this week, for an investigation of the uncollected taxes, should be productive of good.

In the summary below the amounts uncollected Jan. 1, 1904, of the taxes of different years, were taken from the report of the Tax Collector for 1903, and the sums collected on these taxes were taken from the report of the City Treasurer for the year 1904, dated Dec. 31, 1904.

	Uncollected Jan. 1, 1904.	Collected During 1904.
Tax of 1894,	$1,062.75	$14.32
Tax of 1895,	4,327.27	19.20
Tax of 1896,	3,644.33	21.35
Tax of 1897,	3,261.53	64.24
Tax of 1898,	3,798.29	157.90
Tax of 1899,	5,721.95	536.20
Tax of 1900,	4,933.62	954.93
Tax of 1901,	10,115.16	4,147.63
Tax of 1902,	80,542.44	74,231.20
Tax of 1903,	173,554.23	139,560 65
	$290,961.57	$219,707.62

Loyal Ladies.

At a largely attended meeting of the Loyal Ladies, held Tuesday evening, the following officers were installed:

Ex-President,—Margaret Stronach.
President,—Margaret Pierce.
Vice President,—Mary Daly.
Chaplain,—Alice Findlay.
Rec. Secretary,—Christina Raleigh.
Fin. Secretary,—Jennie Fyfe.
Treasurer,—Mary Peters.
Conductor,—Emma Mainock.
Assistant Conductor,—Margaret J. Michael.
Inside Guard,—Margaret S. Michael.
Outside Guard,—Susan Tyler.
Trustees,—Fanny Wood, Mary Morrison, Annie Troup.

After the installation, coffee, sandwiches, ice cream and cake were served. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing and singing.

Sunday School Officers.

After faithful service of twelve years, A. D. Albee declined a reelection on Wednesday evening, at the annual meeting of the Wollaston Baptist Sunday School. The decision was received with regret, and a vote of thanks extended. The election resulted in the choice of the following officers.

Superintendent,—J. Arthur Sparrow.
Assistant Superintendent,—Harry Burgess.
Secretary and Treasurer,—O. A. Blaisdell.
Librarian,—Howard Battison.
Superintendent of Home Department,—Mrs. A. D. Albee.
Superintendent of Primary Department,—Mrs. C. B. Hill.
Auditor,—George A. Brown.
Musical Director,—A. D. Albee.

A supper by the junior Christian Endeavor Society was served previous to the meeting.

Swedish Lutherans.

The annual meeting of the Swedish Lutheran church was held Thursday evening. Reports of the various officers were received, the treasurer's report showed that during the year, the sum of $800 of the church indebtedness had been paid. There were some outstanding bills for running expenses during the year, and a committee was appointed to raise the necessary funds to pay them.

These officers were elected;

Deacons,—August Vilen and Edward Ekblom.
Trustees,—Axel Nordin, Neil Carlson and Theodore Sahlsten.
Janitor,—August Johnson.
Organist,—Emma Witen.

Strayed from Home.

The young lady found asleep in the Wollaston depot, Wednesday evening, proved to be the 20-year old daughter of Don Gleason Hill of Dedham. Miss Hill left her home early that morning and when she did not return at noon the family became alarmed and search was instituted. No trace of her was found until word was received from the Quincy police that she was in Quincy.

Miss Hill was found asleep in the Wollaston depot about 8.30 that night. She was awakened and taken to a restaurant and after being given a supper was sent to the police station. Here it was learned who she was and her friends notified. She must have walked ten miles or more. She was an inmate of a sanitarium some years ago.

Better Service.

The extra car service on the Quincy Point line went into effect last Saturday and as it was a particularly stormy morning, it was appreciated.

Under the present arrangement the extra car leaves Quincy so as to follow the 6.25 from Quincy Point, making two cars on that trip.

The extra car then waits over until 7.10 when it begins its regular trips, leaving Quincy at 10 and 40 minutes past the hour until 9.40 Returning, the car leaves Quincy Point at 7.35 and every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 10.05.

The car is then pulled off and does not go on again until afternoon, beginning its trips at 3.10, and continuing until 8.10 which is the last trip down for the extra. Returning, the car leaves Quincy Point at 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 8.35.

Granite Cutters' Conference.

Delegates from the principal granite centres throughout the country were in town last week, and held daily conferences at the headquarters of the National Granite Cutters' Union, with Secretary Duncan.

The object of the conference is said to be a revision of the constitution and by-laws.

Among the delegates present were: R. A. Browne of Concord, N. H.; Fred Bruce of Barre, Vt.; Thomas J. Lyons of Vinal Haven, Me.; Fred L. Hoenes of Denver, Col.; Charles Delaney of New York city; and Thomas Mayena of Philadelphia.

Quincys Lose.

Although the lowest score of the Old Colony league on Thursday evening was 417 Quincy lost two out of three to the South Braintree team. The games were bowled on the Granite street alleys at Quincy and the home team won the first game by 12 pins. The visitors took the last two by scores of 435 to 417, and 440 to 428. Stetson of the South Braintree team had the best three string total.

The Quincy Point team went to Weymouth and won the first game by 4 pins through superior work by Lyons. The Weymouth boys won the last two by 29 and 40 pins respectively. Connell of the home team led on singles and totals.

The Holbrook team journeyed to East Weymouth and for two games it was close, the home team taking the first by 15 pins and the visitors the second by 8 pins. Then the home team took a brace which seemed to weaken the visitors and the result was 455 to 377, a crushing blow for the Holbrooks.

Q. Y. C. Banquet.

Probably the best dinner that the Quincy Yacht club ever enjoyed, and one that is seldom excelled, was served at the Revere House, Boston. Thursday evening. The cuisine was perfect, the supply generous, and the service excellent.

The members gathered between 6 and 7 in one of the parlors and renewed old times, and made the acquaintance of Sumner H. Foster of Brookline, the guest of the evening. Mr. Foster is the new Norfolk Commissioner who assumed office this week, but the fact that he is an enthusiastic yachtsman pleased the club men better.

Music of a high order was furnished during the reception and dinner, under the direction of A. H. Handley, and was enthusiastically applauded.

The program was as follows:

March, "Uncle Sammy,"	Holzman
Overture, "Lustpiel,"	Kela Bela
Waltz "Folle Ivresse,"	Waldteufel
Selection, "Woodland,"	Luders
Entre' Acte, "Ballet from Coppelia,"	Delibes
Popular Melange	
Grand Fantasia, "America,"	Bendix

Commodore Sheppard opened the postprandial exercises, by welcoming members and guests, and regretting that it was usually stormy on the date of the annual dinner.

Sumner H. Foster, the vice president of the Massachusetts Yacht Racing Association, was first introduced, and spoke at length on yachting in general, particularly the rules governing racing, and the efforts of the New York club to get a rule whereby cruising yachts will have some chance. He thought Massachusetts yachtsmen were fortunate in having an association which could make uniform rules, arrange dates which would not conflict, etc.

Mr. Foster's personal experiences as a yachtsman were interesting, and also his knowledge relative to fishing in Canadian waters, the seizure of yachts, etc. Those assembled also endorsed his statement that it was good fellowship which added greatly to the sport of the yachtsmen. [Applause.]

Ex-Commodore John T. Cavanagh of the Quincy Yacht club related some of his unpublished experiences as a yachtsman, covering a period of twenty years, in all kinds and sizes of boats. How the life boat was launched to rescue him on his first attempt. How he was caught in a fog one afternoon and sailed all night only to bring up at the same spot. How he once attempted to bring round the float at Houghs Neck, but instead went to Hull. His most thrilling experience was the recapture of his yacht from some Filipinos who held it for ranson.

Commodore Sheppard said these experiences recalled some on the Folly, when in her prime.

It then came out how W. J. Tilley of Houghs Neck experienced religion. He was the next speaker and told of his shipwreck while returning from New York last summer. Off Bridgeport, he said, he was rescued by a clergyman, who was yachting. Not only was his launch towed in, but one of his crew who was injured was taken in at the clergyman's home. The clergyman was very kind during his stay of a few days, and refused recompense, but Mr. Tilley agreed to furnish chance: light for the new church and has done so, and is enthusiastic over the clergyman.

Hon. John O. Hall, formerly Mayor of Quincy, was the next speaker and spoke interestingly of sailors and yachting.

Remarks by Vice Commodore F. F. Crane followed, to the effect that the Quincy Yacht Club was a live up-to-date organization and a racing club, and asking the members to keep up its standard and push it along.

D. C. Keith of Brockton thanked the committee and all connected for a most enjoyable evening.

On motion of Fleet Capt. George H. Wilkins a vote of thanks was given Sumner H. Foster, the guest of the evening, for his able and greatly appreciated address.

Commodore Sheppard spoke in closing on the dredging bill now in the legislature which will be appreciated by the yachtsmen at Houghs Neck.

Cheers for Sumner H. Foster and all the officers of the club were heartily given, ending by all adjourning to the reception room, singing "America" and disbanding.

Commodore E. W. Sheppard was at the head table with County Commissioner Sumner H. Foster of Brookline on his right and Vice Commodore F. F. Crane on the left.

The committee on the annual dinner were Vice Commodore F. F. Crane and Secretary H. W. Robbins, and the arrangements were very satisfactory.

The menu cards were adorned with photos of Commodore Sheppard's flagship, the Hutoka.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHNY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Preaching by the pastor. Free seats and every one invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Charles H. Emmons, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The Influence of Habit." Sunday School at 11.45. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock Preaching by the Rev. D. M. Hodge of Tufts college. Subject: "The Layman and the Church." The public is cordially invited to attend services.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. All welcome.

METHODIST CHURCH ATLANTIC, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "Timely Investments." The morning service will be devoted to the interest of the children. Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30 P. M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The Dilemma of Pilate."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue.—Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Truth." Golden Text: "My little children, let us not love in deed, neither in tongue; but in deed and in truth. And hereby we know that we are of the truth, and shall assure our hearts before him." 1 John 3:18-19. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings with gentlemen in attendance. All are welcome.

Hon. Henry F. Naphen of South Boston, the ex-Congressman from this district, had the misfortune on Saturday to fall on an icy sidewalk and fracture both bones of the left fore arm. It was the same arm he fractured a little over a year ago.

Probate Court.

Judge Flint held probate court for Norfolk County at Quincy, Wednesday and transacted the following business:

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Swan Swanson, late of Braintree, George N. Nordahl, executor; bond $1200.

Of Charles H. Belcher, late of Holbrook, Eliza J. Belcher executrix; bond $8000.

Of Elizabeth W. Andrus, late of Weymouth, Nelson W. Gardner executor; bond $5,000.

Of Elijah Hobart, late of Weymouth, Mary L. Hobart, executrix.

Of Mary S. Pope, late of Brookline, Edwin H. Pope and Truman R. Hawley, executors; bond $200,000.

Of Henry C. Wainwright, late of Milton, Francis C. Welch, executor; bond, $100,000.

Of Frank E. Sweetser, late of Brookline, Susan Sweetser, executrix; bond, $600,000.

Of Mary Wakeman, late of Brookline, Clara A. Brown, executrix; bond, $300.

Of Hannah A. Kelly, late of Brookline, Elizabeth M. Kelly, executrix.

TRUSTEES.

Arthur Billings was appointed trustee of certain estate of Mary R. Billings late of Quincy, for the benefit of Arthur, Sherward and Henry Billings; bond, $75,000.

Philander Bates was appointed trustee of certain estate of Abraham H. Tower, late of Cohasset; bond, $7,000.

Augustus P. Loring and Theron A. Appolonio were appointed trustees of estate of Harriet W. Blake late of Brookline; bond $25,000.

Prescott F. Hall was appointed trustee of estate of Ellen I. Chapman late of Brookline; bond $2000.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED

Maurice P. Spillane, on estate of Mary Maguire late of Hyde Park, bond $300.

Sumner Bagley, on estate of Fannie M. Bagley late of Norwood, bond $4000.

Hiram K. Bates, on estate of Jane M Burr late of Dedham, bond $2000.

Edward R. Nash, on estate of Fannie B. Nash late of Brookline; bond, $500.

Janet Morrison, on estate of William Morrison, late of Hyde Park; bond, $400.

Frederick P. Schneider, on estate of Hermine Schneider late of Lindenhurst, N. Y; bond, $1,000.

Lucy E. Larkin, on estate of Elias Larkin, late of Quincy; bond, $7,500.

Lydia F. Newell, on estate of Caroline K. Parker, late of Wrentham.

Hugh Cox, on estate of Nellie Cox, late of Hyde Park; bond, $2,000.

Grace E. Craig, on estate of Sarah W. Craig, late of Walpole; bond, $12,000.

William H. Cronan, on estate of Hannah E. Slattery, late of Medway; bond, $35,000.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First of Fred A. Perkins, executor of estate of Elias A. Perkins late of Quincy, for $15,841.30.

First of Rufus B. Tobey, conservator of Robert H. Harlow of Quincy, for $3,586.72.

First and final of Webster F. Crosby, administrator de bonis non of estate of Freeman G. Crosby late of Braintree, for $6,926.93.

First and final of Webster F. Crosby, executor of will of Charlotte B. Crosby late of Braintree, for $2,507.70.

First of Herbert F. French, administrator of estate of George M. French for $1038.10.

Twentieth of William I. Bowditch and Fred C. Bowditch, under will of Josephine J. Moody, for $187.78.

Twenty-fourth of William I. Bowditch, guardian of Frank C. Warren of Brookline.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

B. Herbert Woodsum, conservator of Charles M. Hobart of Braintree, was granted permission to sell real estate to the amount of $750.

Martha J. Sampson, executrix of will of Thomas W Sampson late of Braintree, was granted permission to sell real estate to the amount of $75.

Frank S. Norton, administrator of estate of Fannie A. Norton late of Hyde Park, was granted permission to sell real estate to the amount of $3500.

ADOPTION.

John A. Knowling was granted permission to adopt William Thomas Kain of Quincy.

The District Court.

The liquors seized from Charles Keegan of Weymouth, were forfeited.

Frank Morales was arraigned for drunkenness at Weymouth. Case continued until January 23.

Thomas M. Norman was arraigned for creating a disturbance on a street car at Quincy, and was fined $15.

James Devine was arraigned for drunkenness at Randolph. Case continued until Jan. 20.

Frederick E. Sanford was arraigned for assault at Milton He was held in $3000 until Jan. 16.

The continued case of Stefono Libertino, for drunkenness, was called. He was then arraigned on a complaint for disturbing the peace. The complaint for drunkenness was placed on file. He was sentenced to six months in the house of correction for disturbing the peace.

Stetorio Libertino was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Tuesday.

Paul Pauchenco and Anna Satama were arraigned for lewd behavior at Quincy. The affair was settled by their marriage in court by Court Officer Marden.

John Connelly was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Feb. 21.

Harry Driscoll was fined $5 for drunkenness at Cohasset.

The continued case of Simon Stone, for breaking and entering the store of Albert Pierson at Quincy came up and he was held in $1000 for the grand jury.

Ellen Davies was fined $75 for violation of the liquor law at Braintree.

Peter Aylward was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Jan. 30.

Patrick J. Sheehy of Weymouth was brought into court on a default warrant, and was fined $15 for drunkenness.

Thomas F. Bricken, who was sentenced to six months in the house of correction for larceny from the Fore River Co. and appealed, was brought into court and retracted his appeal and took his sentence.

John Flannery alias John Flanigan, John Googin alias John Barry, Edward Burke alias Edward Barry were arraigned for disturbing the peace at Weymouth. They were fined $3 each.

At Braintree on Saturday the basket ball team of Thayer academy defeated Cambridge Latin 22 to 21.

Births.

ROGERS—In Quincy Jan. 10, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers of Hancock street.

Marriages.

PREBLE—TURNER—In Malden, Dec. 21st, by Rev. E W. Preble, Mr. Frank H. Preble to Miss Annie M. Turner.

Deaths.

LEARY—In Quincy, Jan. 10, Mr. Carl F. Leary of Hall place, aged 20 years, 8 months and 7 days.

HARRINGTON—In Quincy, Jan. 7, Nathan P. Harrington of No. 1 Pearl street.

DIRNAN—In Quincy, Jan. 8, Mrs. Ellen, widow of Mr. Harris Dirnan of 30 Summer street, aged 79 years.

KENILEY—In Quincy, Jan. 6, Mrs Johanna Keniley, of South Walnut street, aged about 70 years.

BOWER—In Quincy, Jan. 6, Mr. Edward A. A. Bower, of 60 Old Coach road, aged about 31 years.

McNEIL—In West Quincy, Jan. 7, Mrs. Catherine, widow of Timothy McNeil of 30 Crescent street.

DUGGAN—In Atlantic, Jan. 7, Sarsfield, son of Mr. Cornelius and Mrs. Mary Duggan of 15 Minot street, aged 2 years.

MOORE—In Atlantic, Jan. 7, Mr. James A. Moore of 112 Water street, aged 50 years.

McCARTHY—In Atlantic, Jan. 7, Edmund, infant son of Mr. Dennis and Mrs. Mary McCarthy of 60 Hancock street, aged 4 months and 22 days.

McGOVERN—In Dorchester, Jan. 10, Mr. Michael McGovern, formerly of West Quincy, aged 38 years.

CULINAN—In Rockland, Me., Jan. 12, Mr. Jeremiah Culinan formerly of West Quincy, aged 59 years.

HOUGHTON—In Weymouth, Jan. 7, Mrs. Adeliza, wife of Mr. Oliver Houghton of Washington street, aged 79 years, 4 months and 4 days.

CROSBY—In Hingham, Jan. 7, Mrs. Lydia T., wife of Mr. Anson Crosby of Leavitt street, aged 69 years.

FRENCH—In Randolph, Jan. 8, Mrs. Sarah Eaton, widow of John Larnard French, aged 97 years, 5 months and 4 days.

RILEY—In Randolph, Jan. 7, Mrs. Ann Riley of North street.

DOYLE—In East Milton, Jan. 10, James, son of Mr. James and Mrs. Flora M. Doyle, aged 3 days.

DAMON—In Marshfield Hills, Jan. 10, Mr. Frederick N. Damon, aged 67 years.

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On and after Oct. 30, 1904, trains will run as follows:

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TO BOSTON Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
r *5 14	abcdefghi	5 42	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 27	cba	6 46 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	7 17	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 27	cba	8 49 r
r 7 43	abc	8 03	9 25	ihgfedcba	9 54 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 27	cba	10 49 r
r 8 13	abc	8 33	11 25	ihgfedcba	11 54 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 17	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 57	cba	1 19 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	1 27	cba	1 49 r
10.01	Exp.	10.17	1 57	cba	2 19 r
r 10 13	abc	10 33	2 27	cba	2 49 r
r 11 09	abcdefghi	11 37	2 45	Exp.	3 02
r 12 13	abc	12 33	3 27	cba	3 49 r
r 1 13	abc	1 33	4 12	a	4 31 r
r 1 43	abc	2 03	4 27	cba	4 49 r
r 2 13	abc	2 33	4 40	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 13	abc	3 33	5 15	a	5 34 r
r 3 43	abc	4 03	5 19	dba	5.40 r
r 4 13	abc	4 33	5 27	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 13	abc	5 33	5 46	ihgfedcba	6 15 r
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 57	cba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 15	da	6 36 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 27	cba	6 49 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	6 57	fedcba	7 23 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	9 27	cba	9 49 r
r 11 13	abc	11 32	10 27	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
			10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
			11 27	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

r 7 43	abc	8 03	6 24	ihgfdcba	6 52 r
8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
r 9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 08	abcdefghi	7 35	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdefghi	8 36	8 [illegible]	Exp.	9 00
r 10 18	abc	10 38	9 [illegible]	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
			10 28	cba	10 49 r

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 10.19 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 10.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.40 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY- 7.51 8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 10.24 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 8.16 10.16 A. M. 12.15 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

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QUINCY TO NEPONSET.

Via Hancock Street,—5.40 6.05 6.10 6.40 6.55 A. M. and every 10 25 40 and 55 minutes past the hour until 4.55 P. M., then every 10 and 40 minutes past the hour until 8.40 P. M. and 9.10 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7 30 A. M., and every minutes past the hour until 8.30 P. M., then 9.40 and 10.10 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.05 7.05 A. M., then every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 11.35 P. M.

NEPONSET TO QUINCY.

Via Hancock Street—6.05 6.15 6.40 7 7.10 and 7.45 A. M., then on the even hour and every 15 30 and 45 minutes past the hour until 5.15 P. M., then on the even hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then 10.30 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7.50 and 9 A. M., then on the even hour until 11 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.30 7.30 A.M., then on the even hour and half hour until 12 o'clock midnight.

Cars leaving on the even hour and half hour run through to Brockton and Weymouth Landing.

QUINCY TO NORTH WEYMOUTH.

5.45 6.05 6.20 6.50 7.50 A. M., then every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 11.20 P. M., Wednesdays and Saturdays 11.50 P. M., other nights 11.50 P. M, to Quincy Point only.

NORTH WEYMOUTH TO QUINCY.

6.20 6 50 7.05 7.20 7.50 A. M., then every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 11.50 P. M., Wednesday and Saturdays 12.50 P. M.

QUINCY TO BRAINTREE.

6.20 A. M. and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 10.50 P. M.

QUINCY TO EAST MILTON.

5.40 A. M. and every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 10.35 P. M., then 10.50 P. M.

EAST MILTON TO QUINCY.

6.10 A. M. then on the even hour and half hour until 11.30 P. M.

QUINCY TO WEYMOUTH LANDING.

5.20 5.55 6.30 6.55 A. M., then every 5 of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.55 P. M., then 10.55 P. M.

QUINCY AND HOUGHS NECK.

Leave QUINCY—Week Days—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A. M., 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 5.10, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P. M. Saturday night, 11.50 P. M., as far as there are passengers to go. Sundays—7.00 A. M. then on the even hour until 10.00 P. M., then 10.50 P. M.

Returning, leave HOUGHS NECK—Week Days—5.45, 6.40, 7.40, 8.30, 9.40, 10.40, 11.40 A. M, 12.40, 1.40, 2.10, 3.30, 4.50, 5.40, 6.40, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.30, 11.10 P. M.—Sundays—7.40 A. M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.30 and 11.10 P. M.

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We have purchased many copies of the World's Fair Albums, title "Louisiana Purchase Exposition," size 6 by 9 inches, cover in red and gold, containing 36 handsome half-tone views of St. Louis and the Exposition, and shall take pleasure in giving one to each subscriber to the Patriot, while they last, who calls and pays for one year's subscription, either in advance of arrears.

Poetry.

Winter Among the Hills.

On all the far, white mountain crests,
And all the silent vales below,
A glistening robe of glory rests,
Where sunshine falls upon the snow.

The sky above is white and cold,
And chilling winds about us blow;
But all the hills are touched with gold,
For sunshine falls upon the snow.

We look far on to wintry years;
(For years they quickly come and go,)
And glad with smiles, or dark with tears,
They soon will touch the hills of snow.

But brightly on that colder time,
Whence summer's bloom has passed away,
Will glow, amid the gathering rime,
The beauty of a winter day.

For on the snow-clad hills above,
And on the silent vales below,
Will rest the glory of God's love,
The sunshine falling on the snow.
—Old Colony Memorial.

Notes and Comments.

—A Congressman's wife was asked the other day if she didn't object to her husband gambling. "Oh, no," she said, "He almost always wins."

—If we are to believe the prognostications made by many of the financial reviews, the year 1905 will surpass in business prosperity that of the year just passed, and the tide of prosperity, which many had looked forward to as about to recede, may stay with us for some time longer. It would be very strange if there were not some reactions in certain lines of industry, but it is quite doubtful if these reactive periods last so long, or the depressions become so marked as has been the case in times past. The great industrial life of the country is really just begun to be developed, and promises to attain a growth hardly dreamed of by the most optimistic. And as the manufacturing industries have increased, so has the agricultural development of the great South and West kept pace, the result being that all classes of the country, both farmer and artisan, are sharing in the benefits that come with good crops and multiplying workshops. In only one department of manufacturing has New England experienced any serious setback, and that has been in the cotton manufacturing centres. The rapid fluctuation of the price of the staple, and for most of the time the prevalence of abnormally high prices for the same, have led to considerable curtailment, and in the case of Fall River to much suffering and loss of money.—Old Colony Memorial.

—In the recent hearings in the Smoot case at Washington, the testimony of numerous witnesses proved that polygamy is still practised among the Mormons in violation of the law and of the agreement made at the time Utah was admitted to statehood. When leading Mormons openly acknowledge that their allegiance to the laws and customs of their church takes precedence over that to the laws of the country, there should be no hesitancy as to the proper course to pursue.—Milford Gazette.

—On his return to France, Charles Wagner said: "I found President Roosevelt a man of lofty ideals and of simple but high purpose. As President of the United States I believe he is the greatest statesman on earth to-day. Our statesmen in France have to deal with only one race, but in America the lawmakers meet in a week men of more nations than are met here in a year. His task, therefore, is more difficult than the task of any ruler in Europe, and the way he has acquitted himself stamps him as the world's greatest statesman."

—A young Swedish girl just from the old country attended church at a Minnesota town and the pastor hastened to her with works of welcome and expressed a wish of calling on her soon. The girl blushingly hung her head and said,—"Tank you sir, but ay have a fellah."—Norwood Advertiser.

—The Roosevelt administration could perform no higher duty than to eradicate Mormornism. There is plenty of evidence that the Mormon holds allegiance to the church above allegiance to country. In the investigation pending in the United States Senate, August Lindstrom testified that in the oath of retribution, each person pledged himself to ask God to "avenge the blood of Joseph Smith upon this nation." Every citizen, Protestant, Catholic or infidel, must feel his blood boil whenever these enemies of the country flaunt their bestial and treasonable creed in the very face of the lawmaking power. The Christian people of this nation should not rest until this putrid sore is removed. Whether it is wealth, political pull or blackmail, surely the Mormon church has stood all too long, and it is time for the nation to inquire the reason why. If any other sect should undertake to set up an oligarchy within the confines of the United States, so utterly at defiance with the laws of the land, the prison doors would close on the traitors very speedily. Upon what meat doth this, our montrous crime, feed, that it hath passed governmental control?—Toledo Blade.

—It is announced that the N. Y. N. H. & H. railroad has decided to spend $2,225,000 for new equipment. The order includes 43 new frieght locomotives, 42 passenger locomotives of new design for use on some of the fast trains, chiefly those between New York and Boston; 15 switches to be used in various freight terminals of the company, 100 new passenger coaches to be used in the passenger service.

—The Boston Elevated Railway Company distributed $60,000 in gold among its employees, as New Year's gifts. It is obvious that the Russell Sages and the Hetty Greens have no voice in the management of that corporation.—Mansfield News.

—Last year in London nearly every man who committed murder paid the penalty of his crime. In this country convictions are obtained for only a small part of the murders committed. Possibly says the Brookline Chronicle, this in some degree explains the frightful increase of murders in this country.

—The Old Colony Memorial in printing some of the important events which happened 60 years ago last week, has the following item. "The Jail and House of Correction in this county have been without occupancy since the 17th of December." Things must have been rather quiet in old Plymouth county in those days. No doubt the present occupants of the jail would be glad to leave there in a body and give history a chance to repeat itself.—Rockland Standard.

—Iowa has a boy who sees things upside down. In these times, however, this is not so remarkable, for we know of several bankers around Cleveland who have been standing on their heads for the last two years.—Norwood Advertiser.

—Governor Vardaman of Mississippi is the bete noire of a great many nice people here at the North. He has made himself very offensive, brutally so, in his talk about President Roosevelt and the Booker Washington lunch and other things of that sort. But this is only words, while in his deeds Gov. Vardaman has commanded the respect and the admiration of the whole nation. Today he stands as the one executive in the South who has done something decisive in the suppression of lynching and of crimes against the negro. When Gov. Vardaman entered office no one expected that he would lift a finger to save a negro from the clutches of the mob, yet in the first important case of the sort he had his militia in motion in no time, and the mob was no match for him. And he has suppressed the "white-cap" nuisance. When he became governor of Mississippi, several of the counties were cursed by night raiders, whose appearance and operations recalled the worst period of the Ku-Klux-Klan. The raiders terrorized negroes and committed criminal acts in driving the blacks from their homes. Beginning as a white farmer's society for the purpose of controlling labor aad of aiding in the enforcement of the law against the criminal negroes, the organization quickly degenerated into an anarchistic mob. It had to be put down, and Gov. Vardaman did it. He took the matter up in a practical way, employed detectives for months, and spent the State funds to uncover the crimes of the white league. Now one of the men convicted is sent to prison for life, and five others receive sentences of fifty years. It is a very hopeful sign of recuperation from the lawless and lynching malady afflicting some parts of the Southern country.—Boston Courier.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox, the noted writer, has done a great deal by her wisdom in prose and verse to make the American tolerable and even readable. Here is a sample: "Woman is rapidly pushing herself to a position where man will reward her with less consideration in her time of trial. This fact is already shown in public conveyances, where he is no longer solicitous for her comfort and health. One man gives a woman a seat in a crowded vehicle where a hundred sprang to their feet twenty years ago. It is the egotism, the vanity, the pity and the reverence in man which make him so much more sympathetic toward a woman criminal than toward a sinner of his own sex." These are truths that need to be spoken often.

—Provincetown is feeling happy over the prospect that the Pilgrim compact monument to commemorate the adoption at that place of the first charter of a free government in the history of the world, seems to be an assured fact. Only the small sum of $2500 remains to be raised before the $25,000 appropriated by the State will be available, this bringing the total amount up to $50,000. When this is secured, undoubtedly the bill now in Congress, to donate $40,000 for this object, will be passed, and the grand total will be spent in a lofty shaft to fittingly commemorate such a noteworthy event.—Old Colony Memorial.

—Rudyard Kipling has sailed for South Africa to spend four months at his home at Rose Bank, near Cape Town. This is the home presented to the author by his friend and admirer, Cecil Rhodes. He spends the months of January, February, March and April there every year.

Madam Tsilka in Quincy.

"The story of my captivity" was told by Madame Katerina Tsilka at Bethany church on Sunday before an immense audience, who came from all parts of the city, and also from Milton, Braintree and the Weymouths. The people were not disappointed, either, in what they heard. Mme. Tsilka was accompanied by her husband and baby Elentcha, and a young lady.

The story of the seizure of Miss Stone and Mme. Tsilka by brigands, and their captivity in the Balkian mountain in the winter of 1900-1901 is familiar to many, but it had new interest when told from the platform by one of the captives.

Mme. Tsilka was introduced by the pastor, Rev. E. N. Hardy, and related graphically in a fluent and interesting manner the particulars of their capture; their imprisonment in Balkian Mountain; the efforts of the brigands to secure ransom, treatment at the hands of their captors, the birth of the daughter on Jan. 4, 1901; its influence on the brigands; their superstitions; the initiation of members into the band of brigands; their appreciation of a little successful doctoring by Mme. Tsilka; the extension of time for payment of ransom; and their daily peril for months.

The baby was not prominent until near the close when Rev. Mr. Hardy stood her on the Bible and afterwards seated her there. She was very cute, and at the same time a lively little miss.

Monsieur and Madame Tsilka and little Elentcha held an informal reception at the close, and it was the pleasure of many to meet them.

A large collection was taken.

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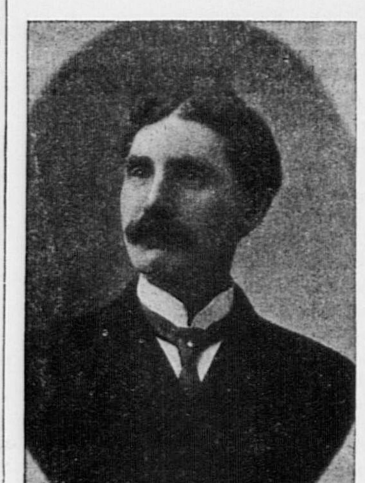
Supt. Parlin's Report.

The opening part of the annual report of Supt. Parlin to the School Committee is an exhaustive summary of the cost of Quincy for a period of 25 years, together with other cities having 5000 school children. The Quincy Patriot prints it in full.

It is the custom of land surveyors, especially in case of local attraction, to test the accuracy of their course and to guard against mistakes by taking "backsights." In imitation of their wisdom and caution it seems appropriate at the end of the third decade since the office of superintendent of schools was established in Quincy to take a brief backward view not only to see whence we have come and what was accomplished, but to consider the changed conditions and to discover the course of our present tendencies.



SUPT PARLIN.

The year 1875 marks the beginning of a new era in the history of the public schools of Quincy. In that year the schools were for the first time placed under expert supervision, Col. Francis W. Parker being employed as the executive agent of the School Committee. Then there were in use seven school buildings, all wooden structures without fire protection and without any modern means of heating, ventilation or sanitation. The average number of pupils in all the schools was 1,363, distributed as follows:—High, 60; Adams, 327; Coddington, 192; Quincy, 139; Washington, 202; Willard, 355; Wollaston, 88. There were 36 teachers, 6 men and 30 women, a ratio of 1 to 5; and the average number of pupils to a teacher was 38.

There were no special teachers of music, drawing, sewing, nature study, or cooking. The High school course was only three years in length and there were no evening schools; and yet the average cost per pupil based upon the average membership was higher than for any year during the last decade, being $23.46, and the average cost per pupil for books, supplies and sundries was $1.39 notwithstanding the fact that the free textbook law was not passed until 1884.

Today there are 13 school buildings in use besides two rooms leased in the Quincy district. Of these 8 are substantial brick structures, 10 are equipped with modern means of heating, ventilation and sanitation, 1 is without means of ventilation, and the other 2 are entirely unfit for school use. The average number of pupils last November was 5,619 of which 643 were in the High school. There are 137 regular teachers; 4 special teachers of music, drawing, sewing and cooking; and 9 assistants, or 150 in all, of whom 15 are men and 135 women, a ratio of 1 to 9, showing that relatively the number of men in the teaching corps has greatly decreased. At the ratio of 1875 there would now be 25 men.

The average number of pupils assigned to a teacher is 41, an increase of three. This seems an insignificant number but, if the average number of 1875 were re-established, it would require 11 more teachers and over $5,000 in salaries, items not so insignificant. The High school has a membership more than ten fold that of 1875, its course of study is a third longer, offering three times as many subjects together with laboratory advantages, and yet the per capita cost in this school is over $15 less than it was thirty years ago.

The average annual cost per pupil for the decade beginning 1875 was $21.95, and the average cost for books, supplies and sundries was $1.76 per pupil, although the period included but one year of free text books and supplies.

It was during this decade that Quincy acquired a national reputation for the excellence of her schools. In 1879 there were only 18 cities and towns in the commonwealth and only 3 in Norfolk county which spent more per pupil for education than she did. In 1903 there were 164 cities and towns in the commonwealth and 21 in Norfolk county which spent more for that purpose, thus clearly showing that in school expenses, at least, Quincy has fallen behind and that her appropriations have not kept pace with her increase in school population, nor with the improvement in educational advantages.

Table 1.

The following table grouped for convenience in making comparisons into periods of five years each shows:—1, the year; 2, the running expenses of the day schools including ordinary repairs; 3, the average membership of the schools; 4, the average cost per pupil, and 5, the average cost per pupil for books, supplies and sundries.

Whenever deficits or unpaid bills appear at the end of a year they have been added to the expenses of the years in which the obligations were incurred and subtracted from the expenses of the years in which they were paid.

1	2	3	4	5
1875	$31,986	1,363	$23.46	$1.39
1876	30,606	1,398	21.90	1.02
1877	31,926	1,436	22.23	1.56
1878	31,628	1,484	21.31	1.94
1879	33,798	1,551	21.79	1.80
		Average,	$22.14	$1.54
1880	33,401	1,643	20.32	1.40
1881	36,361	1,650	22.03	1.83
1882	39,197	1,779	22.03	1.90
1883	40,482	1,809	22.37	2.12
1884*	42,940	1,939	22.14	2.66
		Average,	$21.78	$1.98
1885	43,909	2,122	20.69	2.42
1886	46,932	2,208	21.26	2.65
1887	48,077	2,294	20.96	2.73
1888†	49,086	2,485	19.75	2.96
1889	53,872	2,619	20.56	2.39
		Average,	$20.64	$2.63
1890	63,016	2,698	23.36	2.70
1891	62,771	2,865	21.91	2.62
1892	68,090	3,035	22.43	2.33
1893	77,614	3,211	24.17	2.37
1894	77,128	3,418	22.57	2.28
		Average,	$22.89	$2.46
1895	80,809	3,635	22.23	2.26
1896	85,242	3,788	22.50	2.18
1897	94,571	4,033	23.45	2.30
1898	96,411	4,328	22.28	1.74
1899	98,983	4,405	22.47	1.71
		Average,	$22.59	$2.04
1900	104,520	4,705	22.21	1.65
1901	110,021	4,848	22.69	2.33
1902	108,732	4,948	21.98	1.84
1903	113,265	5,112	22.15	1.79
1904	114,045	5,283	21.59	
		Average,	22.12	

* Free textbook law passed.
† Expenses of only eleven months on account of change from town to city government.

As the data for 1888 cover only eleven months, including only nine of the ten school months, it is evident that the total expenses and the per capita cost at least are too small. These items for the year would have been about $51,000 and $20.76 respectively.

An examination of the above table shows that the average number of pupils in the public schools in 1904 was 3.88 times as many as in 1875 while the expenditures were only 3.48 times as large, or that the increase in expenditures fell 40 per cent. behind the increase in pupils. Had the expenditures in 1904 been at the same rate per pupil as they were in 1875 they would have amounted to $123,939, or $9,894 more than they were.

A comparison of the average cost per pupil in 1904 with that of thirty years ago shows a decrease of $1.87. In fact the per capita cost in 1875 was greater than for any year since 1893. As the cost in 1875 was unusually large and the cost in 1904 unusually small we shall get nearer the truth by taking the average annual cost per pupil for the first five years and for the last five years.

Such a comparison shows an actual decrease of two cents per pupil. During the same period the increase in the average per capita cost in the state has been $8.28 and in Norfolk county $11.42. This certainly does not show extravagance on the part of Quincy according to the standard of the commonwealth.

When one considers the modern construction and equipment of school buildings, the additional advantages offered in courses of instruction, the introduction of teachers of special subjects, the higher standards of professional training of teachers, the added expense of free textbooks and supplies, the marked increase in High school attendance, the introduction of laboratory methods of teaching, the general increase in living expenses and in salaries, he takes it for granted that schools should cost more today than they did thirty years ago.

With modern methods of heating and ventilating school buildings not only is the quantity of fuel largely increased but also the janitor expenses, because such systems require the services of licensed engineers. During the period under consideration janitor expenses have increased 367 per cent, while the total expenses have increased only 248 per cent, and yet our janitors are not over paid.

Again the membership of the High school has increased over 900 per cent, and this is by far the most expensive part of the school system, costing about twice as much per pupil as in the elementary grades, but the cost of our High school is exceptionally small, being about half as much per capita as it is in many of the city High schools of the state. The wonder is that in the schools of Quincy there should be a decrease in the average cost per pupil. There are several reasons for this. First, the salaries of teachers are very low; then the average number of pupils assigned to a teacher is large, averaging about 45 pupils to a room below the High school; again, the number of male teachers in the corps is relatively small; and, finally, in late years at least, the schools have often been inadequately equipped with apparatus and the pupils with books and supplies.

Curtailment here soon ceases to be true economy. It is like erecting an expensive manufactory, hiring operatives and furnishing raw materials but providing no machinery with which to work. The five years from 1890 to 1894 inclusive were the most expensive during the last thirty and they were far from excessive. Since 1897 there has been a gradual decrease in expenses.

As certain very erroneous and misleading statements in regard to the cost of books, supplies and sundries in Quincy as compared with the same items in other cities of the state, have been made in public by responsible persons, it seems appropriate to present the following table which has been compiled from data furnished directly from the school departments of the cities named. In order to find a common basis of reckoning all rent, repairs, furniture and salaries had to be eliminated as most cities do not include such items in their sundries account.

Table II.

The table presents statistics for the year 1903 of all the Massachusetts cities having less than 10,000 pupils and shows: 1, the average membership of the schools; 2, the average membership of the High school; 3, the average taxation cost per pupil, exclusive of repairs, based on the average membership; 4, the average cost per pupil including the amount raised by taxation and that received from special funds, such as the Rock Island fund in Quincy; 5, the average cost per pupil for books, supplies and sundries.

	1	2	3	4	5
Newton,	5,630	777	$ 6.33	$36.59	$3.29
Holyoke,	5,818	527	32.58	[illegible]	2.38
New Bedford,	8,193	436	31.41	31.70	3.35
Fitchburg,	3,893	444	31.06	31.22	2.31
Wal ham,	3,064	330	30.06	30.06	2.17
Salem	4,408	434	29.51	29.51	2.07
Lawrence,	7,325	[illegible]	29.48	29.48	2.03
Beverly,	2,385	305	29.34	29.34	3.46
Malden,	5,955	602	29.01	29.17	2.69
Melrose.	2,739	370	28.70	29.24	3.02
North Adams,	3,066	232	28.68	28.68	2.14
Haverhill,	4,980	465	27.84	27.94	2.25
Medford,	3,678	492	21.57	27.61	2.50
Chicopee,	2,345	140	25.35	26.30	2.04
Northampton,	2,749	281	26.32	27.18	2.37
Brockton,	6,864	603	25.77	25.79	2.35
Lynn,	9,322	744	25.57	25.64	2.01
Taunton,	4,480	402	25.45	26.14	2.22
Everett,	5,562	315	24.78	24.78	2.49
Marlborough,	2,123	274	24.77	24.81	2.21
Pittsfield,	3,585	269	24.25	24.25	2.10
Chelsea,	5,787	333	23.48	23.73	1.62
Newburyport,	1,797	247	21.49	22.83	1.63
QUINCY,	5,112	483	21.71	21.75	1.63
Woburn,	2,777	302	20.49	20.73	1.43
Gloucester,	4,570	377	19.81	19.81	1.33
Average for State			28.38	29.63	
Average for Norfolk County			30.01		

At first glance it seems that Chelsea had the doubtful honor of being more parsimonious in the matter of books, supplies and sundries than Quincy, but a closer examination proves the inference a mistake. Although she spent one cent per pupil less than Quincy did, Quincy had 150 more pupils in her High school than Chelsea had. The per capita cost of books, supplies and sundries in the High school is from two to three times as much as in the elementary schools. Reckoning the cost as only twice as large and making the necessary readjustment, it would make the cost in Quincy five cents less per pupil. If the per capita cost for all school expenses in Quincy had been the same as it was in Chelsea, the schools would have cost the taxpayers $9,248.24 or $1.77 per pupil more than they did. Using the data of column 4 the increase in cost would have been $10,121.76, on $1.98 more per pupil.

The fact is, of the thirty-three cities in Massachusetts only two, Woburn and Gloucester, spent in 1903 less per pupil for books, supplies and sundries and for all school expenses than Quincy.

While the general tendency throughout the state has been to increase the per capita appropriation for schools the tendency in Quincy has been, especially since 1897, to reduce it until the city has fallen far below its relative position in 1879 and has already passed the point where curtailment ceases to be economy and where less money means inferior schools. When the annual expenditure for books, supplies and sundries falls for several years below $2 a pupil, the equipment of the buildings and of the pupils is inadequate and the work of the schools crippled. Under ordinary conditions this sum will provide the bare essentials but will not furnish many convenient and desirable things beyond. Scant school funds always mean diminished opportunities for the children. They must bear the burden. There is no doubt that the people of Quincy desire and are willing to pay for good schools. There is also no doubt that such schools will cost about the same here as elsewhere in the state. To continually cut the school appropriation and still expect the schools to improve or even to maintain a high degree of efficiency is both unreasonable and unjust to those having them in charge.

If all appropriations have been scrutinized as critically as those for the schools, if the community has received as large returns for every dollar expended as it has from these appropriations, if all departments of the city have been administered as carefully and as economically as has been the School department during the last thirty years, the people of Quincy are fortunate and are to be congratulated.

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Water Extention.

Mayor Thompson in his inaugural address mentioned briefly the arrangement that had been entered into between Commissioner Knowlton and the United States government, to extend the water mains so as to supply the government fortifications at Peddocks Island with water.

It was only a question of a short time before it would have been necessary to extend the mains at Houghs Neck so as to supply the many houses on Island avenue as well as hydrants.

Under the arrangement entered into the government pays the entire cost of extending the mains, and at the same time the city has the privilege of tapping the new main when desired for house services and hydrants. Commissioner Knowlton says that the laying of this pipe will mean a saving of at least $2,500 to the city.

The plan as now arranged is to lay an eight-inch main from the corner of Mears and Sea avenue to Island avenue, a distance of about 1500 feet.

From this point a six inch main will be laid to Nut Island, which will require 1200 feet.

From Nut Island to Peddocks Island, a six-inch submarine pipe will be laid, and nearly 4000 feet will be required for this section.

A meter will be connected with the mains at Nut Island and all the water used by the government will be metered.

The charges for water used by the government will probably be collected by the Metropolitan Commissioners, although this has not been fully decided as yet.

Commissioner Knowlton says that the pipes must be laid by the middle of May and that work laying them will have to be commenced as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

Given Up as Lost.

W. C. Hunt of Miller Stile road was a passenger on Wednesday morning of last week on one of the trains to Boston which was held up for some time at South Boston because of the storm. He carried his favorite instrument, the flute, and while walking forward from car to car, he had the misfortune when over Fort Point channel, to have the flute knocked from his hands, and it fell into the water and disappeared.

It was a flute valued at $100 and Mr. Hunt did everything possible to recover it. He consulted railroad and harbor officials and also a diver, and advertised to pay a liberal reward.

Several days went by and he gave up the favorite instrument as lost, and purchased another. This week a South Boston man walked into his office with the flute. He said his young son had found it in the ice near Swett street while gathering drift wood, a mile or more from the point where it was lost. It was damaged somewhat, but Mr. Hunt was glad to get it back and gave the man $20.

—By a recent amendment to the law taxing traveling salesmen in the State of Tabasco, Mexico, all representatives of foreign business houses will have to pay a license fee of $10, and those of local business men $5.

—Mayor Hastings of Malden thinks the city would save money and get better service by abolishing the water board and transferring its duties to the street department.

Anecdotes.

Edith—"Oh, Ethel, what shall I do? Jack says he supposes it's all over between us, and that he'll send my presents back."

Ethel (experienced)—"Tell him to bring them."

Flossie Tie-back—"Say, Mayme, I hear your old flame Snaggs brought down the house that time he played 'Hamlet' in the Podunk Four Corners Opera House."

Mayme Maisy—"Yes, he did it about like as Samson. The boys in the gallery pounded with their feet so that the lath and plaster walls fell in."

"What brought you in this condition?" demanded Mrs. Bender, through the dark hallway in the wee hours.

"Thriftinesh," mumbled Mr. Bender. "At Kelley's cafe theysh are giving awaysh a lump of coal with everysh drink and I was trying to get a ton."

"Pat, you complain of being out of work, and yet I heard that coal dealer offer you a job to drive one of his carts, not ten minutes ago."

"Yis, sor; but I'm dommed if I'll freeze meself to death to keep alive, begob!"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The City Council.

The adjourned meeting of the City Council, Monday evening, passed off smoothly. The contest over the City Auditorship fell flat, and the question was definitely settled when President Nichols announced that George A. Sidelinger, who was reelected, had decided to accept this office for another year.

The other interesting event that was anticipated was the announcement of the standing committees by President Nichols. This also fell through as the announcement was not made.

Councilmen Adams, Chamberlin, Crane and Stone were absent.

F. F. Crane petitioned for an auctioneer's license. To License Committee when appointed.

Edith W. Whiton petitioned for a refund of one-half the cost of sidewalk on Whitney road. To Finance Committee when appointed.

The New England Telephone Co. petitioned for permission to attach wire to poles on Scammell street. To Street Committee when appointed.

Councilman Stewart presented a petition asking for permission to coast on Quarry street to Granite, School to Fort, and Pleasant street. To Committee on Streets when appointed.

The special committee reported favorable on the order authorizing borrowing $400,000 in anticipation of taxes. Rules suspended and order passed.

Councilman Piper offered an order refunding Elizabeth Smith, $55.25 sewer assessment, wrongfully assessed.

Councilman Bass offered an order, authorizing the Finance Committee to investigate the cash value of the uncollected taxes, with full power to examine books, and summons officials before them, to determine what taxes if any should be abated, so as to determine if the temporary loans exceed collectable taxes.

Councilman Bass said the object was not to compel payment of taxes, but he believed there were certain taxes on the books that were uncollectable, and they are counted as assets, when they should not be there. Order adopted.

Councilman Bass offered an order, authorizing the City Clerk to have printed 500 copies of the City Charter, and ordinances revised to date. To Finance Committee when appointed.

Councilman Bass offered an order for the Clerk of Council to have 150 copies of the rules of the Council printed. To Finance Committee when appointed.

President Nichols said that he was authorized to state for Mr. Sidelinger that he would accept the office of City Auditor.

Adjourned at 7.53.

Opposition.

A Washington dispatch to the Herald says: The plan for improving the Weymouth Fore River in Quincy and Weymouth, provided for in a bill introduced by Representative McNary last session, has met with unexpected opposition in the committee on rivers and harbors.

The McNary bill provided for the expenditure of $100,000 for the object stated. Mr. McNary and his colleagues in the Boston delegation have been met with the charge that the contemplated improvement was not needed by commerce, but was intended primarily, if not solely, for the benefit of the Fore River Ship and Engine Building Company of Quincy.

Friends of the Fore river project deny that it is intended solely to benefit the company.

Interesting Case.

"Ever of thee I'm fondly dreaming,
Thy gentle voice my spirit can cheer,
Thou art the star which mildly beaming,
Shone o'er my path when all seemed dark and drear.
Morn, noon or night, where'er I may be,
Fondly I'm dreaming ever of thee."

This is said to have been the song of a well known and highly respected citizen of this city, a song which time and again he murmured in the ears of one of Quincy's fair daughters.

In addition to the song there were evening rambles, moonlight drives yachting trips, meetings at various soda fountains, and many other evidences that tend to denote affection on the part of one who has been considered the very soul of honor.

Did she believe him? Did she trust him? Alas, yes! She believed his every word and at nightfall she listened for the sound of his footsteps with a feeling of profound love and implicit trust.

But at length her idol is shattered, her house of clay has fallen; for no more does his familiar form appear in view at nightfall and ice cream soda is only a dream of the past.

In brief, she finds herself deserted, and by advice of her friends and poor relations, she has brought suit to recover damages for her fractured affections.

The Young Men's Christian Association have taken charge of the case and it will be tried in Quincy Music hall on Tuesday evening, January 24. In other words, it will be a mock court trial in which many leading people of the city will participate. Col. A. V. Newton of Worcester, Mass., the veteran and successful manager has been engaged to attend to the details.

A Costly Ride.

Thomas M. Norman learned Tuesday morning that it costs good money to get drunk and make a nusiance of himself in the street cars. Norman boarded a car at Barry's corner, Atlantic, Monday evening for Quincy. He was somewhat under the influence of liquor, and annoyed the lady passengers, one of whom complained to the conductor. The latter told the man he must keep quiet and behave himself or get off the car.

This remonstrance had but little effect, for Norman let off a volume of abuse and foul language that would have done credit to a Malay pirate.

When City Square was reached the conductor turned the man over to Officer Burrell, who sent him to the police station. In court a fine of $15 was imposed.

☞No, the Bible is not going out of fashion. Nor is religion. Religion is part of man's nature. While he will always busy himself with science and art and literature, religion will always engage his thought. It is the thing that fills his supremest need. Religion of some kind will always have its place in human life. And the religion of the Bible is the best extant.—Beverly Times.

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Chicken Broth. One pound chicken cut into small pieces, one quart cold water, one tablespoonful rice soaked in warm water, four tablespoonfuls milk, salt, pepper and a little chopped parsley. Boil the meat until very tender. Strain it out and to the broth add the soaked rice, simmer one-half hour stirring frequently; five minutes before serving add the milk, salt and pepper.

Potato Cakes. To a pint of cold mashed potato, add two well beaten eggs and sufficient cream or milk to make the mixture quite soft. Season with salt, cayenne and celery salt. Drop large spoonfuls on to a well floured plate and turn them over to flour the other side. Fry in hot butter or dripping, turning carefully with a pancake turner.

Escalloped Chicken. Melt together one tablespoon butter and one tablespoon flour, and add to one pint of milk; boil till thickened, season. Have one pint of chopped chicken in a well-buttered earthern dish and pour the sauce over it. If desired, one tablespoon of chopped parsley may be added. Bake until brown in a very hot oven.

Ham Salad. Chop fine one cup of ham; soak one cup of bread crumbs in one-half cup of sweet milk, add one teaspoon each of dry mustard and celery seed, and a little pepper. Turn all into a saucepan and beat thoroughly. Serve hot on a small platter, garnished with slices of hard boiled eggs.—L. M. Annable in Good Housekeeping for May.

Cup Custards. Four eggs beaten with 1-2 cup sugar and small teaspoon salt. Stir this into one quart of hot milk, and grate in a sprinkling of nutmeg. Set cups in a pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven. A teaspoon of vanilla may be used to flavor if desired. To test if they are done, run the blade of a knife to bottom of cup; if it comes out clean they are done.

Quincy Man President.

William Walsh of Quincy was elected president on Monday of the New England branch of the Amalgamated association of Street Railway employes, at the annual meeting which was held in Boston.

Mayor John T. Coughlin of Fall River was expected to be present and preside, but was detained at home by business. It was announced that he would continue his membership in the organization.

The election which followed placed William Walsh in the chair and George Slavin, also of the Old Colony street railway, on the executive board.

The subject of the yearly agreements was the main matter discussed. The executive board was instructed to act on this matter and bring it to the attention of the railroad officials in the near future.

William Walsh, the new president, is well known in Quincy. He has been president of the Quincy branch of the union for some time, and is also president of the Central Labor Union.

He has been in the employ of the street railway as a conductor for a number of years. He runs on the line between Neponset and Weymouth Landing via Wollaston.

K. of C. Whist Party.

One of the most enjoyable social evenings of the many held under the auspices of Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, was the concert and whist party of Monday evening.

Whist occupied the first part of the evening thirty tables being in play. At the conclusion prizes were awarded Mrs. J. J. Keniley, Miss Hannah L. Woodward, Edward H. McGinty, Frank O'Reilley and James M. Cantfill. Consolation prizes were awarded to Miss Bennett of Dorchester and Bernard Cullen.

An entertainment followed, consisting of piano solos by Miss Mary McConarty and William McConarty, and vocal selections by Thomas J. Campbell, Edward J. Sullivan, D. J. S. McCurdy, William McConarty, Mrs. George H. Norris, Miss Annie Roche and Miss Annie Friguglietti.

Ices and refreshments were served.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

William G. A. Pattee to Ephraim H. Doane.
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Richard D. Chase to Daniel J. Mahoney.
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Charles H. Hardwick heirs of est. to Jacob Hanson, 24.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Castle Square Theatre.

The interesting announcement made by the Castle Square Theatre management that the pleasing comedy by Henry Arthur Jones "The Manouevres of Jane," has been secured as the attraction of this play house for next week. This proved one of the best of the plays put forward in recent years when it was produced some four seasons ago and it enjoyed great favor in all the leading cities of this country as well as England. It is the story of an imperious, impetuous, frank and bewitching girl, who is quite a chip of the old block in being as obstinate as her dad—who rages at her for the fixity of purpose which she inherited from him. She desires to marry a poor young gentleman, but is constrained by her father's forbiddance. How she manoeuvres to bring about a happy conclusion to her romance is the story of the play.

☞A new postmaster of Baltimore has been appointed, concerning whom a newspaper of that city remarks that his administration of the office will be good for the citizens, but probably bad for the party. The paper evidently makes the not uncommon mistake of supposing that a few men who assume to be leaders of the party are the party itself, and that anything which weakens their power is harmful to the party interests. So-called leaders make that mistake themselves, as is, of course, natural. But there is no reason why the rest of us should fall into the blunder. If the new postmaster of Baltimore serves the citizens of Baltimore well, the party interests will not suffer at all, whatevery may become of the personal interests of little men who want to be bosses, and whose petty powers may be circumscribed.—New Bedford Standard.

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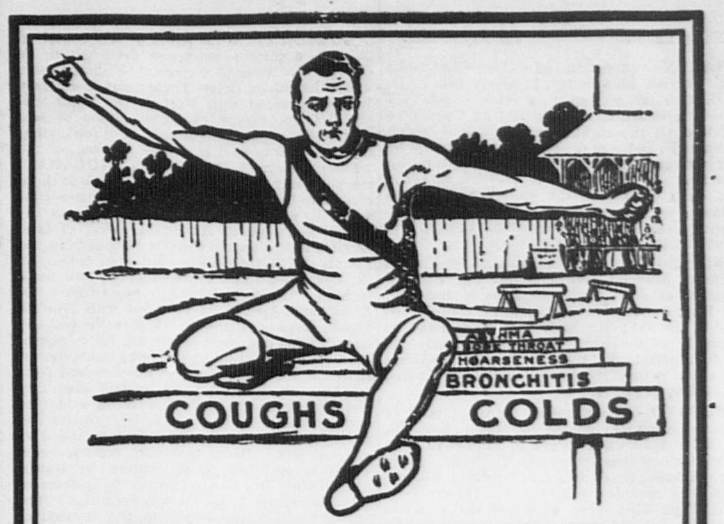

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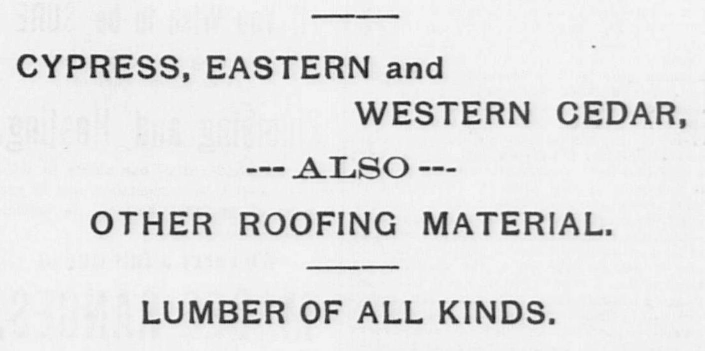

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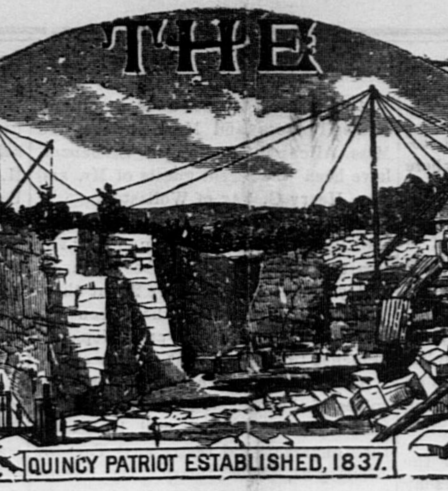

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Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	193,222.23
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$475,544.15
Contingent Assets,	352,120.59
Total Available Assets,	1,020,886.97
Gain in Surplus,	17,211.34

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Contingent Assets,	111,131.71
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Cash Assets	472,396.14
Deposit Notes	569,644.43
Available Assets	1,042,040.57
Total Liabilities	310,988.83
Cash Surplus	161,407.31
Gain in Surplus in 1903	1,389.25
Gain in Assests in 1903	23,968.44
Losses paid in 1903	72,704.06
Dividends paid in 1903	60,356.48
Receipts in 1903	216,632.06
Disbursements in 1903	187,057.63

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That enemies often are changed to friends,
 If you only smile, when you want to swear.

When each one is struggling to gain the front
 And kicks and rebuffs are often your share,
Don't take things to heart, your temper keep down
 And try to smile when you want to swear.

The secret of many a prosp'rous life
 Is oft to be found in this virtue rare:
They learned the lesson which led to success
 And always smiled, when they wanted to swear.
H. M. C.

Miscellany.

The Rebellion of Molly.

Molly was thirty now. She had spent her life thus far in starting other people off, and staying, herself, behind. She was the youngest in a family of seven children, and the only one to remain unmarried. Somehow, there had never been a time for Molly to marry. First, there was Mabel's wedding, then Tom's, then the double wedding of the twins. Then Jennie eloped with that good-for-nothing Fred Haskins; and now her stately sister Marion—"the flower of the family," so called—had left a dainty peck at her lips in lieu of a kiss and had departed on a wedding trip.

Molly had been a wonderful convenience these last ten years since mother died. Of course when Mabel's baby came, dear Molly must needs go there at once; and by and by, when the croup and the measles and the whooping cough followed swiftly upon the advent of Tom's eldest boy — dear sister Molly was so good a nurse, and wouldn't she please come? And dear sister Molly went. The better part of a year had been spent by this same Molly at the beside of one of the twins; and daily pilgrimages were now being made to the little cottage down the lane where poor Jennie was repenting—in anything but leisure—her hasty marriage to young Haskins.

Molly looked thoughtfully around her tiny sitting-room and frowned a little at the various signs of disorder which seem to necessarily attend the departure of a member of any family. Mabel, Tom, the twins, Jennie and Marion — they were all gone now, and unconsciously Molly sighed—a deep, contented sigh, which spoke volumes. Then she picked up a newspaper from the floor, straightened a tidy on the back of a chair, and smoothed the rug in front of the hall door.

What a lot she would be able to accomplish now, she thought, with a little thrill of delight at the recollection of the pile of unread magazines on the sitting-room table, and of the new books she had so long wanted to enjoy. There was something else, too—something so altogether delightful that she hardly dared think of it; so fragile and ephemeral did the idea seem that even a thought might burst its bubble of possibility.

Marion's wedding had been a quiet one. A recent death in the groom's family had precluded all display, and various unavoidable circumstances had prevented the attendance of even her brother and sisters at the ceremony. Molly now remembered that on the hall stand were three or four unopened letters presumably from these same relatives of hers, and it was with guilty haste and a feeling of an intangible something not quite pleasant that she possessed herself of the letters and seated herself in her low sewing-chair to read.

My Dear Sister: I am so sorry we could not be with you to-day, but as you well know, it was quite out of the question. We shall be anxious to hear all about the wedding, but there is something else I wanted to speak about and I will come right to the point at once. I know you must be very lonely there, my dear sister, and Charlie and I have decided to offer you a home with us. We will do all we can to make it pleasant for you, and I am sure you will be glad to take up with our offer.

I really can't stop to write more, the baby is crying. I shall be glad when you get here to look after him a little—he takes all my time.

Very lovingly,

Mabel.

P. S. O, I forgot to say that Nellie is quite a little better; she sat up to-day. She is lotting on your games and stories that you always have at your command. I don't seem to have any time now, but I have joined a whist club to-day and have just become a member of the Ideal Reading Circle. I knew I should be all right when you get here to look after the children.

Mab.

Molly's lips were pressed a little closer together, and her hand trembled as she broke the seal of the second letter. It was from Tom.

Dear Sis: I suppose all the flummeries and furbelows that you women seem to think necessary to a wedding are over with now, and Marion married. Well I hope she'll be happy. Sorry I couldn't be there. But what I wanted to say was that you'd better come to live with us now. It isn't right for a woman of your age to live alone. (A dull red showed in Molly's cheek.) We have room and to spare, and you needn't fret about the extra cost it will be to us. Wife says to be sure and come. She says tell you that she is planning to have the children take their music lessons of you now that Miss Marsh has raised her price. By the way, I am way behindhand on my books at the store. I guess I'll let you take hold of them—same as you did last year—when you get here. Well, no more now.

Your affectionate brother,

Tom.

There was a steely gleam in Molly's usually mild blue eyes as she picked up the third and last letter. To a double wedding the twins had added a double house, and, as they had married brothers, they were the more easily enabled to continue their much-prized, daily companionship. This letter proved to be in Dell's handwriting. She was usually the spokesman for the twins.

My dear Molly: Well, how did the wedding go off? What a shame that we couldn't be there, but of course I couldn't leave just now, very well.

Now, Molly, Nell and I have been talking it over, and we think it's going to be pretty lonely for you there this winter with Marion gone. Why don't you come and stay with us? You can take turns living first with one, then the other. We shall not mind having you round at all, so you need not feel sensitive about it. Little Ted is getting to be a big boy now. Of course the older he grows the more he minds his lameness—that he cannot play as the other children do. He is a great care and needs constant attention. He is calling now, and I must go. Did I tell you that Nell and I are planning to take our Western trip this winter? You see we shall feel perfectly safe about leaving the house and the children, with you here to look after things.

Dear me, I must go get that child. Come as soon as you can.

By-by; with love,

Dell.

Molly, far down in her heart was the sweetest-tempered little woman in the world, but she gathered up those three letters with hands that ruthlessly crumpled and crushed them as she tossed them into the waste-basket. Then she threw a light shawl over her head, and went out the front door, and down the village street until she came to the little lane that turned sharply to the right. Away at the foot of this lane she entered the kitchen door of a forlorn cottage, where a thin, faded woman bent over an ironing-board.

"O Molly! I'm so glad you've come—I hoped you would! Did she look lovely? and is she happy?" exclaimed the woman, with a pitiful wistfulness in her voice.

Molly's cheeks were pink and that strange gleam had not left her eyes, as she answered shortly:

"Yes, of course she looked pretty, and of course she's happy;" then with unwonted abruptness—"Why didn't you come?"

Fred Haskin's wife flushed painfully.

"Why, Mollie, I told you yesterday I should not go. You know I—I can't bear to meet folks now; besides, baby was sick, and—and I've no finery for weddings!" bitterly.

"No, I suppose not," replied her sister still with unkindly shortness; then she added quickly—"I came down to see if you didn't want me to come and live with you. You do — don't you?"

Jennie looked frightened.

"Why, yes, of course—yes—I'm sure"—

"O, you needn't hesitate," interrupted Molly sourly. "I won't be a burden to you. I can nurse the children, and give them music lessons, and look after the house, and keep the books, and amuse the baby and you can go off!"

"Why, Molly Adams! Are you crazy? What do you mean?" demanded Jennie, now thoroughly alarmed.

Molly laughed nervously.

"I don't mean anything, dear. I fancy I am a little crazy. Perhaps the wedding has upset me. Never mind, I'll feel better tomorrow;" and she began a very animated account of the wedding, which effectually prevented any further questioning from Jennie; but she left a puzzled sister behind her when she started for home ten minutes later.

Molly did not sleep much that night. To be sure, she prepared herself for bed, blew out her light, and composed herself to rest; but all through the long hours spent by the most of the world in slumber, she was staring into the dark, thinking; and she was thinking of that something—that delightful something—with a recklessness born of desperation.

Yes, there were drawbacks — clothes, for instance. Molly had never known what a really new dress was. Being both younger and smaller than her sisters, it had followed as a natural consequence that she should fall heir to all their half-worn dresses. That Mabel was tall and Molly short—that Nell was dark and Molly fair—that Jennie was all angles and Molly all curves—mattered not. A costume that made its original wearer a thing of beauty proved anything but a joy forever to poor Molly, whose style and complexion might be far different. Yes, clothes were a drawback.

Then there was money. Molly heaved a sigh of relief over money. Her expenses all these years had been light, and her little inheritance from her mother had grown. Just how much it had grown she was thankful her relatives did not know. Then it suddenly occurred to her that money could remedy clothes; and it was with a sigh of relief that she finally turned over and slept just as the dawn was breaking.

It must have been a week later that Mabel received a letter which left that placidly self-satisfied woman quite helpless with surprise and consternation. It was from Molly.

Dear Sister Mabel: Thank you for your kind invitation, but I could not possibly think of accepting your generous offer as I have made other plans for the winter. I am going to close the house for the present and go to Boston. I have long wanted to make this change, and I expect to enjoy it very much. I hope the children are well. Give my love to them and to Charlie, and accept a share for yourself.

Your loving sister,

Molly.

Molly going to Boston! Mabel would as soon have expected Nellie's pet kitten to assert sudden authority as that Molly should venture to disregard the advice of her family. Mabel sat down at once and wrote to Tom—perhaps a man could do something! But Tom was already rendered equally helpless by a duplicate of Molly's disquieting letter. Nor were the twins found to be less incapacitated. In fact, the entire family were thrown into helpless confusion by the unaccountable rebellion of one quiet little woman; and in after years they always referred to it as "Molly's Declaration of Independence."

The crisp October days found Molly Adams cozily settled in a tiny room up two flights in a quiet house on a side street. New, well-fitting and suitable dresses made quite a different creature of Molly, and she grew younger and fairer every day. Unconsciously she adopted many of the little fads and fancies she saw about her and fast became attached to her new surroundings.

Her days were one long delight. Picture galleries, libraries, museums and historical rooms, offered untold bliss to the amusement-hungry woman; and she developed a wonderful faculty for ferreting out all the free concerts and lectures.

Soon after Christmas Molly had a letter from Jennie. Her sisters had all written stiff little notes at regular intervals, but somehow this was different. At the bottom of the sheet she found these words:

"You don't know how I miss your dear visits and your cheery ways. The children cried for you every time they saw your picture, so I have had to put it out of sight. Someway, everything has gone wrong since I do not have you to run to with all my perplexities. But I do not mind if you are enjoying yourself—and of course you are."

Molly did not read this letter twice, but hid it quickly in its envelope and went at once for a long walk. That night she enthusiastically applauded every number on the concert program; but she cried herself to sleep afterwards and woke in the morning with red eyes and a bad headache.

It was during the holiday excursion to the city that Molly's next-door neighbor called.

"Have you seen my sister Jennie lately?" Molly asked abruptly, after the preliminary greetings.

"Yes; an' she looks poorly, too. She ain't long for this world, Molly."

"O! Jennie isn't sick," interposed Molly quickly. "You know she always was frail looking."

Mrs. Jones sniffed her contempt.

"Umph! She says its only 'cause she is worried over Dell since she had that setback."

"'Setback!'" repeated Molly, mystified.

Yes; didn't you know? Well, mebbe they didn't mean you should. Mabel drove over from Beaconsville last week, an' she told me they wa'n't goin' to tell you if anythin' ailed any of 'em this winter. She said they were ashamed now, you'd done so much for 'em;" after which discomforting statements Mrs. Jones suddenly developed a conscience-stricken ignorance of the whole matter, much to Molly's distress.

Molly stayed at home that night. Music had lost its harmony, and pictures their color for her. It was nearly nine o'clock when a dazzling smile drove the wistfulness from her eyes; in a moment she was on her feet wheeling her trunk into the middle of the floor.

The next afternoon a joyous little figure rushed through Jennie's kitchen door.

"Why, Mollie!"

"Yes, I've come home—I'm tired of playing!"—and she kissed the baby rapturously.—Eleanor H. Porter.

A Lobster's Toilet.

It has not happened to every one to see a lobster cast his shell. Last summer I had an opportunity of watching the process. I was staying for several weeks in a secluded little village on the South coast, and one day, when the only fisherman in the place returned after taking up his "posts," he flung upon the beach a specimen too small for sale or home consumption. The prize was taken possession of by a boy who presented it to my improvised aquarium, for which all the little boys of the village were enthusiastic collectors. I kept the water well aerated and devoted a great deal of time and attention to my various live stock, and at last my reward came. At the time of his capture my lobster had already begun to think about getting a new suit, and as the days went by the old shell became so small for him that he could no longer avoid discarding his ever tightening armor. One morning, therefore, I found my lobster apparently in his last agonies. He lay on his back and rubbed his legs convulsively together as if in intense pain, and then he wriggled about or jerked himself violently upward by means of his tail. I suppose that these actions had for their object the loosening of the claws and limbs in their sheaths. The rapid movements somewhat disturbed the sand and clouded the water, but as the patient lay close to the glass I never entirely lost sight of him. Nevertheless I do not quite know how it all occurred. The throes continued for an hour or more, and efforts were apparently made to burst the shell open from within, but it was not until I saw the lobster had actually divested himself of his head covering that I understood what my guest was about. A great deal more wriggling and struggling followed, the lobster gradually squeezing himself, as it were, out of the shoulders of his suit of armor.

The operation looked as if it were extremely painful and exhausting, but at last I had the satisfaction of seeing my lobster and his discarded shell lying side by side. The latter looked much the smaller of the two, and save that it was motionless, it might have been mistaken for a live and healthy crustacean in full dress. The orifice through which the ancient tenant had evicted himself was very small, and the headpiece had not been completely thrown off, but was left hanging, as by a hinge. But now the naked lobster did not look at all like his old self. His colors were so bright as to suggest that he had been parboiled, and he had the tender appearance of human flesh from which the skin has just been removed. I took out the shell and found that my guest had got rid not only of the major part of his eyes, but also of the lining of his stomach, including his internal teeth, and some of the bone of his thorax. Yet he seemed to be little the worse for his thorough turnout. On my return from luncheon I touched him and found that, although quite soft, he was covered with an incipient shell of the approximate solidity of oiled tissue paper.

I have omitted to mention one curious circumstance connected with this particular animal's toilet. When the lobster was given to me, he was without his left big claw, which had, I suppose, been accidentally wrenched off by his original captor. The stump very quickly healed up, a hard, calcareous seal incrusting the end of the joint. To my astonishment, when the lobster worked himself out of his old shell he appeared with a rudimentary left claw, which had evidently formed behind the shield. This claw grew even more rapidly than the rest of the body.—Fireside.

Did Not Forget.

There lived in Auburn, N. Y., some sixty years ago, a clergyman, an intimate friend of my grandmother. This gentleman owned an exceedingly beautiful, fleet and graceful sorrel mare, which bore the classic name of Diana. She was the admiration of the town and the pride of the clergyman's family. But alas! one dark and stormy night the barn was boldly entered, and the beautiful Diana stolen from her stall. All efforts to discover the clever thief, though long and perseveringly continued, were useless. At last the family sorrowfully abandoned hope; another but inferior horse was purchased, to which, by the way, the children would not allow the occupancy of the old stall of their pet, for that, with everything else that belonged to her, they insisted on keeping sacred to her memory.

Nearly twenty years had passed, the clergyman's hair had grown white with age, and his children had become young men and woman, when he chanced one autumn to be called on business to a remote part of the state. Having an easy chaise, he made the trip, as was not uncommon in those days, by private conveyance. He was riding slowly along a winding road, on the third morning of his journey, when his attention was forced from the beauties of the scenery to the strange behavior of an old horse confined in a pasture by the roadside. The creature seemed bent on attracting the clergyman's notice; it pranced, snorted, and beat the fence with its fore feet, keeping all the time in line with the slowly moving chaise. Wondering a little as to the cause of such singular conduct, the clergyman drove along to the end of the pasture, and then turned from it down a road which branched off in an opposite direction. As he did so, he was startled by a cry of such human agony from the poor creature in the pasture that he instantly stopped his horse and looked back. There, at the corner of the fence she stood, her neck thrust despairingly forward, trembling in every muscle of her body, her eyes fixed on him with an expression of utter, helpless misery, which strangely moved the tender-hearted clergyman. He now discovered that the head and face of the animal bore a marked resemblance to his lost Diana. Impressed by the likeness, he obeyed a sudden impulse and drove rapidly back to a farmhouse near the pasture, where he found the farmer, just getting up from his twelve o'clock dinner.

"Friend," said the clergyman, "is that your horse in the field yonder?"

"Yes, the mare's mine. I've had her about twenty years."

"Twenty years! May I ask where you got her, friend?"

"I bought her of a peddler who cheated my wife on a gingham gown, but he didn't cheat me on that horse."

"Diana! as sure as I'm alive!" cried the clergyman, starting excitedly for the pasture, followed by the astonished farmer. He entered the field, and the moment the old mare caught sight of him she rushed wildly forward, snorting with delight. Old and faded, rough and lame, the clergyman still unmistakably recognized his lost beauty; and oh, the joy of Diana! Tenderly she licked her master's hand and face, lovingly nestled her head upon his shoulder, and at last with something of her old coquettish ways, took the rim of his hat daintily between her teeth, lifted it from his head, and replaced it hind side before.

"Never saw her do that before!" cried the farmer.

It was a trick which the clergyman himself had taught her, and which she had remembered during their twenty years of separation to practice once more for her beloved master.

The farmer consented to part with Diana for a small sum, and she was welcomed back to her old home amid general rejoicing. There she lived, tenderly cared for, several years, and there she died a painless death, expending her last breath in a vain attempt to lick her master's hand.—Dumb Animals.

On a Business Basis.

Gerald developed a journalistic instinct at the early age of 14. With the consent of his father and some assistance from the same source he bought an "amateur printing outfit" and started the Elmhurst Monthly Journal subscription price twenty-five cents a year, payable in advance.

"I suppose you call yourself the editor and proprietor of this office," remarked an envious young associate who dropped in at his "sanctum" in the basement of the paternal dwelling one day.

"Of course I do," responded the youthful journalist. "I don't owe a cent on it."

"Proprietor! Humph! Everybody knows you got $25 from your father to start it with."

"Yes, sir" stoutly rejoined Gerald "and his subscription for The Journal is marked paid for 100 years ahead on my books?"—Youth's Companion.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, Jan. 14, 1905.

Washington is rapidly becoming the social, as it is already the political centre of the United States. Every winter sees an increasing tide of persons of large means, and of such culture as wealth can produce pouring into the city for the social season. From the beginning of the New Year until lent the principal topic of all classes in the District of Columbia is social entertainment, and one of the staples of every large city newspaper is the "Washington society column," furnished if possible by its own correspondent located in Washington. For a period of eight or ten weeks, the business of the city is pleasure, pleasure not only for the official and "smart" sets, but pleasure for the dressmaker, the florists, the caterers and the proprietors of the great department stores who furnish the necessities for entertaining. And the spirit of revelry for that period is in the air, and so contagious that from the wife of the President down to the shop girl, the principal consideration is parties, teas, dances and receptions. While the wives of Cabinet members, and the families of millionaires are preparing for state dinners, splendid balls to celebrate the debut of a daughter, musicales at which a prima donna is paid a thousand dollars for a single song, the little stenographer at six dollars a week is busy after hours; making her gown for a "hop" at the "Armory" or a "straw ride" with supper at a country hotel. Even "below stairs," the social microbe has found a lodgement, and the cooks and the maids are absorbed in the discussion of "parties," and "pink teas," and one Washington hostess relates the incident of failing to secure a young colored maid who could not take a place that allowed only one evening a week free, because as the girl explained she expected to make her "debut" this winter, and would have social engagements for every evening.

The speculation as to whether Washington will ever become the social capital of the nation seems to have been answered affirmatively in the past ten years. With the added attractions of the city the ranks of the wealthy, pleasure loving class who spend the winters here have been increased by millionaires from all sections of the country. Many of them have built homes in the city and in the cases of the Walshs, Pattersons, the Wadsworths and the Larz Andersons, palaces have been erected, that their owners might entertain in a style of magnificence and costliness worthy of royalty. The Senate, recently known as the "millionaires club," is in reality so and at present represents more wealth, it is thought, than any legislative body that ever voted. The "boss of the Senate," as Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island is called, is the father-in-law of John D. Rockefeller, Jr. Senator Depew is several times a millionaire and while in Washington occupies the fine old Corcoran house where he entertains lavishly, his dinner for example, at which from twenty to forty persons are guests, averaging about $17 a plate without the wines which he supplies from his own cellars. Senator Clark of Montana, who has just returned to Washington with his twenty-two year old wife whom he did not acknowledge for two or three years after the marriage, is one of the richest men in the country. A few years ago he purchased the old Stewart castle on DuPont circle opposite the Leiter mansion but has not yet built the palace that was anticipated. If Washington makes up its mind to accept his wife he will probably decide to have a winter home here that will equal his Fifth avenue residence in New York.

But it is not alone upon the millionaire that the city depends for its social activity. It is true of course that the Walshs of Colorado have relieved the tedium of existence by splendid entertainments at their house on Massachusetts avenue which is so large that in order to light it brilliantly for an enterment the Washington electric light plant must be notified previously and the Leiters who entertained almost constantly before the marriage of the eldest daughter to Lord Curzon, Viceroy of India, set a standard extravagant social function difficult even for millionaires to maintain but in the Diplomatic set and the less wealthy if more distinguished members of the President's Cabinet add much to the gaiety of the seasons here. The Russian Embassy presided over by the 22-year old daughter of Ambassador, the Countess Cassini, who is also the chum of Miss Roosevelt is the scene of many entertainments during the winter and to which invitations are more desired than for anything else that takes place. Sir Henry Mortimer Durand the British Ambassador and Lady Durand also entertain extensively but their affairs are stately and rather solemn compared to those at the Russian Embassy. And all this leaves out of account the White House which, after all is the centre of Washington society. In the last few years it has become a fashion following the custom of courts to regard an invitation to the White House as a command, and hostesses take pleasure in recalling their invitations if they subsequently receive word from the President that their presence is desired at a time which would interfere with the entertainments they had planned. For the first time perhaps in the history of the Capital the entertainments at the White House are made actually enjoyable, so that those invited there are not subject to condolences from their friends.

Adams.

Not Exacting.

In one of Miss Mulock's stories she says that "a cheerful heart seeth cheerful things," and gives this incident in proof of it:

A lady and a gentleman were in a lumber yard situated by a dirty, foul smelling river. The lady said, "How good the pine boards smell."

"Pine boards!" exclaimed the gentleman. "Just smell that foul river."

"No, thank you," was the reply, "I prefer to smell the pine boards."

Sunday was the birthday anniversary of Thomas Wildey, the founder of Odd Fellowship in America. He was born January 15, 1782.

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The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 1905.

The Appointments.

The numerous changes in department officials of the city should please the large majority of voters who demanded changes. In fact there are more new appointees than the voters expected Mayor Thompson would make. Whether all will be improvements remains to be seen. Some openly say that the appointments are weak, but the Patriot is ready to give them all a trial. Many have said that no one in Quincy, outside of the present Commissioner, was qualified for the office, but the fact that Mayor Thompson has not gone outside of the city for any of his department heads is commendable. A good business man should successfully administer the office.

The reappointments of City Clerk Keith, City Treasurer Fay and Chief Engineer Williams are perfectly satisfactory, and any changes in these departments would have caused a protest.

Lawyer Thomas is no younger than some of the other City Solicitors when first appointed. He will undoubtedly give more time to the office than some who have had more experience in the profession.

For many years James H. Cunningham has had a desire to be Tax Collector. As he is interested in the office he may make an improvement in this much criticised department.

As a newspaper man is qualified for any position we shall expect a brilliant administration by the Overseer of the Poor.

The appointment of Frank E. Burrell as Chief of Police is the most satisfactory of any of the new officials. It is a position which needs a young man, who is alert, who believes in law and order, and the enforcement of the laws, and who is respected. We predict that Chief Burrell will be a success.

There is also a new Board of Health, a change on the Park Commission which is endorsed, a new City Physician, in fact a great many new city officials for 1905.

Favorable to Quincy.

The sub-committee of the House committee on public buildings and grounds, having charge of all New England projects, of which Representative Burleigh of Maine is chairman, has reported to the full committee, says a Washington dispatch to the Herald. Among the propositions of particular interest that were favorably reported by the sub-committee was that contained in Representative McNary's bill providing for a new public building, at Quincy, Mass. One hundred thousand dollars is the amount recommended to the full committee to carry out its provisions.

It is understood that other buildings in New England were indorsed by the sub-committee also. It is expected that Chairman Gillett will call a meeting of the committee some time next week, to begin the work of preparing an omnibus bill. Nobody knows whether such a measure will be allowed to pass by the Republican leaders, but the public building committee wants to be ready in case it gets a chance.

Universalist Church.

There will be special music at both morning and evening services, with selections on the violin by Mr. Delmar E. Trout of Tufts college Sunday evening.

The evening service will be the second in a series of six consecutive evening services which are to be held in the Universalist church on Washington street. All of these services will be conducted by [illegible] Universalist denomination, who are able preachers, and furthermore, these services merit a large attendance.

The first of the series, which was conducted by the Rev. D. M. Hodge of Tufts college, last Sunday evening, was a success, and an increased attendance is expected as the worth of these evening meetings is more fully appreciated.

This is a call made to the liberal minded people of Quincy, who desire the preaching of a liberal gospel in the community, but the call is not to these alone; for the public is cordially invited to attend the services of the day.

Wollaston Unitarian Club.

grand hot turkey supper was served the January meeting of the Wollas- Unitarian club on Tuesday evening, anks to Frank P. Waterhouse, Rev. F. W. Pratt and others, and to the young men who assisted as waiters. The attendance was large. Popular selections were played on the piano by Mr. Merrill during the feast.

Hon. Eugene H. Sprague presided at the business meeting and at the after dinner speaking.

It was voted to have the annual ladies' night, and the executive committee was instructed to arrange time and place and speakers.

"Socialism" was the subject for the evening and the benefits were told by Rabbi Solomon Schindler, of Mattapan, while Prof. Emery L. Crane of Quincy took the negative.

A lengthy report appeared in the Daily Ledger of Wednesday.

Central Shrines.

A large audience welcomed Mr. Henry T. Bailey at High School hall, Thursday evening when he gave his illustrated lecture on "Central Shrines." He told very interestingly the merits of some of the best paintings in the world; the pictures being shown by stereopticon in illustration of his remarks.

The gems of the galleries of the Vatican in Rome, the Uffizi in Florence, the Academy in Venice, the Louvre in Paris and the National in London were shown and described.

The lecture was very much enjoyed especially by those who had seen the original paintings and by the large number of students and teachers present.

County of Norfolk.

In the columns today will be found a statement of the County Commissioners of the receipts and expenses of the County of Norfolk for the year 1904. It is worthy the careful attention of our citizens, that they may know what money is received and paid during the year.

All the churches seem to be represented in the Mock Trial to be given next Tuesday under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. In the cast are over half a dozen from the First Unitarian church; about the same from Bethany Congregational; four or five from the Wollaston Unitarian; three or four from Christ church and one or two from the M. E., Congregational and Baptist at West Quincy, Wollaston and the Point. It is safe to say there will be an even greater representation in the audience.

A special meeting of the Fragment society will be held Wednesday, Jan. 25, from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. All persons interested in the coming fair are invited to be present. Box lunch at noon.

CITY BRIEFS.

The days have increased half an hour.

How do you like the city appointments?

The storm that was predicted has passed us by.

No more meetings of the City Council this month.

The new 22-foot naphtha launch for Walter Burrell is completed.

Weston W. Osborne of Wellesley Hills, formerly of Quincy, is ill in bed with nervous prostration.

The directors of the National Granite bank have organized by the election of Theophilus King as president.

John A. Boyd camp, Legion of Spanish War Veterans, are arranging for a grand fair to be held in February.

Rev. Edward Norton of this city is supplying the pulpit recently vacated by Rev. William Dornan at Holbrook.

Skating parties are becoming popular, and crowds of young people are seen every night on the various ponds.

George W. Penniman will address the Young Men's Christian Union of Boston this evening on "Jamaica, the gem of the Carribees."

George Gauthier of Quincy was elected vice president of the State council of carpenters and joiners Tuesday at the semi-annual held in Brockton.

F. H. Lord is organizing a large orchestra composed of banjos, mandolins, guitars and violins for a festival next month.

City Messenger Tirrell will attend the semi-annual meeting, dinner and theatre party of the City Messengers club, Jan. 28.

Francis P. Loud, after a confinement to the house four weeks with rheumatism, resumed his duties as letter carrier Monday.

Paul Revere Post, G. A. R., was represented at the funeral on Thursday of Thaddeus H. Newcomb, a veteran of the Civil war.

There was a hot basket ball game at Braintree on Saturday when Thayer Academy '05 defeated the class of '07 by the score of 41 to 25.

An inquest was held before Judge Avery Wednesday morning on the death of Frank Landry, who was killed by the cars at Braintree, Jan. 3.

The lowest noon temperature of January last year was 4 above and the highest 42. The extremes thus far this month have been 14 and 50.

Judge and Mrs. J. H. Flint were guests on Wednesday evening at the marriage of Mr. Curtis Metzler of Boston and Miss Caroline Mabel Phillips of Brookline.

At the billiard tournament at the Granite City club on Wednesday evening C. B. Marstin beat James Claflin 125 to 97 and John W. Walsh beat E. E. Morgan 100 to 70.

A. F. Hall is to move his grocery store from Washington street to Hancock street to the store, formerly occupied by T. E. Furnald, and J. W. Johnson in the Plumer block.

C. Frank Randall, who has been located for many months at the Hancock house, has moved his barber shop to Saville street, near the depot, where he has a new and pretty room, and invites all his former patrons to call.

Robert Browning the poet and dramatist will make up the literary program at the meeting of the Friday club next Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wilson Marsh, Irving place, with Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney as the committee.

Adams Academy pupils [illegible] soliciting contributions for the A. A. baseball team. They are very industrious in hunting up the old graduates. Here is a fine opportunity for the past graduates to express their loyalty to their old school.

Mrs. Harry E. Winslow of Bent place entertained the Entre Nous whist club on Friday afternoon Jan. 13. Whist was enjoyed from 2 till 4, after which a lunch was served. Mrs. M. C. King and Mrs. A. H. Hall were awarded souvenirs for highest scores.

Capt. Charles M. Fuller will give a very interesting lecture on the Panama Canal, Cuba, etc., in the High school hall on Thursday evening, Jan. 26, under the auspices of the Hospital Aid Association. He has one hundred magnificent stereopticon views to illustrate his lecture.

The ladies of First church have begun active work for the fair which they are to hold in the chapel early in the spring. Next Wednesday the Fragment society will hold an all day session in the church parlor and sew from ten until three with intermission at noon for a box luncheon.

The Visiting Ten of Unity circle of Kings Daughters held a largely attended New Year's party Monday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Leonard of Bigelow street. Many kinds of table games were played, and there was vocal and instrumental music. Light refreshments were served.

Cases against street railways will occupy the attention of the Superior court for several days. On Wednesday the case of Mary E. Mullen of Quincy vs. the Old Colony street railway came to trial. It is to recover $5000 damages for personal injuries sustained in 1902 as a result of a collision of a car with a team in Quincy.

Don't be a slave to business. Break away from care and worry for a couple of hours weekly by joining the Gymnasium at the Young Men's Christian Association. The exercises ending with a graded shower bath will make a new man out of you. This class is for business men, and all are invited to come and look on though they do not join. The first class started at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexis Frye are leaving Cambridge the last of this month for Highlands, California, where Mr. Frye owns several orange groves. The change is necessary on account of the health of Mrs. Frye whose physician has advised a warmer climate. She will be remembered by many as Senorita Arrueberrena, one of the Cuban teachers who came to Harvard about five years ago under the supervision of Mr. Frye. Their Quincy friends regret Mrs. Frye's illness and the necessity of their leaving the east.

It was discovered Tuesday night by the janitor of Wilson's hall that someone had broken into the hall and attempted to get into the safe of Bay View lodge, L. O. L. The parties gained entrance to the hall by smashing the panel of the door leading to the ante room. It was then an easy matter to turn the catch and open the door. The parties then smashed the combination knob and twisted off the handle of the door. They were unable, however, to get into the safe. It would have done them little good even if they had, for all the safe contained was a bank book. Nothing else about the hall was disturbed.

Miss Jessie Gardner is ill at her home on Field street with slow fever.

Arthur H. Dunham is harvesting a crop of ice from his pond at Houghs Neck.

The Knights of Columbus installation to have been held this week has been postponed.

Edward J. Lennon, inspector of the Board of Health, is confined to his home with the grip.

Mrs. M. A. Seavey of Fryeburg, Me., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Howard of Field street.

Henry E. Emerson, who has been sick with the grip for a week, is some better and able to be about.

Charles Turner is in Maine on a brief visit, on his return to Quincy, he will reside on Newcomb street.

The annual meeting of St. Margaret's Guild of Christ church was held at the parish house Friday evening.

A. M. Mischler has been elected one of the trustees of the Painters' district council of eastern Massachusetts.

The electrical workers of Quincy and vicinity met Thursday evening at Wilson's hall, and organized a union.

Miss Alice Porter of Hancock street is the guest of Miss Edwina Peterson of Brooklyn, New York, through January.

The committee of Rural lodge has arranged for an entertainment at the Masonic apartments Tuesday evening, Feb. 7.

Mr. J. Frank Faxon of Adams street has gone to Washington, D. C., on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Warren Greene Ogden.

Mrs. John O. Holden of Adams street is the guest of her son, Mr. Arthur Bates Holden of South Orange, New Jersey, for a few weeks.

Miss Ethel Blair has resigned her position at Chapin's news store and has accepted a position in the office of the Old Colony street railway.

The regular meeting of the Hospital Aid association will be held Thursday January 26, at 2.30 P. M. in the chapel of First church, City Square.

At Norfolk county probate court held in Dedham on Wednesday administrations were granted on the estates of Flora A. Lapham of Quincy.

J. P. Mowry, who has conducted a clothing store on Hancock street for the past year, has moved his stock to Attleboro, where he owns a store.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frothingham of Wibird street are receiving congratulations, a son being born to them on Wednesday, January the eighteenth.

Ryan Bros, who have been doing business in the florist line in the Music Hall building on Hancock street, have closed out, and returned to Braintree.

There will not be another entertainment in the Social club course until about the middle of February when a children's party and dance will be held at Faxon hall.

Mrs. William Harrington thought to have been the woman found dead in Brockton cemetery on Sunday, is a sister of Mrs. John DeCosta of Quincy, and James Frazier of East Braintree.

Do not forget to order your carnations to wear on Sunday, Jan. 29th, in honor of President McKinley's birthday. Each year the people like to honor his memory by wearing his favorite flower.

Lawrence, the only son of Charles E. White of Union street, age 10 years, had the misfortune to cut off two of his fingers of his left hand on Saturday, while meddling with some machinery in his father's shop.

"The survival of the fittest," is the subject of the lecture to be given by Prof. John M. Tyler, of Amherst college, in Cochato hall, Braintree, next Friday evening; the eighth entertainment in the Cochato club course.

Rev. William S. Jones of East Bridgewater, formerly of Randolph, is to be a guest on Monday afternoon at the meeting of the Woman's Alliance in the parlor of First church and will read a paper on "Quebec and St. Anne de Beaupre."

Thursday, February the second, is the date now set for ladies' night of the Granite City club. Beside the club rooms, Colonial hall has also been secured and it promises to be an unusually brilliant affair, to which the ladies are looking forward with pleasant anticipations.

Miss Carrie Follett Spear gave her recital on "Modern Composers" before the Nahant Women's club on Tuesday, January 17. Mr. F. Stuart Mason accompanied with the violin and piano. Mr. Mason's, "Air l'Hongroise," written for violin and piano was very much appreciated.

Mrs. Henrietta Furnald, widow of Bryant Furnald, died yesterday at the Boston City Hospital from burns received Thursday at her home in Dorchester. She stepped on a match on the floor setting fire to her clothes. She leaves a son and several daughters. Mr. Furnald was a brother of N. B. Furnald of this city.

The Quincy Branch Alliance will meet Monday, January 23, at three o'clock in the parlor of First church. The paper of the afternoon will be by the Rev. William S. Jones of East Bridgewater, the subject being "Quebec and St. Anne De Beaupre." Those who have previously heard Mr. Jones are anticipating a rich treat. All women are invited to attend.

The Sunday evening series of lectures began last week in the Universalist church, Rev. D. M. Hodge, D. D., speaking on the Layman and the church. This week Rev. F. W. Hamilton, D. D., will speak, subject, Jesus, the Saviour of Mankind. These services are held at 7.30 o'clock, and the speakers are all men of eloquence and note.

Regarding the big "Mock Court Trial" at Music Hall, on Tuesday evening, January 24, it is hardly necessary to say more than it is coming off as scheduled, and will furnish the biggest dose of fun that an equal sum of money ever purchased before. There is a great deal of interest naturally, and the proceedings will be so skilfully managed, that the attention will be closely held all the way through. Several attempts have been made the past week to tamper with the jury but their price is so high that they are as yet uncontaminated.

At the whist party held at Mrs. Porterfield's on Wednesday evening, fifteen tables were in play and a general good time was enjoyed by all. The following were awarded souvenirs: Mrs. Mrs. Mary Thomas, Mr. Alex. Philips, Mrs. Jennie Langhorne, Mr. J. Ide, Mrs. D. Driscoll, Mr. Alex Craig, Mrs. Annie Rogers, Mr. G. F. Spooner, Mrs. Maggie Robertson. Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Phelan, Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Thomson. At the close a patch work quilt was awarded Mrs. Annie Pratt, she being the lucky one in guessing a number.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fisher of Grant street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a little daughter.

Miss Carrie Louise Underwood returned Wednesday from Methuen where she has been the guest of friends for a fortnight.

Miss Blanche Thayer is taking a much needed rest and is the guest for a few weeks of her sister Mrs. Henry Bowers of Marlboro street, Boston.

All who have not secured their tickets for the "Mock Trial" which takes place Tuesday night are advised to do so at once for good seats are getting few.

Three games were rolled off in the Old Colony league series Thursday night. The Quincys defeated Quincy Points three straight. The Holbrooks won two out of three from Weymouths and East Weymouths won two out of three from Braintree.

Mrs. Edith Noyes Porter announces a pianoforte recital by her protege, Miss Alice Goodall Eldridge, at Steinert hall, Boston, for Friday evening, February tenth. Original compositions by Mrs. Porter will be presented. Miss Eldridge will be assisted by Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Edith Woods, Mr. Frederick L. Mahn and Mr. Edward A. Osgood.

WEST QUINCY.

Rev. K. F. Henrikson and Rev. John Waananen of this city took part in the exercises at the dedication of the new Finnish church in Fitchburg on Sunday. Several members of the Quincy church were also present. The new church will seat 500

The Danvers basket ball team came to Quincy on Saturday evening for a return game with the St. Marys and won in a hot contest of 18 to 17.

Miss Mabel O'Dowd, of Copeland street, has fully recovered from a severe attack of the grip, and her many friends are pleased to see her up and around again.

The Norfolk County Commissioners have reappointed Rev. Edward W. Virgin, formerly of West Quincy, as chaplain of the jail and house of correction at Dedham, and Dr. Francis L. Babcock as physician.

Carl Foss, vice president of the Majestic club will entertain the members of the club at his home 39 1-2 Crescent street, West Quincy, Monday evening, Jan. 30. Carl Foss is one of the amateur checker players of the state and wishes to challenge any player in the state.

St. Francis court of Foresters will attend holy communion at St. Mary's church on Sunday morning at the 7.45 mass, in appreciation of the good work for the order by Joseph M. Sheahan, M. D., the court physician and a charter member.

The new Republican ward committee of Ward Four met Wednesday evening and elected Charles H. Owens as chairman and James M. Walker as secretary and treasurer.

Miss Abigail E. Corcoran of West Quincy and Mr. Eugene L. McAuliffe were married Thursday evening at St. Mary's church. Mr. McAuliffe was catcher for the Lynn Association base ball nine last season. A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents at 14 Centre street.

The St. Marys-Danvers basket ball game at Danvers Thursday evening ended in a dispute, the score being 15 to 15 at the time. It was awarded to the St. Marys by Umpire King.

The Monday club met this week with Miss Grace F. Doble. The entertainment included a paper by Miss Mabel Gragg. A dainty lunch was served.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Word was received of the death at Seattle, Washington, last week of Godfred Lunden of this city. Mr. Lunden who was about 24 years of age, was a son of John A. Lunden of Albertina street. He went to Seattle last fall and no word that he was ill had been received until the telegram announcing his death. The body was brought to Quincy for burial.

At the Saturday evening whist party in Doble's hall, fourteen tables were in play the highest score being 48. The souvenirs were awarded to Mr. A. Philips, Mrs. Marnock, Mr. D. McLennan, Mrs. Russell, Mr. Ellis, Mrs. Robertson, Mr. McIntosh, Mrs. A. Hall, Mrs. Anderson, and Mr. A. Black.

Mrs. Fred L. Jones is confined to her home on Granite street, quite ill.

Robert E. Foye is convalesing from his operation for appendicitis. His brother, C. J. Foye, is also at the City hospital, having dislocated his knee pan by slipping on the ice.

Mrs. Wellington Field of Independence avenue, who was seriously ill, is reported much improved and will soon be about again.

Dr. Roderick McLellan is building a two-flat house on Federal avenue. Each flat will contain eight rooms. The work is being done by day labor.

In the Superior civil court at Dedham has been on trial the case of Michael M. Cunniff of Brookline vs. Emily A. McDonnell of Buffalo, N. Y. It is an action to recover $3,666.66 as share of amount paid by plaintiff in settlement of liability of bond. It now goes to the Supreme court.

The granite manufacturers are rushing business just at present, although new orders are a little quiet.

The Barbers' union held its annual meeting in Doble's hall, Monday evening, and elected new officers.

The Merrymount Granite Company has elected these officers: President, James H. Sullivan; clerk, Michael B. Geary; treasurer, John C. Kapples; agent, P. W. Driscoll; directors, the above with Enos S. Costa, Lemuel J. Meyers and John McTierman.

G. A. R. and W. R. C. Convention.

The meeting of the Norfolk county G. A. R. and W. R. C. associations to have been held in Quincy some days ago, but postponed on account of the stormy weather, was held Wednesday. The morning session of the G. A. R. was held in Grand Army hall and that of the W. R. C. at the Universalist church. Both of these sessions were given up to reports and routine business.

At noon the two branches united at the Universalist church for lunch.

The afternoon was a joint session, and was held in the auditorium of the church. The desk was decorated with the American flag across which was the word "Welcome," while on the wall in the rear were the two association badges.

Commander Edward Dunbar of the G. A. R. association presided, and the afternoon was devoted to addresses interspersed with vocal selections by Comrade A. F. Bicknell and recitations by Mrs. Kate A. Hayden, Miss Phylis Smith and Miss Mabel Sherwood. The addresses were by D. H. L. Gleason, Department Chief Mustering Officer Rev. William A. Brady, George W. Penniman and Benjamin Eldridge.

It was announced that the next meeting would be held at Franklin. April 5.

The session closed with the singing of America, and blessing by Rev. Mr. Brady.

WOLLASTON.

Mrs. Judge Stevens and daughters, Misses Frances and Mary Stevens, and Miss Alice M. Crosby of Stoneham, have been the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Fay of Wollaston.

Rev. James DeNormandie will address the Wollaston Alliance upon "The Heart of the Bible" at the Unitarian vestry Wednesday, January 25, at three o'clock. An invitation has been extended to the Quincy and Neponset branches to be present at this meeting.

A mothers' meeting under the auspices of the Wollaston Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the Congregational vestry next Tuesday January 24, at two-thirty. Dr. Lurana A. Chubbuck of New Bedford will be the speaker.

Mrs. Alfred P. Thompson of Brook street, Wollaston, entertained the Junior Friday club on Monday afternoon.

The Panama canal will be the subject under discussion by the Unity club next Friday evening in the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church. It will be the first in a series on recent American annexations and will be under the direction of Rev. Frank Wright Pratt. The music of the evening will be selections from Dudley Buck.

The Ladies' Musical club will meet with Mrs. W. H. Howes, 8 Berlin street, Monday evening, January twenty-third, at eight o'clock.

Miss Grace M. Farrington, of Arlington street, has been ill with grip and tonsilitis.

Rev. Carlton P. Mills and Mrs. Mills of Hancock street, will spend this week in Philadelphia where Mr. Mills' new duties have called him for a few days.

Theodore, the young son of Rev. and Mrs. Frank Pratt, is unable to attend to his kindergarten duties at present. He is the victim of a bad cold.

The ladies of the Social and Benevolent society of the Wollaston Baptist church met in the chapel Monday noon to finish work left uncompleted last week.

The new four-masted schooner built at Bath, Me., for R. R. Freeman of Boston, says the Post, has been named Orleans. She is 170 feet in length, 37 feet beam and 14 feet deep, and will be commanded by Captain John MacDonald of the Mary Sanford, brother of Captain Angus MacDonald of the Future, owned by the same gentleman.

Franc Bishop, of Wollaston, has been ill with an attack of the grip.

The rehearsal Thursday evening, of the minstrel show to be given by the Young People's Religious Union of the Wollaston Unitarian church gave evidence of rapid improvement.

Miss Edith Foster Barker of 324 Farrington street, who has been assistant kindergartener in the Belcher school East Milton, for nearly four years has received an appointment in the Quincy district of Boston public schools and will begin her new duties Jan. 30.

The second meeting in the series of free Mothers' Meetings given under the auspices of the Social and Benevolent Society of the Wollaston Baptist church was held last Monday afternoon in the chapel. Miss Julia F. Baker, a kindergartener of large experience in Boston, gave a very able paper on "The Child's Imagination." A discussion followed the paper. The next meeting will be held on Feb. 13 and will be addressed by Miss Lillian B. Poor; subject, "The child's occupation."

DOWNS AND PARK.

Mr. Haskins and family, of Marlboro street, are moving into their new house on Willett street.

Elwyn R. Thorpe of Norfolk Downs has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $6,172.18 and no assets.

It is reported that there is excellent skating behind the bluff near the Sailors' Home.

A petition signed by the young people of Wollaston Park, asking for a skating rink on Marr's field, Beach street, was sent to the City Council, Monday evening.

Miss Millie A. Damon, who for several years was a popular teacher in the Massachusetts Fields school, has returned from the west, and is at present at her home in Kittery, Me. Miss Damon went to South Dakota, in the fall of 1902, to take a much needed rest, and her many friends in Wollaston will be glad to know that she has returned after a two years sojourn there with renewed health and strength.

Milton Firemen's Ball.

The annual ball of the Milton Fire department on Wednesday night was very largely attended, and it was one of the times when a larger Town Hall would have been appreciated. Among the guests were the selectmen and other town officials, Representative Pierce, and officers of neighboring fire departments.

The floor marshal was Capt. George F. Choate, and the floor director Henry M. McCue, who was assisted by: B. F. Murray, J. Harry Holmes, John A. Elweel, David A. Hefferman, George O. Bowman, Harry Brierly and Thomas F. McDermott.

The aids were Thomas S. McWhirke, Frank Williams, E. E. Choate, James H. Haley, Edward Fleming, James Craig, Frank Hall, J. F. McCue, George Hersey, Patrick Moran, John Dalton and M. J. McCue.

The reception committee included: Chief Choate, Engineer Ellerton P. Whitney, Harry Capen, Lieut. Harry Hall, Joseph Fuller, Joseph B. Blanchard, Henry Trull, George Clements, Samuel O. Hebard, Sanborn A. Littlefield, Elias Williams, Clarence Halevy, John Tolman and E. N. Frost. The committee of arrangements included: Capts. Charles H. Bowman, Davis A. Littlefield, William Brophy and E. A. McCue.

Manet Club.

It was literary night at the Manet club Tuesday evening. The meeting was held in the parish house of Christ church, and well attended by members and friends. The guests of the evening were Mrs. William E. Alden who read a paper on "Robert Burns," and Miss Bessie C. Ross, soprano soloist.

The evening opened with a group of Burns songs: "John Anderson, my Jo" and "Ye Banks and Braes o' Bonie Doon." Miss Ross' voice is well suited to the beautiful old ballads, for in the upper register it is clear and melodious and every note is sustained without effort. Miss Ross was applauded and responded with "Robin Adair."

Mrs. Alden was then introduced, and for nearly an hour held the closest attention of her audience. After dwelling on the place Burns has won in literature and in the hearts of the people, she took up the various periods of his life, at Mount Oliphant, Irvine, Ellisland and Edinburgh, telling of the influence which acted upon him, and made him what he was; especial attention was paid to his methods of composition, and the interesting circumstances, which called forth Tam O'Shanta were narrated.

Miss Ross concluded the program by singing "Afton water," and "My love is like a red, red rose."

QUINCY POINT AND NECK.

The alarm from Box 71 a few minutes past midnight Monday morning was for a fire in an outbuilding owned by Henry H. Faxon, on Washington street near Pond street. The fire was probably caused by a careless smoker. Loss $10.

The young people are enjoying fine skating on Town river, near the foot of Edison street.

A little stranger has lately entered the home of Capt. and Mrs. E. B. Neal of Point Holes.

Quite a few badly intoxicated men were seen about the streets on Sunday. There was at least one, who found his way to the police station.

George Perry, a former resident of Quincy Point, died Jan. 13 at Tewksbury. Mr. Perry has been in poor health for some time. He leaves a widow and five children.

Mrs. C. E. Snow of Sargents lane, who was operated on at the City Hospital four weeks ago, has so far improved as to be removed to the home of her sister, Mrs. Friend Crane.

C. W. Carter is in New Hampshire on a few days' business trip.

G. E. Tower of East Howard street is recovering from a slight attack of the grip.

Florence, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thayer of Cleverly court, is confined to the house by illness

A dispatch from Philadelphia reports that the barge Saucon for Quincy Point, in tow of the tug Valley Forge, broke away last Saturday and went ashore at Bombay hook, Delaware bay, and is still aground.

Mr. Richardson of Hanna street, Quincy Point whose little daughter had the misfortune to fall and dislocate one of her shoulders, is getting along comfortably. Dr. Bushnell was the surgeon.

The indications are that there will be considerable building in Quincy the coming spring. All of the real estate men report considerable activity in that line, while the builders report many proposed houses, particularly in the Quincy Point district.

John S. Odom has had a serious attack of bronchitis. His physician reports him on the "mending hand," and he will soon be out again.

T. J. Carey, of South street has accepted a position with the Metropolitan Insurance Company.

MILTON.

The Apollo male quartette, with Fred E. Kendall reader, gave a pleasing entertainment before a large audiance at the East Congregational church Wednesday evening.

A comedy entitled, "The Scarlet Bonnet" will be given at the East Congregational church Jan. 27.

C. J. Tinker has returned from a business trip to Vermont.

O. W. Smith is confined to his home by illness.

The young people are forming a whist club.

William Cross of Belcher circle has gone to a Boston hospital being ill with rheumatic fever.

William Barron of Granite place was held up by two negroes in Boston last Saturday night, but the prompt arrival of a policeman saved him from being robbed. Mr. Barron received a bad cut on the head however.

Rebekah Installation.

George L. Gill Rebekah lodge installed their newly elected officers for the ensuing year at I. O. O. F. hall Thursday evening, the services being conducted in an able manner by Clara M. Folger, S. D. D. and suite of Brockton.

About one hundred and fifty witnessed the work, including visitors from Braintree, Charlestown, Neponset, Brockton, Boston, Dorchester and other places.

The new officers are:

N. G.,—Mrs. Melissa A. McCormick.
V. G.,—Mrs. Addie Dewhurst.
Sec'y,—Miss Georgietta Thayer.
Fin. Sec'y,—Miss M. Jennie Davis.
Treas.,—Miss M. Lizzie Furnald.
Warden,—Mrs. Helen Flowers.
Cond.,—Miss Jennie Crowell.
I. G.,—Mrs. Sadie J. Mitchell.
O. G.,—E. Frank Mitchell.
R. S. N. G.,—A. F. McLeod.
L. S. N. G.,—Miss Grace Turner.
R. S. V. G.,—Miss Mary Manhire.
L. S. V. G.,—Miss Sadie Mountain.
Chaplain,—Mrs. Kate A. Prout.
Pianist,—Miss Elvira Ewell.

Remarks were made by the deputy and suite and other visiting members. All spoke in glowing terms of the good work and the high standing in which George L. Gill lodge is held.

Mrs. Elsie L. Robinson Past President of the Rebekah assembly graced the gathering with her presence and spoke words of encouragement and praise, and told of the good work being done towards making the inmates of the Odd Fellows home at Worcester contented and happy.

Mrs. Clara M. Folger in behalf of the lodge presented Mrs. Annie T. Jones, the retiring Noble Grand, with a Past Grand collar, and in return Mrs. Jones, in behalf of the newly installed officers, presented Mrs. Folger with a beautiful bouquet.

At the close all adjourned to the banquet hall, where a fine turkey supper was served. The evening was one of the pleasantest and closed with dancing and a general good time.

Monday Evening Club.

The Monday Evening club of Atlantic held its second meeting of the season January 16. One hundred and seventy members were present to listen to a forcible paper on "John Calvin and Calvinism" presented by the Rev. Ellery C. Butler of Quincy.

Miss Beatrice Briggs read an interesting and instructive paper on "The Arts and Crafts Movement."

Miss Florence Buxton and Mr. Carl Weinschenk had the music in charge.

Miss Hickok, a child violinist, but already an accomplished musician entertained the club with violin solos. The other soloist was Mr. Plancon, baritone. Miss Haskell and Miss Buxton accompanied.

The next meeting of the club will be on February 6. Mr. John Woodbury, secretary of the Metropolitan Park Commission will talk on the Metropolitan Park System and illustrate with stereoptican views.

The Monday Evening club at date has a paid membership of two hundred thirty-two.

—In the Suffolk Superior court Jan. 13, Arthur W. Cole recovered a verdict for $289 against Andrew A. Meyer for services rendered by Charles J. Lord, his assignor, as a real estate expert in connection with litigation which Meyer had brought for the taking of property at Quincy by the commonwealth for sewer purposes. The suit was to recover $320.

An event of interest to the Daughters of the Revolution is the matinee to be given next Thursday, the twenty-sixth, at the Hollis Street theatre. It is to be a vaudeville, participated in by prominent daughters. Adams chapter has secured a block of seats.

ATLANTIC.

Miss Emma King of Clive street entertained the Smart Set whist club Tuesday evening. Miss King's artistic talent led her to kindly give each guest a sample of her pen and ink work on the favors that were given for the choice of partners. It is chronicled with pleasure that the Smart Set have excellent appetites and the hostess was not wanting in appeasing them. Prize winners were Miss Corinna Wilde and Miss Gertrude Warren; Mrs. Charles Cherrington and Miss Ruth Bassett.

The monthly business meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Memorial Congregational church of Atlantic was held in the church on Wednesday. A social afternoon was enjoyed, with music and an address by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Miller; after which refreshments were served. A large and interested number were present.

Mrs. Fulton, of Briggs street, has been seriously ill with pneumonia, the past week.

Miss Jeannette Sanders of Wayland, Mass., was a guest of Miss Mabel Drew of Walker street, last week.

Mrs. Frank Jenkins of Billings street, who has been ill for some time, is regaining health and will soon be off the invalid list.

Mrs. H. Siter of Williams street, Atlantic, has the misfortune to fall in Boston last week, dislocating her knee cap. She was taken to the hospital

The Sagamore block is receiving a coat of green paint on the front side.

The skating on the Neponset playground has been fine the past week and has been enjoyed by many of the Atlantic and Wollaston people.

C. A. Robinson of the United States Navy, has been a guest this week of of his aunt Mrs. Charles Safford of Clive street. Mr. Robinson has travelled all over the world and relates incidents of his trips with interesting fluency.

Jackson's pond, which use to afford a skating place for the school children, who have little time after hours to walk any great distance for the pastime, has been broken up and spoiled by too hasty sampling of its skating possibilities.

Dorothy, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parker of Billings street is seriously ill.

About the usual number attended the dance in Music hall, Atlantic, Wednesday evening. All those desiring tickets for the fancy dress ball to be given next Wednesday will have to get them from some member of the dancing class or from Miss Lena Crane, for no tickets will be sold at the door.

Thirty-five years ago Friday a house was struck by lightning at Atlantic and a man killed.

The Atlantic depot was entered by burglars sometime after the late train Thursday night and ticket office robbed of $25 in money. Entrance was gained to the building and office by smashing windows.

Bethany Church Annual.

The annual meeting of Bethany church corporation was held Wednesday evening, and the reports showed the church to be prospering spiritually and financially.

The current expenses of the year were about $4,500, and a loan of $236.87 made in 1903 was paid. The liabilities including a loan of $400 amount to $502.56, and the unpaid pledges of 1904 amount to $237.27.

The receipts if included $3,949 87 from pledges, $291.59 from collections and smaller sums.

The benevolence of the church for the year amounted to $4,583.00, making the total expenditures of the church and societies $9,790.00.

The ballot for officers resulted as follows:

Moderator,—Frank W. Crane.

Deacons for three years,—A. L. Hayden and James E. Meyers.

Deaconesses,—Miss Amelia L. Bampus, Mrs. Maria McPhail, Mrs. Jennie M. Crane, Mrs. Sarah I. Wood, Mrs. Annie M. Hayden and Mrs. Jane D. Murdock.

Clerk,—Ernest D. Gourd.

Treasurer,—Charles W. Miller.

Church committee,—the pastor, deacons, deaconesses, clerk, treasurer and superintendent of Bible school.

Presidential committee for three years,—Cyrus T. Sherman.

Auditor,—William H. Fay.

Finance committee,—Theophilus King, W. E. Blanchard, Frank W. Crane, Victor E. Miller and William F. Sidelinger.

Music committee,—William G. Shaw, Cyrus T. Sherman, Charles Scammell, Miss Grace Isaac and Mrs. W. E. Alden.

Covell—Ryder.

Miss Katherine Wilson Ryder, daughter of J. H. Ryder of Middleboro Highlands, and John H. Covell, freight agent at Quincy Adams, were married at the bride's home here Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. M. B. Wilson of the Central M. E. church of Fairhaven, assisted by Rev. W. C. Ryder, an uncle of the bride, of the Independent Congregational church at Rock, says a Middleboro dispatch to the Globe.

The couple entered the parlor to the strains of a wedding march played by Miss Bertha Benson of South Middleboro, and proceeded to a corner of the parlor, dressed in holly, where they were married under a horseshoe. The ring service was used. The bride was attended by Miss Nellie Covell of Sagamore, a sister of the groom, and the best man was William Smith of Brockton.

After the ceremony a reception was held, the ushers being the three brothers of the bride, Howard F. Ryder of Boston, Henry L. Ryder and Reuben H. Ryder of the Highlands.

The bride was attired in white Swiss muslin, with lace and insertion trimmings, wore a veil and carried lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid wore white Swiss muslin with ribbon and lace trimmings and carried carnations.

Guests were present from Boston, Brockton, Wareham, Taunton, Fairhaven, Sagamore, East Greenwich, R. I., Quincy and Medford. The couple received many gifts. On their return from a trip south Mr. and Mrs. Couell will be at home at Quincy Adams, after Feb. 1.

A Lively Patient.

John Rossi, employed as a stone cutter nearly made a wreck of the office of Dr. Jones Wednesday afternoon.

Rossi had his hand badly crushed by a stone and was taken to the office of the doctor for treatment. It became necessary to use anesthetics, but at the first breath Rossi jumped from the table and running into the parlor commenced to do a circus act on the furniture and finished up by jumping through the window.

He then ran across the meadow to the railroad tracks and up the tracks toward South Quincy where he was captured and taken back to the office and had his hand dressed.

Rossi apologized for his action and said the anesthetic made him crazy for a few minutes.

HIGH SCHOOL HALL
THURSDAY, JANUARY 26, 1905, at 8 o'clock.
For the benefit of the City Hospital an illustrated lecture on the Panama Canal, Cuba, and the opportunities for Americans in the tropics, will be given by
CAPT. CHAS. MASON FULLER
Under the auspices of the
Hospital Aid Association.
TICKETS - - 25 Cents.
For sale by Members and at Hearn's and Weeks-Hill Drug Stores and Pettengill's Jewelry Store.
Quincy, Jan. 16. 1 10t p 1w

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Thankful for past favors and hoping for a continuance of the same,
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C. E. WOODBURY.
Quincy, March 1st, 1904.

WANTED.
WANTED—An experienced general housework girl. Swede preferred. Four in family. Wages, five dollars. Apply to Mrs. Geo. H Baker near R. R. Station, Weymouth.
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FOR SALE—Fine Black Walnut Upright Piano, in good condition. A great bargain; also household goods at a bargain. 51 RAWSON ROAD, Norfolk Downs, Mass.
Jan. 20. 1-6t p-1w

FOR SALE.
LOT FOR SALE—In Wollaston, on Old Colony avenue, near depot, a desirable lot 60 x 90 feet. $400 for quick sale; easy terms. Address Mrs. W. T. Bryant, Box 117, East Whitman, Mass. Jan. 17-6t 21-1w

FASHIONABLE
Hair Dressing Rooms.
REMOVAL.
Having leased the neat and cosy rooms on Saville street, between Hancock street and the Quincy station, I would invite all my old friends and customers to call and see me. I shall conduct a first class place and give particular attention to Children's Hair; hoping for a liberal share of patronage . . .
C. Frank Randall
Quincy, Jan. 19. 1-3t p-1w

The Shipbuilders Club.

A new club has been opened at Quincy Point. It is called the "Shipbuilder's Club," and while intended for men who are employed at the Fore River works it is open to all who care to use it. It is located at 747 Washington street a few blocks below Chubbuck street.

On the lower floor is a large reading room with comfortable chairs, and one long table on which may be found all the magazines and daily papers. At another table are writing materials.

On this same floor is a card room in which will soon be placed a piano, and also a kitchen where at a counter can be bought for moderate prices cigars, tobacco and coffee. Here also may be found a laundry agency

On the second floor is a pool room furnished with an excellent full-sized pool table, and a room fitted with tables for cards, checkers and chess.

Installation.

The officers of John A Boyd, camp Legion of Spanish War Veterans, will be installed this Saturday evening, at Odd Fellows hall, Wollaston. A large number of prominent civilians, and military men are expected to be present, among the invited guests being:

Lieut. Col. Henry L. Kincaide of Governor's staff.

George H. Manks, commander-in-chief, L. S. W. V.

Major Geo. F. H. Murray, past commander-in-chief, L. S. W. V.

Major Willis W. Stover, past commander-in-chief, L. S. W. V.

And others.

Tremont Theatre.

Mr. James K. Hackett, who comes with his company to the Tremont Theatre, Boston, next Monday, will present upon that occasion a new romantic drama in four acts by Mrs. C. A. Dorrnus and Leonidas Westervelt, entitled "The fortunes of the King." Mr. Hackett will, in this play, be seen as Charles Stuart, who afterward became Charles II, of England, a character in which the actor's well known qualities and abilities will be doubtless revealed to the best advantage. The action of the play takes place in the year 1651, shortly after the battle of Worcester, when Charles met and became enamoured of the charming Jane Lane. There are, naturally, many stirring incidents in the play, and withal a deal of exquisite and most tender sentiment. In essaying the role of Charles Stuart, Mr. Hackett is following his custom of recent years in adhering to strictly romatic characters. He has found through experience that the theatre-going public best appreciates him in this line of work, and moreover, the romantic actors now in the field are becoming less and less in number. Great care has been exercised to make the stage pictures accurate in detail as well as beautiful. The scenery, costumes and accessories have been made from rare plates that were obtained only after long research and with much difficulty. The engagement is positively limited to two weeks.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

NORFOLK, ss. January 3, 1905.

TAKEN on execution and will be sold at public auction on Monday, February 6th, A. D. 1905, at twelve o'clock M., at Room 1, No. 1433 Hancock street, in Quincy in the County of Norfolk, all the right, title and interest which Herbert F. Doble of Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment and levy by execution) on the first day of August, A. D. 1903, at seven o'clock A. M., (being the time the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following described real estate situated in Quincy, Weymouth and Milton, viz:

FIRST—A certain parcel of land, situated in Quincy, bounded northerly on land now or formerly of John Vogel, formerly of Babcock, 100 feet; easterly on land now or formerly of Doble, 30 feet; southerly on land now or formerly of Gulliver, 110 feet; westerly on Willard street, 30 feet, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 579, Page 354.

SECOND—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, being lots numbered 11, 13, 15, 16, 20, 22, 23, and 25, on a "Plan of House Lots in West Quincy Belonging to H. F. Doble," made by Whitman, Breck & Company, dated August, 1886, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 587, Page 316; being a part of the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 587, Page 315.

THIRD—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, containing 7,520 square feet, being lot numbered 17 on a "Plan of House Lots situated in West Quincy Owned by B. W. Reardon," dated June, 1882, recorded with Norfolk Records, Plan Book 9, No. 355, and being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 830, Page 622.

FOURTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded as follows: Northwesterly partly on land now or formerly of Elcock and partly on land now or formerly of J. Q. Adams, in all 400 feet; northeasterly on an old drift-way, 196 feet; southeasterly on land now or formerly of Margaret Fontaine or by whom owned, 335 feet; southwesterly on land now or formerly of Elcock, 90 feet, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 667, Page 500.

FIFTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded as follows: Northerly on Copeland street, 105 feet; westerly on land now or late of Joseph W. Robertson, 14 rods 13 feet; southwesterly on land now or late of Andrew; and easterly on land now or formerly of John A. Duggan, 16 rods 3 links; containing 8,050 square feet, more or less, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 677, Page 489, and also in Book 789, Page 357.

SIXTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded westerly on a drift-way now called Hall place, 62 1-2 feet; northerly by a drift-way formerly of J. W. Robertson, 276 feet; easterly by land now or formerly of Catholic Cemetery, formerly of Robertson, 171 feet; and northerly by land now or formerly of Nicholas Carey, 264 feet; being a part of the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 867, Page 563.

SEVENTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded northerly on land now or formerly of Charles Riley, 165 feet; easterly on land now or formerly of City of Quincy, formerly of Robertson, 21 2-10 feet; southerly on a drift-way, 165 feet; westerly on said Hall place 69 feet, containing 7,234 square feet, and being part of the premises conveyed by deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 867, Page 563.

EIGHTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded southerly by land now or late of Ann Maria White; westerly by land formerly of Samuel Brackett, northerly by land now or late of Charles F. Adams; easterly by land formerly of Clarissa Hayward, containing 14 acres, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 905, Page 531.

NINTH—Also a certain parcel of land, in Quincy, bounded northerly on Crescent street; easterly on a roadway called Hall place; southerly on land now or formerly of James Hall; westerly on Willard street; northerly again on land now or formerly of the St. Francis Court, No. 25, of the Massachusetts Catholic Order of Foresters; and again westerly on said last named land, being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 935, Page 195.

TENTH—Also a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in Weymouth, being lots numbered 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18 on a "Plan of House Lots in North Weymouth Belonging to E. S. Beals, Esq., October 1894, Nash & Hunter, Civil Engineers," recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 34, No. 1,587, being a part of the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 801, Page 264.

ELEVENTH—Also a certain parcel of land situated in Milton, being lots numbered 11, 12 and 19 on a plan made by Henry Mackay, dated December, 1894, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 18, Plan No. 834, being a part of the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 775, Page 392.

D. EDWARD BEEDE,
Deputy Sheriff.

Jan. 7 3w

Mortgagee's Sale.

BY virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by George M. McCallar of Cambridge, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Emma Eames Story, wife of Julian Story, of Paris, France, dated March 10th, 1902, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Vol. 916, page 136, will be sold at public auction for breach of the condition of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, on the premises to wit, on the parcel hereafter described situated at the corner of Beale street and Winthrop avenue, in Wollaston, on the second day of February 1905, at 2.15 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed (except as hereafter set forth), and described therein as follows:—

"The following parcels of land all situated in that part of Quincy in the County of Norfolk, and Commonwealth aforesaid called Wollaston, bounded and described as follows, viz.—Lots numbered one, two and three in Block 3 of Section No. 4 on a plan recorded with Norfolk Deeds and bounded northwesterly on Beale street; easterly on lots 4 and 5 in said Block 3 two hundred and forty-eight and 6-10 (248.6) feet; southerly on Hillside avenue one hundred and fifty-nine feet; and southwesterly on Summit avenue two hundred and five and 3-10 (205.3) feet, Containing 47,605 square feet. Also lot numbered three in Block G of Section 6, as shown on a plan drawn by D. Granger and Son and recorded with Norfolk Deeds at the end of book 406, bounded, northeasterly on lot eleven in said block fifty and 68-100 (50.68) feet, southeasterly on lot four in said block one hundred (100) feet; southwesterly on Arlington street fifty and 68-100 (50.68) feet; and northwesterly on lots one and two in said block one hundred (100) feet. Containing 5,068 square feet. Also lot numbered fourteen (14) in Section one of Block four, as shown on the plan above referred to, bounded, seventy-six and 57-100 (76.57) feet on Beale street; eighty-eight and 12-100 feet (88.12) on Winthrop avenue; ninety (90) feet on lot numbered thirteen (13) in said Section; one hundred (100) feet on lot numbered fifteen (15) in said Section. Containing 7,793.9 square feet. Also a certain parcel bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at the northeasterly corner of lot eleven in Block one of Section four on a plan drawn by D. Granger and Son recorded with said Deeds and running westerly along said avenue one hundred (100) feet; thence westerly and northwesterly following the curving line of said avenue ninety-three (93) feet to Webster street; thence still northwesterly by Webster street fifty and 6-10 (50.6) feet to lot number eight in said block; thence southwesterly by said lot eight one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence turning and running southeasterly one hundred and ninety-one (191) feet; thence northeasterly thirty-nine (39) feet; thence more easterly one hundred ninety-three (193) feet to lot number twelve (12) in said Block; thence northerly by said lot twelve one hundred and thirty (130) feet to the point of beginning. Containing 46,048 square feet more or less. Being lots numbered nine, ten and eleven in said Block one. Also lot E, Block one, Section one, on a plan of land of the Wollaston Land Associates by Whitman and Breck or revised by them, duly recorded with said Norfolk Deeds. Also a parcel of land in Block 14, Section 6, on said plan situated on Central avenue and Belmont street being the fourth and last parcel described in the deed of Moses Fairbanks et al, Trustees to Frank P. Partridge, recorded with said Deeds, Book 533, page 221. Also lots six (6) and nine (9) in Block One of Section Two of Lands of the Wollaston Land Associates, as shown on a plan of said block drawn by Whitman and Breck and recorded with said Norfolk Deeds at the end of Book 532. Said lot six is bounded southwesterly on Central avenue sixty-six and 6-10 (66.6) feet; northwesterly on lot five (5) on said plan one hundred thirty-four (134) feet; northeasterly on Belmont street sixty-seven (67) feet; and southeasterly on lots seven and eight on said plan one hundred and twenty-seven (127) feet. Containing 8,691 square feet. Said lot nine is bounded southwesterly by Central avenue sixty and 5-10 (60.5) feet; northwesterly on land conveyed to Lafreniere one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet; northeasterly on Belmont street sixty (60) feet; and southeasterly on lot ten (10) on said plan one hundred and nineteen (119) feet. Containing 7,320 square feet. Or however otherwise bounded, measured or described. Being the same premises conveyed to me" (said George M. McCallar) "by two deeds,—one of Homer F. Hunt dated January 9, 1901, and recorded with said deeds, Book 902, page 192; and one of Frank P. Partridge dated July 17, 1901, and recorded with said deeds, Book 901, page 133, except one lot, being the last lot described in said deed of Hunt, which has been conveyed by me" (said George M. McCallar) "to Mabel S. Soule; and meaning and intending hereby to convey everything conveyed to me" (said George M. McCallar) "by said two deeds (with said exception) whether herein correctly described or not."

One of said parcels has however, been heretofore released from the operation of said mortgage, to wit, viz:—Lot numbered three (3) in Block G of Section 6, as above described; and said lot will therefore not be included in said sale.

The premises will be sold subject to the restrictions mentioned or referred to in said two deeds of Hunt and Partridge, respectively, above described, in so far as the said restrictions are now in force; and subject also to any and all tax sales and all unpaid taxes.

Five hundred dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms may be then announced.

EMMA EAMES STORY, Mortgagee.

Burrage & Hayden, attorneys, 84 State street, Boston, Mass.

Jan. 7, 3w

AUCTION SALE
—OF—
BANK STOCK.

Thirty-three (33) Shares National Mount Wollaston Bank of Quincy, will be sold TUESDAY, Jan. 24, 1905, at 3.30 P. M., at the banking rooms of said Bank.

By order of the Board of Directors.

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Quincy, Jan. 20. 13t p1w

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Quincy, Jan. 18. 1-4t p-1w

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in the estate of

MARY JANE MARDEN,

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, William M. Marden, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the eighth day of February, A. D. 1905, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Quincy Patriot, a newspaper published in Quincy, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

JOHN D. COBB, Register.

Jan. 7. 3w

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George W. Patten to George A. Fisher, trustee under the will of Betsy Tucker, dated January 1, 1898, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 809, fol. 598, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on THURSDAY, the ninth day of February, A. D., 1905, at three o'clock in the afternoon all the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows: A certain parcel of land situated in that part of the City of Quincy in the County of Norfolk called Atlantic, being the lot numbered three hundred ninety-two on a plan of "Norfolk Downs" by Charles D. Elliot dated April, 1892, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book of Plans No. 14, plan No. 640 and bounded and described as follows, viz.: Southwesterly by Royal street fifty feet; northwesterly by lot No. 391 on said plan one hundred feet; northeasterly by lot No. 394 on said plan fifty feet; Southeasterly by lot No. 393 on said plan one hundred feet. Containing 5000 square feet of land be all of said measurements and area more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to said George W. Patten by Robert Treat Paine, Jr., et. al., trustees by instrument dated December 23d, 1897 duly recorded. The premises will be sold subject to the restrictions in said deed contained.

Said premises will also be sold subject to any tax sales, unpaid taxes or municipal liens or assessments whatsoever.

Terms,—$50 in cash to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

DUDLEY TALBOT,
Present Trustee under the will of Betsy Tucker, mortgagee.

CHARLES GASTON SMITH, Solicitor,
2343 Washington Street.

Boston, January 4, 1905. 3w 14 21-28

Sheriff's Sale.

NORFOLK, ss. January 3, 1905.

Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction on MONDAY, February 6th, A. D. 1905, at twelve o'clock M., at Room 1, No. 1433 Hancock street, in Quincy in the County of Norfolk, all the right, title and interest which Wilbur F. Lakin of Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment and levy by execution) on the first day of August, A. D. 1903, at seven o'clock A. M. (being the time the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following described real estate, viz:

FIRST—A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon in said Quincy bounded southerly by Third street, 17 rods; easterly by land now or formerly of Souther and of the heirs of Nathaniel White, and on the Boland Meadow, so-called now or formerly belonging to J. Q. Adams, 20 rods; northerly on the river, 14 rods; westerly on land now or formerly of said Souther, 20 rods; being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 441, Page 37.

SECOND—Also a certain parcel of land, in said Quincy, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on Willard street at the easterly corner of said premises, thence running northeasterly on land now or formerly of Samuel Babcock, 865 feet; thence turning and running northwesterly 442.75 feet; thence turning and running southwesterly 516.5 feet; thence turning and running southeasterly 171.75 feet; thence westerly 140 feet to said Willard street; thence southeasterly along said Willard street 599.5 feet, to the point of beginning, containing 9 3-4 acres, more or less, and being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 918, Page 127.

THIRD—Also a certain parcel of land, in said Quincy, bounded northwesterly by Robertson street, 100 feet; northeasterly by land belonging now or formerly to the estate of J. W. Robertson, 166.5 feet; southeasterly by other land now or formerly of said Robertson Estate, 100 feet; northwesterly by land now or formerly of Maloney, 166.5 feet; containing 16,650 square feet more or less, and being the premises described in deed recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 948, Page 127.

D. EDWARD BEEDE,
Deputy Sheriff.

Jan. 7 3w

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9155.

TO the creditors of ERNEST E. DONOVAN of East Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of July, A. D., 1904, the said Ernest E. Donovan was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 28th day of January, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Jan. 17, 1905. 21-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9563.

TO the creditors of THOMAS G. THRASHER of Avon, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of November, A. D., 1904, the said Thomas G. Thrasher was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 28th day of January, A. D., 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Jan. 17, 1905. 21-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9729.

TO the creditors of OSKAR E. DJERF and CARL G. WINQUIST, both of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, doing business under the firm name of Djerf & Winquist, in said Quincy, and district aforesaid, bankrupts.

Notice is hereby given that on the 31st day of December, A. D., 1904, the said Oskar E. Djerf and Carl G. Winquist were duly adjudicated bankrupts; and that the first meeting of their creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building on the 28th day of January, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupts, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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Jan. 17, 1905. 21-1w

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The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 1905.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.		Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn	Full Sea. Eve	Moon rises.
Saturday,	Jan 21,	7 08	4 44	11.15	11.45	rises A.M
Sunday,	" 22	7.07	4.45	12.00	12 00	6.42 "
Monday,	" 23,	7.05	4.46	12.15	12.45	7.53 "
Tuesday,	" 24	7 05	4.47	1.15	1 30	9.06 "
Wednesday,	" 25,	7 05	4.49	2 00	2 30	10.17 "
Thursday,	" 26,	7 04	4.50	3.00	3.15	11.26 "
Friday,	" 27,	7.03	4.51	4.00	4.15	12 01 "

Full Moon, Jan. 21st, 2.14 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of month for three years:

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1904.	In 1903.	In 1902.
Sunday,	20	32	34	35	40
Monday,	32	36	30	40	45
Tuesday,	37	45	24	50	34
Wednesday,	41	30	16	19	37
Thursday,	47	38	10	10	51
Friday,	44	33	26	25	48
Saturday.	—	22	34	45	32

Notes and Comments.

Economy is the watchword of Congress but every man there is trying hard not to let it begin at home.

It is good news to learn that the City Hospital of Quincy was never in a better financial condition.

To remove the tariff from Philippine tobacco, says the Connecticut statesman, will be to take bread and cigars out of the mouths of babes and helpless women of that state.

In answering applications for positions in Panama and for the Jefferson Bible published by Congress the Congressmen nowadays is earning his salary.

Dr. Dowie says he has received a "revelation" directing him to establish a Zion City in Mexico. This may be all right for Mexico but the United States are entitled to a rest.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union urges the government to discharge all soldiers from the army who are "addicted to drink." This is the most radical suggestion for abolishing the army that has yet been offered.

Commissioner General Sargent is working energetically toward a better distribution of the immigrants who are coming to us so rapidly. Handbooks of information as to the best places for settling will be printed in a dozen different languages to be distributed to each incoming steamer carrying steerage passengers. This will be a time for the states to be modest about their attractions.

Fourth class postmasters throughout the country have been less vociferous in their demands for a larger allowance since the dismissal of Oscar Pogue of Texas who fell under the axe while busily engaged in Washington in bringing pressure to bear upon Congressmen. "Absent without leave," was the alleged reason for his dismissal but as President of the National Association of Fourth class postmasters and an active supporter of the lobby in Washington he was on the "firing line."

With an entirely new Committee on Public Buildings in the City Council we will hope that progress will be made on providing increased accommodation at the High school. Four of the five members are new Councilmen, and Mr. Piper is the chairman. One of the members is from Ward Three, one from Ward One, one from Ward Two, one from Ward Five, and one from Ward Six. Two, however, were elected at large. The chairman has already introduced orders for new plans.

The school authorities appreciate the interest taken in our public schools by Charles E. Goodspeed and Fred B. Rice who have presented each of the thirteen buildings including the Woodward Institute with large engravings by Marshall of President Lincoln and President Grant. Each engraving is suitably framed in dark oak, and each building will have the companion pictures. Such interest should be encouraged, as the engravings will add greatly to the art collections which some of the Quincy school buildings now have.

In his inaugural address, delivered Tuesday, the incoming Governor of New Jersey, Edward C. Stokes, omits the usual laudatory reference to New Jersey's corporation laws and registers his dissent from the "Stand pat" proposition that because New Jersey has made money by reason of her corporation laws therefore the laws are good enough and need no amendment. He insists that New Jersey has a duty towards other States and towards the public, as well as obligations towards capital incorporated under New Jersey laws.

"Legislation," he says, "for revenue only is unsound and should never be encouraged, but honest legislation, which safe-guards the rights of the public and thereby attracts capital and enterprise, and produces increased income, is New Jersey's aim."

We are glad to see that the principle of arbitration in labor disputes has at last received official recognition in the granite industry of Quincy, the committee of the Manufacturers' Association having proposed to the committee of the Granite Cutters' Union to refer any and all questions upon which the two committees cannot agree to outside arbitration, no strike or lockout to occur pending the settlement.

It is to be hoped that the proposition may be promptly agreed to by the granite cutters and thus avoid the strikes and lockouts which in the past have proved so disastrous to the business interests of all the people of Quincy.

In view of the long strike at Fall River, which proved so detrimental to that city, it is a welcome sign that our Granite Manufacturers have been willing to offer arbitration at the very start, so that their employes may keep at work pending a final adjustment of differences between the two organizations.

Democratic City Committee.

There was quite a lively contest Jan. 13th at the annual meeting of the Democratic City committee over the election of a chairman. The Fallon element were out in full force and made an effort to oust Timothy J. Carey. The effort, however, was unsuccessful and Mr. Carey was reelected chairman of the committee.

Other officers elected were: Bartholemew A McLane, vice chairman; Alfred LaCroix, secretary and William J. Walsh, treasurer. LaCroix and Walsh represent the Douglas flying wedge movement id the committee.

Governor Douglas intends to follow the annual custom of holding a reception on Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, and it promises to be one of the memorable events of that kind.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, Jan. 18, 1905.

Republicans who are acquainted with the two appointees of Gov. Douglas on the bench of the superior court say that "they are fit appointments." The opportunity to criticise lay open to them, if they chose to exercise it, and that was their comment. Judge Aiken is felt to be worthy of the chief justiceship of the superior bench, and John C. Crosby is a worthy man to take the vacancy made by the promotion of Judge Aiken.

Today's great accomplishment is the ending of the Fall River cotton mill strike. But a close reading of the terms of the settlement will show that the manufacturers kept true to their expectation that they would demand virtually a complete surrender on the part of the operatives. The means which have been taken, and the statement of the governor will help to save the face of the workers, but it is none the less true that it is a thorough surrender. There is hope that something may be saved by reason, and forbearance from the wreck of the strikers' aspirations, but they are now in the hands of the manufacturers, and they have gone to work at the 12 1-2 per cent. reduction of wages. Now it is to be seen what the manufacturers will concede which they are not obliged to.

Gov. Douglas starts with relations to the legislature more like those of Gov. Crane than like those of Gov. Bates. He has taken pains to let it be known that he would prefer to be on friendly terms with the members, and talk over beforehand with them measures upon which it is possible that differences of opinion might arise. Gov. Bates paid strict regard to the dignity of the legislature, letting them do their duty as they saw it, without any intimation from him as to whether or not he would sign or veto bills, letting them stand on their merits. This, of course, is the ideal way of carrying out the provision of the constitution that the different branches of the government shall never discharge the functions of each other, but at the same time, the practical business way is to have an understanding with the men with whom one must act harmoniously if legislation is to succeed, and thus avoid any complication.

The election of United States senators came out exactly as was expected. Too much is made of the incidents, compared with other occurrences at the state house, so far as news is concerned. The seven democrats who voted for Crane, but did not vote for Lodge did so partly, because they have a high personal regard for Crane,—and all but one of them came from the western part of the state,—and also because they wished to make it appear that Lodge is not as popular as Crane. But Lodge got the full strength of the party in both branches.

It is desired by the legislative powers that be that the people of the state take notice that Saturday of this week is the last day for putting in new business. This is materially earlier than it has ever been before, and is due to the determination to shorten the session. Last year, and for several years, the date has been the last business day of January. Formerly it was February 22. The idea that the end of the session is hastened by putting the date of new business early has been proved mistaken over, and over again, and it will be an exception to the rule, if this latest effort is productive of the desired end.

It looks as if some excitement might be developed in the hearings of the liquor law committee, for there have been introduced bills, which are sure to cause hot debate. One of them provides that liquor sellers shall not sell after 10 o'clock at night. The petition is a printed blank, evidently sent out from some headquarters, and it says that drinking at late hours is responsible for a large part of the crimes, and for the ruin of homes. It also quotes from the experience of Scotland, where sales are not permitted between 10 P. M., and 8 A. M. to prove that such regulation would work well in this country. The other liquor measures, which was introduced into the house this afternoon, asks that half of the liquor license fees be paid into the county treasuries, and the other half into the state treasury. In somewhat similar form this is an old proposition, to take from the cities, and towns some or all of the money, which they get from the issue of liquor licenses. The proposition always provokes a hot fight, and the opposition has always won, for the average taxpayer seems to prefer to get his money by licensing the liquor trade than by restricting the trade, and the consequent damages, and paying more in taxes, as he supposes he would have to do. One point of the temperance people is that it would be direct economy for the city or town to save the loss by drink, and make more than the license fees would amount to. But there is never, but one end to the fight, and it is to be expected that it will come this year.

Charles A. Dean of Wakefield, who put in the direct inheritance tax bill for several years and been largely instrumental in carrying it through the house, but who is not a member this year, was at the state house today looking over the ground. He has not decided whether he will put in the bill or not. Treasurer Bradford made his final report today, and it shows that whereas the collateral inheritance tax yielded only about $13,000 in the first year of its enforcement, which was 1892, yet last year it netted about $575,000 and the total amount yielded by it to the estates is but little short of $5,000,000. This is a powerful argument for the imposition of a direct tax upon inheritances and successions, and it would not be strange if the measure became law eventually, but the strenuous opposition of the rich people, through their representatives in the senate will doubtless defeat it in the immediate future, as it has in the past. The house has nearly always favored the direct inheritance bill, but the senate regularly kills it.

Gypsy moth matters are becoming prominent. Today Mr. Bennett of Saugus, in the infested district, put in a resolution asking the United States representatives and senators to act favorably upon a pending appropriation bill for finding parasites of the gypsy moth caterpillar. There has been presented a strong bill creating a new commission to deal with the pest and giving it a full organization with large powers. The people of the northern suburbs of Boston are desperately in earnest about the pest and something will doubtless be done this session. Rule.

The nominating committee of the Massachusetts Highway Association has nominated Commissioner Knowlton as its president. Commissioner Knowlton has been vice president of the association for the past year. The Massachusetts Highway Association is the strongest of its kind in the country, and is composed of the best experts in road building. It will be quite an honor to Commissioner Knowlton to elevate him to the presidency.

City Council.

There was a very large attendance at the adjourned meeting of the City Council Thursday evening. The interest in the meeting was in the appointments of Mayor Thompson, which were announced. The meeting was also enlivened by a tilt between Mayor Thompson and Chairman Bass of the Finance Committee over the order authorizing the Mayor to petition the Legislature for authority to borrow $200,000 for extension of the sewer system.

Councilmen Adams, Chamberlin, Flaherty, Nichols and Stone were absent.

Councilman Spargo called the meeting to order and upon roll call Councilman Gassett was elected president pro tem.

APPOINTMENTS.

The Mayor forwarded his annual list of appointments which were as follows:

Commissioner of Public Works,—Thomas F. Burke.

City Treasurer,—Henry G. Fay.

City Clerk,—Harrison A. Keith.

Chief Engineer,—Peter J. Williams.

Chief of Police,—Frank E. Burrell.

City Solicitor,—William R. Thomas.

Overseer of the Poor,—Fred F. Green.

Collector of Taxes,—James H. Cunningham.

City Physician,—Dr. Henry C. Hallowell.

City Engineer,—Hamilton Flood.

Assessor for three years,—William B. Glover.

Park Commissioners, — George E. Pfaffmann, Fred B. Rice and Dexter E. Wadsworth.

Managers of Public Burial Places,—Joseph H. Vogel, John Q. Cudworth, John L. Johnson, Albert W. Fay, Alfred O. Diack, George T. Magee.

Board of Health,—William H. Teasdale, Ross K. Whiton, M. D., and Henry P. Kittredge.

Trustees of Thomas Crane Public Library,—Ellery C. Butler, Harrison A. Keith, George W. Morton, Harry L. Rice, Henry McGrath and Charles R. Safford.

Managers of Adams Academy,—William Everett, John A. Bernhard, Luther S. Anderson, George B. Dewson, Walter S. Pinkham and Dr. Joseph M. Sheahan.

PETITIONS.

John H. Dinegan and Arthur Lusher petitioned for auctioneer's license. To Committee on Licenses.

SEWER ORDER.

The joint Committee on Finance and Sewers reported ought to pass on the order authorizing the Mayor to petition the Legislature for authority to borrow $200,000 for extension of the sewer system.

Councilman Bass offered a minority report that the order ought not to pass, and moved substitution.

In support of his report he said but 9 of the committee of 14 were present at the committee meeting, and four of these were new members. Due propriety demands they should have further time to consider it. It had been his experience to know that most important orders were introduced at a time their immediate passage was demanded so that they could not be properly considered.

It is well known that this order originated in the pocket of Councilman Loud, Jan. 16, and was sprung on the Council. He favored all reasonable sewers. The Commission is about to be abolished. They anticipated the needs of 1905 and have built more sewers than contemplated. On Dec. 31 there was a balance of $8,000, and $10,000 that could be borrowed, making $18,000 available in 1905. The Sewer Commission should have had their plans so they could be turned over in two weeks. He did not know whether it was love for the plans or love of lucrative positions that made the delay.

With this proposed act they will never be out of office. He believed it a dangerous matter to have this act on the statute books. Let us get the commission out of office, then let the committee look over the city and see what is wanted. The minute authority is on the statute books to allow a loan, there will be a hue and cry to spend it.

Mayor Thompson said he should have preferred to sit still if the gentleman had stated facts but he had not. The Councilman intimates the Sewer Commission is responsible for the order. Such is not the case. In my inaugural address I stated all of the $600,000 had been appropriated but $10,000, and there was a balance of $8,000 from last year with some unpaid bills. Further, a suit against the city has been pending for several years and is still unsettled.

I further stated that there were many formal petitions for extensions. On Jan. 2, I said, I shall recommend that application be made to the Legislature to borrow money. That was not four days ago. I was informed by one of our Representatives that the time for presentation of new bills expires Saturday. Therefore my duty was plain to call the attention of the Council to it.

I had the order drafted. I was not set on $200,000. I said to the committee make it any amount you see fit. Not a single dollar of that amount can be appropriated without sixteen votes of the Council. I want it distinctly understood that I have sprung no underhand matter. I should be ashamed to. I do not believe the gentleman means what he says. He uses contradictory words.

Councilman Bass raised a point of order against personality but was over ruled.

Mayor Thompson—What I mean is that his statement does not agree with facts.

Councilman Bass—My conscientious endeavor to curtail expenses has resulted in a personal attack on me. My point is that until the Sewer board is abolished it would be a dangerous thing to have this on the books.

I would like to look over the ground. There is no pressing demand for many lateral sewers. He hoped he had not stepped on the prerogative of the executive department, if so he would ask its apology.

Mayor Thompson believed in fairness. The Sewer Commission had nothing to do with this. I object in a personal sense to the statement of the short time and that the Sewer Commission will be in office.

I venture to say that petition will be on the calendar of the Legislature for months before acted upon. All I want is a fair statement and from my point of view it has not been made.

City Solicitor Blackmur referring to the Sheahan suit said a master had awarded $2,000 and the suit was now before the courts. The suit was for $20,000. If a jury should find for more you might find yourself with no money to pay it unless we get more authority to borrow.

Councilman Bass— We have 45 miles of sewer, only 11 miles of which are main sewer.

Councilman Chase believed it best to pass the order. The time to discuss loans would be when it came to appropriation.

Councilman Burgess would like to know what the scheme was of which Councilman Bass spoke. If there is any scheme, out with it. With present light he favored majority report.

The minority report was rejected and the majority accepted. The rules were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

Yeas,—Barry, Burgess, Chase, Crane, Gearwar, Hynes, Loud, McLane, Piper, Polk, Savage, Sawyer, Spargo—13.

Nays.—Bass, Hughes, Sidelinger, Stewart—4.

Absent,—Adams, Chamberlin, Flaherty, Nichols, Stone—5.

Not voting,—Gassett, president pro tem.

ORDERS PASSED.

The Committee on Finance reported on the following orders which were passed under suspension of the rules:

Transferring $450 to Miscellaneous city of 1904.

Printing rules of the City Council.

Printing copies of City Charter and ordinances.

Transferring $32.55 in the Police appropriation of 1904.

SEWER WORK.

Councilman Chase offered an order that when excavations are made in private roadways for sewer or water pipes it shall be the duty of the Commissioner of Public Works to put the surface in as good condition as it was before opened, also that all roads opened in 1904 shall be put in shape as soon as frost is out of the ground.

Councilman Bass moved adoption.

City Solicitor Blackmur said this was an important matter. It opens up an important question that means much to the city. It may be illegal.

Councilman Chase favored his order.

Motion withdrawn and order referred to Committee on Streets.

VALUATION BOOK.

Councilman Bass offered an order for the Assessors to prepare an alphabetical list of all persons assessed in 1904 with the total assessment, the same to be printed in the City book. He moved the adoption of the order.

Principal Assessor Johnson said this involved considerable expense.

President Gassett ruled suspension of rules out of order and referred the order to the committee on Finances.

Adjourned at 8.43, to meet Feb. 6.

The New Appointees.

Thomas F. Burke, the new commissioner of public works, is a native of Quincy, having been born in West Quincy, May 16, 1852, and has always made his home there. He was educated at the Willard school, and then learned the stone-cutting business, the prominent industry of the West Quincy district. After learning his trade, he started in business for himself with his brothers under the firm name of Thomas F. Burke & Bros. He has continued in the granite business ever since. Mr. Burke has always been a prominent Republican and has been one of the hardest workers in that party, locally, for many years. For a number of years, he was chairman of the ward 4 republican committee, and he has also been prominent in Norfolk county politics. This is the first public office he has held.

William R. Thomas, the new City Solicitor, is also a native of Quincy. He is the son of William W. and Mary Thomas and was born Sept. 24, 1871. He was educated in the public and high schools, graduating from the latter in 1889. He later entered Boston University law school, graduating with honors in the class of 1900. Since then he has had a law office in this city. He is attorney for several real estate syndicates; is unmarried; is a member of Mt. Wollaston lodge and Manet encampment, I. O. O. F., and the Granite City club. He is a large taxpayer.

J. Henry Cunningham, who leaves the Poor department to become Tax Collector, was born in Boston, in 1864. At the age of nine he came to this city, settling in the Atlantic ward. He was educated in the public schools of the city and graduated with high honors. He was elected a member of the City Council in 1892. The following year he was appointed inspector of the Board of Health. For the past three years he has been Overseer of the Poor.

Fred F. Green who has been appointed Overseer of the Poor is an ex-Councilman, serving in the year 1890. He was also for three years on the Board of Managers of Public Burial Places, being appointed under the Democratic administrations of Mayor Hodges and Mayor Adams. He has also served as a Democratic election officer.

He is a High school graduate and editor and proprietor of the Quincy Advertiser. He resides at 1550 Hancock street, and has a wife and two children.

Dr. Henry C. Hallowell, the new City Physician, is also a member of the School Committee, and was elected chairman of that body last week. He was born in Bangor, Me., where he fitted for college. After graduating from Colby university he entered the Hahnemann medical college of Chicago, from which he was graduated. He taught school in Methuen, Gloucester and Chicopee Falls and then practised medicine in Augusta, Me. He came to Quincy in 1889 and for a number of years he served the city as inspector of milk and as a member of the School board.

One of the most popular of all the appointments is that of Frank E. Burrell, who is to be chief of police. Mr. Burrell was born in the house now occupied by him at the corner of River, and Washington streets, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Burrell. He was born Dec. 10, 1862, and attended the Washington school, and also went one year to the High school. On leaving school he entered the wholesale boot and shoe business in Boston for a year, and later went to work in the old T. A. Whicher boot shop in this city, where he remained for 20 years, until the shop went out of business. Then he went to work for Gov. W. L. Douglas at Brockton, and remained there till he was appointed to the police force two years ago.

Mr. Burrell has quite a reputation as a semi-professional ball player, having caught for many nines that established a state-wide reputation. He is married, and has a wife and two children.

"Frank" Burrell, as he is popularly known, is known locally as an officer who gives a "square deal" to everybody. Cool headed in the height of great excitement, even tempered, equipped with good judgment, and a gentlemanly bearing, Mr. Burrell makes an ideal police officer. Despite his kindly bearing, he is firm, and it is very rarely that he has to use force in accomplishing an arrest. Everybody in Quincy, knows just about what he can do, and law breakers submit without any more ado when "Frank" says the word. The appointment gives great satisfaction to the members of the police force as well as to the citizens in general.

—The town of Scituate has been fined $45 by the commonwealth for neglecting to make pauper returns. Last year the town was fined for neglect in making other returns.

Thaddeus H. Newcomb.

It is with profound regret that the announcement is made of the death of Capt. Thaddeus H. Newcomb, who passed away at his home on Washington street, Monday night. Capt. Newcomb has been in failing health for several years, but his death came as a surprise to his large circle of friends.

Capt. Newcomb was born in Quincy March 15, 1826. He was educated in the public schools, then learned the granite trade and entered the firm of James Newcomb & Sons. Later he entered the employ of Churchill & Hitchcock as foreman.

When the Civil war broke out he enlisted in the 42d Mass. Vols. for three years as a first lieutenant. He was taken prisoner at the battle of Galveston and confined in a rebel prison for nineteen months. He was mustered out of service as captain.

He has always taken an active interest in public affairs and often served on town committees in the old Whig days and later in the Republican party. He also served under the town government as constable and a member of the volunteer fire department.

He took an active interest during the time the form of government was changed from a town to a city and was elected a member of the first City Council in which he served continuously for four years.

While in the Council he served on important committees, and was chairman of the Committee on Sewers and Drains and Water Supply.

In 1895, he was elected a member of the General Court from the Fifth Norfolk district, and served during the years 1896, 1897 and 1898.

He was chairman of the Commission appointed in 1898 to mark the site of the Andersonville prison with a memorial to the Massachusetts dead, and was one of the distinguished party that left Boston in December 1901 to attend the dedication of that memorial.

He was a member of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., the Union Prisoners of War Association and Delphi lodge, K. of P.

Since that time he has led a quiet life although he took an active part in the matter of selecting a site for the new school building at Quincy Point, being an advocate of having the building located adjoining the old lot.

Of late Capt. Newcomb's health has failed rapidly confining him to his home. He leaves a widow.

Mr. and Mrs. Newcomb celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Dec. 12, 1897, at the Congregational church, Quincy Point, of which he had long been affiliated and of which he was deacon.

There was a large attendance Thursday afternoon at the funeral services.

Among those present were two veterans of the war who came from Nashua, N. H., especially, to pay their respects. One was Col. D. W. King of the 8th New Hampshire regiment who was a fellow prisoner with Capt. Newcomb, and says he owes his life to him because of attention given when he was disabled. The other, sergeant L. W. Goodrich, who was captured at the same time as Capt. Newcomb. Several who served in the old 42d Massachusetts regiment were present including Henry O. Studley of this city, Frank Thomas of North Weymouth, Charles Baxter of Boston, Charles H. W. Sanborn of Boston, O. J. Blanchard who served in the 11th battery, and others.

Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R. was also represented by Joseph W. Hayden, James E. Maxim, Henry Chubbuck, J. D. Williams and others.

The city was represented by Mayor James Thompson, Principal Assessor C. H. Johnson, Chief of Police Hayden, Councilman G. E. Adams and others.

The first City Council by Mayor Thompson and James F. Burke. Mayor Thompson also served three years with Mr. Newcomb in the Legislature. There were several former city officials, business men, neighbors and friends present.

Rev. Leon H. Austin, the pastor of the Quincy Point Congregational church, pronounced an eloquent and well deserved eulogy, nothing several marked characteristics—his patriotism, sterling honesty, love of home and church, abhorence of sham and lawlessness, generosity, and faithful services for city, state, nation and mankind.

A quartette composed of Mr. T. B. Pollard, Mrs. George K. Carter, Miss Annie Carter and Mr. Joseph Byrne sang favorite hymns—"O Paradise," and "The Homeland."

There were many beautiful floral tributes, including a pillow marked "Husband;" an anchor of roses marked "Harris;" an emblematic wreath from the Knights of Pythias, a galyx wreath with roses, several sprays of roses, pinks, etc., in variety, violets and other flowers.

The remains in a rich casket with open sides were so life-like, well preserved and peaceful, that the deceased appeared as though asleep. A large silk flag of Paul Revere post covered the foot of the casket and there was also a smaller flag.

The pall bearers were: John D. Williams and Henry Chubbuck representing the Grand Army, and James E. Maxim and Edward White representing the Knights of Pythias.

The interment was at Mt. Wollaston.

Maple Lodge Installation.

Wilson's hall was almost inadequate Wednesday evening to hold the large gathering that assembled to witness the installation of the officers of Maple lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor, which was done in an exemplary manner by Nellie E. Hallett, D. D., and suite of Waverley lodge of Charlestown.

After the business of the evening there were addresses by the grand officers and other visiting members, who paid glowing tributes to the work done and hospitality always shown by Maple lodge.

Under head of good of order, Miss M. Lizzie Furnald in behalf of the lodge, in a few and well spoken words, presented the Deputy with a silver pudding dish. It came as such a surprise that Mrs. Hallett was unable to respond for a few moments, but finally thanked the lodge and its members for their token of love, which she would always highly prize.

The following officers will serve during the ensuing year:

Past Protector,—Mrs. Emma E. Marnock.

Protector,—Mrs. Bertha M. McLeod.

Vice Protector,—Mrs. Agnes Fletcher

Secretary,—Mrs. M. A. H. Crane.

Financial Secretary,—Miss M. Lizzie Furnald.

Treasurer,—Charles Crane.

Chaplain,—Mrs. A. Cora Curtis.

Guide,—A. H. Taber.

Guardian,—H. W. Campbell.

Sentinel,—Francis Baxter.

Pianist,—Mrs. Effie L. Rhines.

At the close of the exercises a fine salad supper was served under the management of the committee on good of order and a social and general good time was enjoyed by all.

—King Oscar of Sweden is reported dangerously ill with facial paralysis.

Annual Assembly.

The annual assembly of the Quincy Home Science Association at Music hall Jan. 13th was a most enjoyable affair. The attendance was larger than usual, and it was noticeable that young people predominated, although there were many of the younger married set present. Daggett played and the inspiring music was a great temptation for those who had laid dancing aside as an abandoned pleasure, to join the young people on the waxen floor.

Light evening gowns were the rule, and while there were no particularly striking costumes there were many pretty creations of the dressmakers' art.

The ladies in the receiving party, Mrs. Edward H. Dawson, Mrs. Charles H. Brigham, Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur and Mrs. Charles A. Price, made a charming quartette, the beautiful light colored costume of Mrs. Price adding color to the more sombre gowns of the other ladies.

The decorations by Patterson, were simple in the extreme and were confined wholly to potted plants and ferns, which were arranged along the front of the platform. Frappe was served during the entire evening by Hendrie.

Many strangers were noticed among the dancers, showing that these annual assemblies are becoming popular with the young people of neighboring towns.

The ushers were: Messrs. Sidney T. Carr, George B. Dewson, William I. Dawson, William Edwards, C. Allan Howland, Jr., William T. Isaac, Henry L. Kincaide, Delcevare King, Fred B. Rice, Moreton T. Swallow.

The patronesses were: Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur, Mrs. Charles H. Brigham, Mrs. Edward H. Dewson, Mrs. Luther W. Glover, Mrs. Arthur W. Hall, Mrs. Charles A. Howland, Mrs. Theophilus King, Mrs. C. Cushing Lane, Mrs. Jesse I. Litchfield, Mrs. Albert M. Parker, Mrs. William G. A. Pattee, Mrs. George E. Pfaffmann, Mrs. Charles A. Price, Mrs. Harry L. Rice, Mrs. Horace F. Spear, Mrs. Richard L. Tappenden and Mrs. Herbert Lawton.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Charles H. Emmons, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "God, the Father of Mankind." Sunday School at 11.45. International lessons. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Preaching by the Rev. F. W. Hamilton, D. D. Subject: "Jesus, the Saviour of Mankind." The public is cordially invited to attend services.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Preaching by the pastor. Free seats and every one invited.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Leon H. Austin, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.45. Evening service at 7.30. Friday evening prayer meeting at 7.30. All cordially invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street, —Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching at 7 o'clock, followed by the ordinance of baptism. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. All welcome.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The Christian life, a poem of God." Eph. 2:10, Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 o'clock. Evening service at 7 o'clock, conducted by the pastor. Subject: "The Secret of Endurance." You are cordially invited.

METHODIST CHURCH ATLANTIC, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by Rev. Frank F. Lewis of Boston. Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30 P. M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "The Philosophy of Contentment."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue. — Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Love." Golden Text: "We love him, because he first loved us." 1 John, 4:19. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings with gentlemen in attendance. All are welcome.

The District Court.

Edward F. Mahar was fined $75 for violation of the liquor law at Braintree.

Thomas Brown was fined $3 for drunkenness at Braintree.

John McKenna was fined $10 and Mathew Conley $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Joseph F. Ryan was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Jan. 28.

William P. Stevens was arraigned for assault on John T. White at Quincy. Satisfaction was acknowledged and the complaint was dismissed on payment of costs amounting to $2.20.

The continued case of John Topliff for violation of the liquor law was heard and again continued until today.

The liquors seized from Edward F. Mahar at Braintree, were forfeited.

James Landers was fined $10 and Daniel Lafferty $5 for drunkenness at Quincy.

The continued case of Frederick E. Sanford for felonious assault at Milton was heard, and he was sentenced to one year in the house of correction.

Edward Fitzgerald was fined $10 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Russell D. Palmer was arraigned for being a stubborn child at Milton. He was sent to the Massachusetts reformatory.

Neil McDonald was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Feb. 6.

Alex McLeod was fined $10 for drunkenness at Quincy.

CARD OF THANKS.

I would extend my sincere thanks to Post 88, G. A. R., Ladies' Relief Corps, Knights of Pythias and other lodges, to neighbors and friends, for the kindnesses shown at the funeral and during the sickness of my late husband.

MRS. T. H. NEWCOMB.

Quincy, Jan. 21. 1tpl

Births.

FISHER—In Quincy, Jan. 19, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fisher of Granite street.

HODGKINSON—In Quincy, Jan. 15, a son to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hodgkinson.

Deaths.

NEWCOMB—In Quincy, Jan. 16, Mr. Thaddeus Harris Newcomb of Washington street, aged 78 years, 10 months and 16 days.

GUARENO—In Quincy, Jan. 17, Frederick, son of Mr. Patrick and Mrs. Rose Guareno, of 81 Canal street, aged 17 years.

SULLIVAN—In Quincy, Jan. 13, Mr. Timothy Sullivan, of 69 Main street, aged 74 years.

DEAN—In Quincy, Jan. 16, Mrs. Agnes M., wife of Mr. James Dean of 206 Franklin street, aged 44 years, 7 months and 23 days.

LUNDIN—In Seattle, Wash., Jan. 8, Mr. Gottfrid Lundin of Quincy, aged 27 years and 9 months.

SMITH—In East Milton, Jan. 15, Mrs. Selany, widow of Mr. Alfred Smith, aged 91 years.

HERSEY—In Hingham, Jan. 12, Mr. George Hersey, aged 80 years, 1 month and 27 days.

MORRIS—In Hingham, Jan. 18, Mr. James Morris of Main street, aged 30 years, 9 months and 3 days.

BELL—Marshfield, Jan. 17, Rev. Samuel Bell.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
— OF THE —
COUNTY OF NORFOLK
FROM
January 10, 1904 to January 10, 1905.

RECEIPTS.

County Taxes, ...	$162,500.00
Permanent Loans, . . .	120,000.00
Temporary Loans, . . .	95,000.00
Interest, ...	13,124.25
FINES, COSTS AND FEES.	
Sheriff, Supreme and Superior Courts, ...	2,154.00
Inferior Courts and Trial Justices,	1,464.33
Jailer and Master of House of Correction, ...	200.00
Clerk of Courts, ...	2,137.25
Register of Deeds . . .	11,038.51
Naturalization, ...	1,022.00
JAILER AND MASTER OF HOUSE OF CORRECTION.	
Labor of Prisoners, . . .	5,631.17
Board of Prisoners, . . .	117.12
Truant School, ...	1,052.04
Peddler's Licenses, ...	57.00
Miscellaneous, ...	394.87
Dog Licenses and Fees for Unlicensed Dogs.	20,910.65
Balance in Treasury Jan. 10, 1904	65,007.00
	$501,840.19

EXPENDITURES.

Interest, ...	$10,441.09
Debts and Loans, ...	125,535.69
Salaries of County Officers and Assistants, fixed by law, . .	17,775.00
Clerical Assistance in County Offices, ...	15,916.40
Salaries and Expenses, District and Police Courts, . . .	28,093 07
Care and Support of Prisoners, including Salaries, . . .	25,148.81
Criminal Costs in Superior Courts,	17,176.92
Civil Expenses in Supreme and Superior Courts, . . .	20,280.18
Transportation of County Commissions, ...	181.21
Medical Examiners, Inquests, and Care of Insane, . . .	4,300.61
Auditors, Masters and References,	1,988.43
Building County Buildings, . .	131,904.43
Repairing, furnishing, etc., County Buildings . . .	5,197.54
Care, Fuel, Lights and Supplies, County Buildings, other than Jail	10,626.07
Highways, Bridges and Land Damages, ...	22,768.92
Law Library, ...	3,022.00
Truant School, ...	4,697.70
Miscellaneous, ...	2,233.88
Dog Damages and Money Refunded	20,910.65
Balance in Treasury, Jan. 10, 1905, ...	33,611.59
	$501,840.19

CHAS. H. SMITH, County Treasurer.

LIST OF THE ASSETS OF THE COUNTY OF NORFOLK.

Court House and Fixtures, . .	$377,000.00
Court House Lot, ...	25,000.00
Registry Building, . . .	275,000.00
Registry Building Lot, . .	20,000.00
Jail and House of Correction, .	315,500.00
Jail Lot, ...	18,000.00
Two Houses and Land, . .	4,000.00
One House Lot, ...	300.00
Furniture in Court House, Jail District and Police Court Rooms and Truant School, . . .	59,000.00
Law Library, ...	30,000.00
Truant School Buildings, .	18,000.00
Truant School Land, . . .	3,500.00
Personal Property at Truant School, ...	4,000.00
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Poetry.

Whose Fan.

The ball was at its height of light and glory,
And beauty, joy, and music filled the place;
Behind the palms, in the conservatory,
Brown saw a couple stand in close embrace,
And heard a kiss. He knew it was gay Ned Story,
But had no chance to see the woman's face.
When they had gone he passed the threshold o'er
And found a dainty fan upon the floor.

Whose was the fan? He vowed that he would know it;
He sought the ball-room, and, in passing through,
He waved the silken wing that he might show it,
Asking each fair, "Does this belong to you?
He'd told his friends the joke, could not forego it,
And they watched to see him get his clew.
Sudden—Brown's pretty wife called from her chair:
"Why Dick, that's mine! I've sought it everywhere."

Lippincott's Magazine.

Notes and Comments.

—The Weymouth Gazette says "the leap year returns indicate that the girls were not anxious to get married as the public had been led to believe."

—A striking feature of the election is the insignificant vote in the South. Ohio cast a million votes, while the nine States along the extreme southern border cast only 800,000 altogether, including third parties. People in every section know perfectly well that this is not a normal or healthy condition.—Stoughton Sentinel.

—Iowa has had a rather startling experience in the banking line during the present year. The record, as now being made up, is as follows: Forty banks wrecked, $12,000,000 lost to depositors, 10 suicides of bank officers, and two cases of flight with bank funds. People out there attribute the trouble to the slump in the cattle markets, which in turn is attributed to the operation of the alleged dressed meat combination. Nearly every failed bank held considerable amounts of the paper of livestock dealers who had borrowed money on the basis of higher prices for cattle than have since prevailed.—Milford Gazette.

—From a reliable source it is found that at the close of the year 1904, there are now living in East Bridgewater, twenty-five men whose ages each exceed 80 years, the average of the whole number being eighty and one-half years. So large a number of aged men in a town of 3,000 inhabitants can hardly be found in the state. Pilgrim stock is tough.

—The Curley incident in Boston, resulting in the action of the Legislature in refusing to seat T. F. Curley, for his illegal action in the civil service examination, is a strong argument in favor of a Metropolitan Police Board rather than a municipal board. J. M. Curley, the alderman, who was also convicted on the same charge, will probably be allowed to retain his seat, as the Democratic machine of Boston is powerless in using its authority to suppress the two politicians as political factors in municipal affairs. With this view, the Legislature is not likely to allow the police of Boston to be controlled by an element that is a menace to the peace of the city. The Boston Democracy has shown little tact in allowing such a condition to exist, and the people will probably resist any attempt to abolish the Metropolitan board of police commissioners, while such rulers are in control of the city government.—Hyde Park Gazette.

—A man died recently in Boston who was known to his neighbor only as a man who owned a building of which he was his own janitor. He lived alone, dressed meanly, and apparently cared for nobody but himself; but he left $200,000 to the benevolent institutions of Boston.

—Some of our shore birds appear to make travelling their chief occupation. The American golden plover arrives in early June in the bleak, wind-swept "barren grounds" of Alaska, above the Arctic circle and far beyond the tree line, and while the lakes are still icebound, hurriedly fashions a shabby little nest in the moss. By August it is in Labrador, where it stuffs itself with such quantities of "crowberries" that its flesh is actually stained by the purple juice. From Nova Scotia it strikes out to sea, and takes a direct course for the West Indies, 1000 miles away, finally reaching southern Brazil and the prairies of Argentina. Sixteen thousand miles does it traverse in order to spend 10 weeks on the Arctic coast.—Hingham Journal.

—A peculiar case is reported from Chicago, where a man's death was declared by the physicians to be due to hydrophobia, although he had never been bitten by a mad dog. The man's pet dog was bitten last July by a rabid animal, and his physician declared he contracted rabies because he was constantly fearing hydrophobia. If the doctor is correct in his declaration, the case affords a striking illustration of the influence of the mind upon the body, which is coming to be generally recognized by medical men and others in many cases which come to their attention.

—If you have a little leisure look at your trees and if you see a little bunch of hard leaves cut them off and burn them, which is much easier to do now than it will be next May and June when they have hatched out a million brown tail moths to destroy the foliage and poison the earth.—Weymouth Transcript.

—While Mrs. Chadwick could hardly hope to set up a successful plea of insanity, some of her banker acquaintances might use it to advantage.—Weymouth Gazette.

—Plans which have been under way for several months have at last reached practical completion in the formation of a Boston company for the purpose of harnessing the sun. In other words, a company has been formed for the purpose of manufacturing a practicable solar motor, and the new company, which is almost exclusively composed of Boston men, will establish a plant at Joliet, Ill., for the manufacture of the new machines, which it is believed by the inventors have been brought into a completed form, and the company will use them in the arid regions of the earth for the purposes of pumping water for irrigation.—Mansfield News.

—Nantucket is justly proud in prospect of its new $1,000,000 park to bloom for summer visitors.

—Judge Wilbur of Providence recently fined two men $100 and costs each for shooting robins and song birds. This seems to be the proper dose to cure the bird slaughtering human microbe.

—The United States government will soon begin the construction in the vicinity of Montana and Delta, Col., of an irrigation tunnel six miles long, which will cost $1,000,000 and will provide water for irrigating 125,000 acres.

—Collector Lyman of Boston receives the largest salary of any customs collector in New England, $8,000, which is only exceeded by the collector at New York, who receives $12,000. Salaries in other collection districts in Massachusetts are: Barnstable, $416.39; Edgartown, $420.04; Fall River, $1,363.25; Gloucester, $4,648.96; Marblehead, $207.46; Nantucket, $261.55; New Bedford, $1,130.65; Newburyport, $27.65; Plymouth, $206.10; Salem and Beverly, $449.82; Springfield, $5,380.06.

—Criminals are taking advantage of a few words in Gov. Douglas' inaugural and he is being flooded with petitions for pardon.—Weymouth Transcript.

—There are conflicting elements in Congress, one of which is making a desperate move for a curtailment of expenses and another, with Senator Stewart of Nevada, a multi-millionaire, at its head, is for an increase in salaries, making that of the President $100,000 a year, the Vice-President $20,000, Speaker of the House $20,000, and Senators and Representatives in Congress $10,000 each.

—Brockton this year will probably celebrate "Old Home Week" for the first time, this being the recommendation of Gov. Douglas.

—One of the latest applications of electricity is reported from France, where an electrically heated suit of clothes is attracting some attention. A fine wire is woven into the fibre of the cloth, and this is charged with a current from a small storage battery in such a manner that any required degree of heat may be turned on at will by simply pressing a button. The idea is not less feasible that many others whose value has long been demonstrated by daily use, and if the new application of electricity for heating purposes proves practical, the many ways in which it may be used to advantage will readily suggest themselves.—Milford Gazette.

—Nineteen hundred and four was a bad year for fire insurance interests. It was greater in aggregate losses in the United States and Canada than in any year since 1871, when Chicago made its stupendous fire record.

—The railroad industry, having a capitalization of more than $12,000,000,000, is today practically controlled by eight different interests—the Gould, Hill, Harriman, Rockefeller, Moore, Vanderbilt, Morgan and Pennsylvania. More than 80 per cent of the mileage of the railroads of the country is controlled by one or the other of these eight interests. It is the opinion of one of the most farseeing American railroad presidents that within five years there will be only five important railroad interests in the entire country.—Mansfield News.

—Rev. Hudson Taylor says that opium in China "is doing more harm in a week than the united efforts of all our Christian missionaries are doing good in a year.

—A woman in Indiana has been adjudged insane because when she married her fifth husband she settled an oil farm on him, and then boasted that she had bought him; and married a man whom the devil couldn't kill, so says the Weymouth Gazette.

—Francis Hurtubis, Jr., in speaking before the Massachusetts Press Association at the United States Hotel, last week, said that during his thirteen years' contact with newspaper men he had never known one to betray a confidence reposed in him. This speaks well for the State House scribes.—Boston Herald.

Few indeed, are the instances where a newspaper man has violated a confidence. The profession is composed of honorable people who would scorn the idea of betraying a trust.—Rockland Standard.

—Our neighbor Hyde Park seems to be awaking to the fact that the prompt collection of taxes is necessary to a business-like administration of its affairs. Of late years the collections seems to have been somewhat slow. For example, the last town report showed that more than $35,000 of the 1902 tax levy was uncollected, a sum very much larger than the total of the uncollected taxes in Brookline for 1902 and all the years preceding. The present collector, though apparently more energetic than his predecessors in his manner of dealing with the delinquents, seems somewhat timid about employing the powers allowed him by the law, apparently fearing to cause hardship. It is difficult to see how hardship can be caused by running the affairs of his municipality on business principles: one would sooner expect it to come from official negligence or inefficiency. However the recommendation of the chairman of the selectmen seems likely to bring about a new departure. This official, desiring to reduce the tax rate, proposes to have all the taxes collected so that the funds can be used for the expenses of the coming year. By this means, and also by the utilization of unexpended balances, he expects to reduce the tax rate from $17.30 to $15.50.—Brookline Chronicle.

The 6.15 P. M. train from Boston now makes regular stops at Norfolk Downs.

The City Council.

There were a large number of spectators present at Monday night's meeting of the City Council, as many thought the Mayor's appointments would be announced. In this respect they were disappointed for they came not. They will probably be announced at an adjourned meeting of the Council to be held Thursday evening. Councilmen Adams and Chamberlain were absent.

Mayor Thompson sent a communication from the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. in relation to railroad police, and at the request of the company appointed Albert G. Coffin, Arthur J. Parker and Alfred W. Harris as railroad police. Confirmed.

The Mayor announced the appointment of Brenton Veith as a public weigher. Confirmed.

The Mayor forwarded a request of the Quincy Yacht club for the use of the Council chamber for its annual meeting Feb. 4. Laid on the table until later when an order granting the request was passed.

The Mayor in a communication called attention to numerous petitions that had been received for sewer extensions, and as the amount the city was authorized to borrow under the sewer act was exhausted he recommended that the Mayor be given authority to petition the Legislature for authority to borrow $200,000 additional. Laid on the table until later when an order was offered and referred to the joint Committee on Sewers and Finance.

Councilman Stone presented a petition for a fire alarm box at the corner of Newcomb avenue and Beach street. To Committee on Fire Department.

Councilman Stone presented a petition that a fire alarm whistle be located in the power house at Quincy Point. To Committee on Fire Department.

Councilman Hughes presented a petition of William Cashman for permission to cross Furnace avenue at grade with a private railroad. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Polk presented a petition that the land at the junction of Hamilton and Beach streets and Billings road be flooded for a skating park. To executive department.

The Quincy Electric Light Co. petitioned for a location for one pole on Hancock street and one pole on Temple street. To Committee on Streets.

The Telephone Co. petitioned for a location of poles on Water street and Elm street, and to attach wires to poles on Central avenue. To Finance Committee.

Councilman Polk offered an order for $30,000, together with receipts, for water extensions. To Committee on Water Supply.

Councilman Loud offered an order granting F. F. Crane an auctioneer's license. Passed.

The auctioneer's bond of Mr. Crane was approved.

Upon motion of Councilman Loud it was voted when the Council adjourn it be until Thursday evening.

Councilman Piper offered an order authorizing the Mayor to execute deeds of the Adams Temple and School fund. Passed.

Councilman Stone offered an order for an incandescent light on Winter street. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Piper offered an order authorizing the Committee on Public Buildings to procure plans for a single complete addition to the High school or plans for a complete additional building on the same lot. Adopted.

Councilman Bass offered an order transferring $450 from Miscellaneous City of 1903 to Miscellaneous City of 1904. To Finance Committee.

Councilman Bass offered an order transferring $32.50 in the Police department appropriation for 1904. To Finance Committee.

An election of two trustees of the City Hospital was held, the vote being as follows: Adams, 1; Hughes, 2; Polk, 1; Stone, 5; Loud, 15, and Stewart, 16. Messrs. Loud and Stewart were declared elected.

An election was then held for manager of the Woodward Fund. Richard R. Freeman received 11, and Joseph L. Whiton, Jr., 10. Mr. Freeman was declared elected:

President Nichols then announced his standing committees, and referred all matter pending to the various committees.

Finance, Accounts, Claims and Salaries,—Bass, Gassett, Hughes, Adams, Piper, Polk and Stone.

Streets, Ways, Sidewalks, Bridges and Lights,—Gassett, Spargo, Stewart, Gearwar, Barry, Chase and Sidelinger.

Fire Department and Police,—Polk, Spargo, Loud, Crane and McLane.

Sewers, Drains and Water Supply,—Loud, Burgess, Chamberlain, Flaherty, Hynes, McLane and Savage.

Public Buildings and Grounds,—Piper, Burgess, Chase, Crane and Sawyer.

Ordinances, Licenses, Printing, Rules and Orders,—Stewart, Savage, Sawyer.

Legislative Matters, Elections and Returns,—Stone, Gearwar, Flaherty.

Health, Poor, State and Military Aid,—Adams, Barry Sidelinger.

Special Committee on Railroad Matters, — Stone, Hughes, Piper, Adams and Gassett.

Adjourned at 8.24, to meet Jan. 19.

Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary.

Through the kindness of Mrs. J. F. Welch, the regular meeting of the Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. was held at her home on Hancock street Monday afternoon. The largest number of the season were present, over 100.

The devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. E. N. Hardy in an exceedingly interesting manner, "Service" being her subject.

Interesting reports were given by the workers for the Colonial fair fete which is to be held in April.

Secretary Gay spoke of the encouraging work being accomplished in the educational classes of the Y. M. C. A., also of the "Mock Trial," which is to be given the twenty-fourth of this month.

Miss M. A. Gilmore of Boston was the speaker of the afternoon and presented a very able paper upon the subject of "Appeals and demand for the women of today.

Mrs. N. S. Hunting gave much pleasure to all present by rendering two beautiful solos.

Mrs. T. B. Pollard invited the ladies to an all-day sewing bee to be held Thursday of this week at the Quincy Point Congregational church, from 10 to 4 o'clock.

—The 6.10 P. M. express train to the South Shore has been restored, the first stop being made at Hingham. There is a new train leaving Boston at 6.13 P. M. which makes the stops between Braintree and Hingham.

—Prof. Willis Moore of the weather bureau at Washington would like to establish a weather trust. Foster, the long range weather forecaster has been denied access to the records open to the general public, all because he has been trespassing on Mr. Moore's domain.

Woodward Athletic Meet.

As a result of the athletic meet at the Woodward Institute Saturday afternoon the Sophomore class of 1907 took the banner away from the class of 1906, and will hold it during the coming year. The meet was largely to give the parents of the young ladies an opportunity to see the work that is being done by the school in physical training under the direction of Miss Maccarty.

Parents and friends of the school were invited to be present at the meet and many accepted. The soldierly bearing of the classes, the erectness of carriage and the precision with which the members executed the various movements called forth well merited applause.

The several events of the afternoon work was marching, free work, class marching, clubs, games and running.

The marking points on marching were carriage, keeping in step, spaces, square corners, and guiding. On clubs they were on grace, accuracy of circles and looseness of grasp, while on free work they were, heels being together, chest high, familiarity with series and general merit.

The points on each event were five, three and one. As a result of the afternoon work the sophomore class scored 25 points; the seniors 18, juniors 13, and freshmen 8.

The first event was the marching, the Seniors and Juniors coming in first and going through the several floor movements. They were followed by the Sophomores and Freshmen.

The marching of all the pupils was excellent, the turns were well made and the spacing and alignment excellent. The winners were: Sophomores, 5; Seniors, 3; and Juniors, 1.

Then came the free work the points being made as follows: Juniors, 5; Sophomores, 3; and Seniors, 1.

In the class marching each class came in separately. After making the class numerals they marched about the floor executing several figures. The winners were: Sophomores, 5; Seniors, 3; Juniors, 1.

But two classes participated in the club work, the Seniors and the Sophomores. The Seniors scored 5 points and the Sophomores 3.

The several games played were: arch ball, dodge ball, dumbbell race, straddle ball and three-legged race.

These events were very amusing and created a great deal of merriment. The winners were:

Arch ball,—Freshmen, 5; Juniors, 3.

Straddle ball,—Juniors 5; Freshmen, 3.

Dumb bell race,—Juniors, 5; Seniors, 3.

Three-legged race,—Juniors, 5; Seniors, 3.

There were no points marked on the dodge ball and running.

Ice Plentiful.

The farmer makes hay while the sun shines and the ice man cuts ice while the weather is cold. It has been ideal weather for the ice men the past few weeks and they have improved the opportunity to fill their houses with the crystalized water. The ice being cut this winter is of unusual good quality, and there will be no danger of an ice famine next summer.

Sunday was a bitter cold day yet this did not keep the gang of men at the Meadow Brook company's pond from working all day. The result was that by night a large amount of ice had been stowed away.

There is a kind of fascination about ice cutting, and one never tires of watching the big cakes being floated down the sluice way from the upper end of the pond by the use of picks, to the endless chain elevator by which they are hoisted to the run at the top of the ice houses.

So it was Sunday. The wind from the southwest was bitter cold, yet in spite of this a large crowd of men and quite a few ladies stood about unmindful of the cold, watching the men at work.

As a long line of cakes entered the enclosure near the house a man with a pick would break them apart with a single blow while another man would guide them onto the elevator.

As they began to rise they passed beneath a plane which removes any snow or foreign substance that may have accumulated on the top of the cake. When they reach the top run they slide along an incline and are guided into the different houses. By this means four houses are filled at the same time. Inside these houses is another gang of men who stow the cakes away.

In olden times quantities of sawdust, and shavings were used, and each layer was covered with this material to keep it from melting. The modern idea is to keep the ice as free as possible from foreign substance, and the use of sawdust, and shavings has been given up. Nothing is used nowadays, the cakes being placed one on the other so as to leave a little air space between them.

Ice keeps just as well this way and has the advantage of being clean.

The ice being cut this year is what can be called handsome. The almost steady cold weather has kept it from being filled with air holes, the snow has been scrapped off as fast as it fell, so that one could almost see through the forty-eight inch square cakes, they were so transparent.

The prohibiting of skating on the pond, together with the high board fence which surrounds it, has also served to keep it free from rocks, sticks and other substance, that otherwise would have become embedded in the cakes.

Another precaution was to thoroughly clean the bottom of the pond of all foreign substance before it was overflowed and allowed to freeze. The clear crystal like ice housed Sunday shows the result of this extra labor. The consumer will also appreciate the fact that all of this is done that the ice delivered to them next summer may be pure.

The Eaton Ice Co. commenced Sunday to harvest their crop of ice. The company report that it averages about twelve inches thick, is free from snow and of excellent quality.

—There are more counties in the United States named for Washington than for any other man. The capital, a state and two cities exceeding 10,000 in population bear his name.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This is an important daily question. Let us answer it to-day. Try

Jell-O,

America's most popular dessert. Received Highest Award, Gold Medal, World's Fair, St. Louis, 1904. Everything in the package; add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, Orange, Raspberry, Strawberry, Chocolate and Cherry. Order a package of each flavor from your grocer to-day. 10c. When you make Ice Cream use Jell-O ICE CREAM Powder. All ingredients in the package. At all grocers. 2 pkgs. for 25c.

City Hospital.

The annual meeting of the incorporators of the City Hospital of Quincy was held Monday evening in the Unitarian chapel. Hon. W. B. Rice, the president, presided.

Timothy Reed reported for the trustees and showed these facts. Number of patients admitted 307, the largest number in any one year. There were 102 medical and 205 surgical cases. The latter included 28 cases of appendicitis, all but one being successfully treated. There are six pupils in the training school for nurses, all that can be accommodated, but more are needed. The graduates of the school the past year were Miss Jean Allen, Miss Mary Lindsay and Miss Eva Blair. About $400 more was raised during "Hospital Week" in 1904 than in 1903. Thanks are due the collectors, also to the Hospital Aid association, the treasurer and others.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Report of R. D. Chase, the treasurer, showed:

Total current income,	$15,227.31
Total operating expenses,	13,446.11
Total debt,	$6,700 00
Less cash on hand,	1,390 28
Net debt Jan. 1, 1905,	$5 309.62
Net debt year ago,	$5,665.18
Endowment Fund,	$55,652.33
Including cash uninvested,	1,194.08
Mortgages,	37,758.25
Securities,	16,700 00
Nurses Home fund,	$922.58
Contagious Ward fund,	738.48

GENERAL RECEIPTS.

Cash Jan. 1, 1904,	$1,284 82
City of Quincy appropriation,	4,000 00
Interest on Endowment fund,	2,823.35
From patients,	4,032 94
Collections and gifts,	3,122 37
G. A. R. Post,	10.00
Hospital Aid Association,	1,038.74
Sundry receipts,	119.91
Temporary loans,	3,500.00
	$20,012.13

CURRENT EXPENSES.

Pay roll,	$4,298 73
Fish,	164 97
Groceries and provisions,	3,168 64
Fuel, balance,	1,560 27
Milk,	837 18
Light and gas heating,	415 64
Medical and surgical supplies,	1,047 81
Telephone,	78 75
Express,	45 03
Stationery and printing, (inc. reports)	299 58
Repairs and labor, balance,	820 65
House furnishings,	237 68
Sundries, balance,	441 18
Interest on temporary loans,	425 64
Temporary loans repaid,	4,750 00
	$18,621.75
Cash balance,	$1,390 38
	$20,012 13

Warren W. Adams was unanimously reelected by ballot as clerk of the corporation and was sworn by James F. Burke, Esq.

The election of twelve trustees was by ballot and resulted in the choice of the following:

William B. Rice, Timothy Reed, Richard D. Chase, John A. Gordon M. D., Henry M. Faxon, Delcevare King, John F. Welch, M. D., Henry McGrath, Fred B. Rice, James F. Burke, Horace M. Willard, Arthur W. Newcomb.

Dr. John A. Gordon proposed that measures be taken to increase the number of corporators, that more might be interested in the Hospital. He moved that a committee of six, one from each ward, be appointed to present names at future meetings.

President Rice appointed John F. Welch, M. D., Arthur W. Newcomb, Andrew Milne, William T. Shea, Charles P. Hutchins and Harry W. Read.

Treasurer R. D. Chase thought more publicity would be a good thing for the City Hospital, and suggested quarterly meetings and reports.

Dr. Gordon and Fred B. Rice argued that Hospital Week should be held earlier, and it was voted that the preliminary meeting be held the first Tuesday in September.

Adjourned at 9 P. M.

St. Chrysostom's Church.

The following have been elected officers of St. Chrysostom's church for 1905:

Wardens,—G. H. Page and E. A. Lyman.

Treasurer,—H. H. Albee.

Clerk,—P. L. Davidson.

Vestrymen for one year,—T. C. Atkins and C. J. Hennigar.

Vestrymen for two years,—J. D Kent, Jr., and R. W. Whiteacre.

Vestrymen for three years,—J. W. Atkins and W. H. Godfrey.

Delegates to the Diocesan Convention,—F. A. Harvey, E. A. Lyman, G. H. Page.

Delegates to Archdeaconry,—J. W. Atkins, J. D. Kent, Jr., and H. W. Richmond.

The following nominating committee has been appointed by the rector: G. H. Page, E. A. Lyman, W. H. Richmond, Miss Annie Clean and Mrs. C. A. Collins.

Manet Encampment.

D. D. G. P. Mitchell and suite of Boston installed the following officers of Manet encampment, No. 75, I. O. O. F., Jan. 13.

C. P.,—Charles Wood.
H. P. Andrew Johnson.
S. W.,—Frank Carlton.
Scribe,—James W. Young.
Treasurer,—E. B. Souther.
I. W.,—Frank Osgood.
Guide,—William Andrews.
O. S.,—E. L. Goodridge.
I. S.,—Thomas Merrill.
1st W.,—Charles Jones.
2d W.,—William Osgood.
3d W.,—Thomas Mitchell.
4th W.,—George Ripley.
1st G. of T.,—Charles Anderson.
2d G. of T.,—Joseph Bean.

After the installation there was a banquet and speech-making.

Merrymount Club.

The annual meeting of the Merrymount club was held on Jan. 9, at which there was a large attendance. The following officers were elected:

President, G. R. Kent.
Vice President,—M. F. Burns.
Treasurer,—W. O. Parker.
Secretary,—E. W. Bowker
Executive Committee,—G. R. Kent, M. F. Burns, W. O. Parker, E. W. Bowker, James Casey, G. R. Thompson, C. H. Baker, V. J. Emery and H. R. Osgood.

The treasurer's report showed the club to be in a good financial bondition with a membership of 75.

—The court of claims at Washington has sent to Congress its findings in the case of the ship Aurora, seized by French privateers, and later captured by a British warship and burned with cargo. Among the accounts allowed is one for $2,500 to Charles Francis Adams, administrator of Peter C. Brooks.

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Low Granite Wage Scale.

The following editorial from the Granite Cutters' Journal for January is significant because of the demand made upon the manufactures:

A number of large contracts were given out in December and the first few days in January and quite a number are being figured at the present time, all of which may be of aid in the Spring time should employers where new agreements are going into effect be dilatory or refuse to settle with branches. Everything seems to indicate pacific adjustments; in fact, contractors are going ahead with their estimates as if no changes were imminent.

"In the monumental trade there is some talk about the situation in Quincy, but a pacific adjustment is expected there, for although the average Quincy employer is eccentric, he is not to stand in the way of such a fair wage rate as will simply place him on an equal basis with his immediate competitors. This wage rate has been low in Quincy too long and workmen rightfully complain that it is unjust to expect them to work for a lower wage rate in the vicinity of their homes than is cheerfully offered them elsewhere in any direction they may go.

"Granite cutters have to work as hard in Quincy as elsewhere, and are, therefore, entitled to as good wages, and it must be gratifying to them to know that with work plentiful in every direction, it will not be difficult should their employers cause a suspension to take a car or a bicycle ride but a short distance in almost any direction and receive equal or higher compensation for their labor than is called for in their new wage scale.

"A continuous business policy is best; there yet remains six or seven weeks for Quincy employers to make up their minds to close an agreement with our Quincy branches and it will assist trade and be better for all concerned, if they should meet the granite cutters and tool sharpeners' committees at as early dates as possible, to close the new agreement.

"Employers in other parts of the country have found this system of great advantage and too often already that course has been followed elsewhere for the good of Quincy, so a word to the wise should be sufficient, lest history repeat itself again by a supension in Quincy, diverting more of its trade in other directions.

"It is gratifying to be able to report that our Quincy members have irrevocably placed themselves on record as determined to settle for not less than the day wage rate in the proposition they have submitted and as the figure quoted is but the minimum acknowledged anywhere else, justice calls aloud for an acknowledgement of their resolution in that particular."

Chelsea Soldiers' Home.

According to the annual report of the Soldiers' Home at Chelsea for the year ending June 30, 1904, there are four veterans from Quincy as follows:

Benjamin F. Bass, admitted June 28, 1893, aged 69 years, who saw service in Co. H of the 4th Mass. Inf.

Charles M. Bent, admitted Jan. 29, 1901, aged 66 years, who served in the 20th Mass. Inf., and the 2d Brig., 1st Div. 2d A. C.

George S. Keyes, admitted Jan. 12, 1904, aged 57 years, who served in Co. I, 2d Mass. H. A.

Seth T. Pray, admitted Jan. 25, 1903, aged 57 years, who served in the U. S. Navy.

From Braintree is George Geeremo, admitted June 11, 1902, aged 66 years, who served in Co. K. of the 35th Mass. Inf. and also Co. K. of the 29th Mass. Inf.

The youngest men at the Home are 53 and 55 years, and the oldest 85 and 88 years, there being one of each of these ages. The largest number are of the age of 60, and all ages between 56 and 84 inclusive are represented.

County Real Estate.

The Norfolk county Registry of Deeds reports 13,177 real estate transactions recorded for the year 1904, an average of nearly 1100 per month. The total, however, is 669 smaller than in 1903. October was the biggest month and June and May were close. February was the quietest, but January and March were not much better.

Probably over 1000 of the transactions were in Quincy, several, of couse, being from man to wife where two papers are required, and others tax sales, but nevertheless, a very large number of genuine sales.

The record for 1904 in the county was:

January	825
February	783
March	960
April	1210
May	1267
June	1270
July	1116
August	1130
September	1118
October	1304
November	1391
December	1193
Totals	13,177

The number of attachments filed in the same office for the year was 493.

Anecdotes.

Wealthy Old Gent—"What! Marry my daughter? You are being supported by your father."

Suitor—"Yes, sir, but my father is tired of supporting me, and I thought I'd better get into another family."—New York Weekly.

"Mrs. Brown never sits up to wait for her husband."

"No?"

"No. When she expects him to be out late, she retires early, sets the alarm at 3 o'clock, and gets up, refreshed and reproachful."—Life.

Chappy—"Ma told me to call and ask you if you couldn't give me something for my head."

"Dr. Blunt—"You run home and tell your ma I wouldn't take it as a gift."—Harper's Bazar.

The house had been full of aunties come to spend the holidays, and the baby's six-year-old brother was heard one morning confiding his woe to his father.

"Say, papa, do you know I've had to sleep a whole week in a room just full of women?"—Lippincott's Magazine.

"Something is going on in that house with the green shades," said the neighbor opposite.

"From the looks of the women who are going in though, I really can't tell whether it's a reception or whether they've advertised for a cook."—New York Evening Sun.

A—"My wife says she saw the lights all burning in your house as she came home from the ball at three o'clock in the morning. She thought it a little strange."

B—"A little strange? It was a little stranger."—Tit-Bits.

Household Receipts.

Cream Chicken Soup.—Three to four pounds of fowl, three quarts of cold water, one tablespoonful of salt, six peppercorns, one tablespoonful of chopped onion, two tablespoonfuls of chopped celery; strain; when cool, remove the fat. For one quart of stock allow one pint of cream or milk. Boil the stock, add one tablespoonful of butter and one tablespoonful of cornstarch, cooked together; one teaspoonful of salt and one saltspoonful of white pepper. Have two eggs well beaten in a tureen, and strain soup over them. Serve at once.

Spinach with Hollandaise Sauce. Wash the spinach through several waters, carefully plucking off the roots and wilted leaves. Set over the fire in a large kettle without water and let it heat slowly till the juice has been extracted, then boil until tender. Drain, chop fine and add salt in the proportion of one teaspoonful of salt to one peck of spinach. Heap in the vegetable dish and garnish with slices of hard boiled egg.

Fillet of Beef. First trim it well and lard it well. Then soak it for fully twelve hours in a marinade of oil, salt, pepper, nutmeg, a sliced onion, sweet herbs and a bay leaf. Put in a quick oven, and serve with sauce made up of its own gravy with a little vinegar, salt, pepper and shallots.—Good Housekeeping.

Apple and Celery Salad. After paring and coring two large apples, cut them into quarter-inch squares. Take an equal quantity of chopped celery. Pour over this a French dressing made of vinegar and oil, seasoned with pepper and salt. Let this stand for five minutes, then fill lettuce leaves with the salad, pour mayonnaise dressing over each portion and serve.

Wollaston Unity Club.

The regular meeting of the Wollaston Unity club was held in the vestry of the Unitarian church, Jan. 13.

In the absence of the president and vice president, Frank E. Parlin, who had charge of the evening, called the meeting to order, and the report of the previous meeting was read by Miss Mary Thomas the secretary.

Mr. Parlin said the subject of the evening was "American Humorists." The three illustrations were Artemus Ward, Oliver Wendell Holmes and Mark Twain.

Walter E. Simmons gave a very interesting paper on Artemus Ward. He gave a short sketch of Ward's life, pointed out the reason for his success, and read several of the wittiest selections of this great humorist.

The witty side of Oliver Wendell Holmes' nature was well brought out by Mrs. Charles E. Finch. Mrs. Finch pointed out the most humorous works of Holmes and told several of his best jokes.

After a short intermission F. H. Bishop read a paper on "Mark Twain." Mr. Bishop told in a very interesting manner of the life of Clemens as a pilot, reporter and lecturer; commented on his works, and read several of his humorous selections.

The music of the evening consisted of piano solos charmingly rendered by Mrs. Chandler W. Smith.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

Following is a list of the recent real estate sales:

Frederick E. Tupper to Charles H. White.
Walter T. Fuller to S. Olive Dennett.
Mary L Donaher, to John Cashman.
Michael J. Jordan to J. Winsor Davy, administrator.
Almira J. Alden, et. al., to Sarah M. Harkins.
James L. Kelso to Frank G. White.
Joseph S. Beale to Arthur M. Beale, $1,000.
Thomas H. Tighe, et. ux., to Chas. W. Clapp.
Annie W. Grant to John P. Granahan.
Mary E Picard, et. al., to David Lubarsky.
Alex. M. I or J. McLeod to Michael J. Jordan.

Herbert T. Whitman has sold for the Adams Real Estate Trust 16,200 feet of land on Federal avenue to Paul L. Gunnella who will erect a granite manufacturing plant.

Other sales reported through this agency are 9000 feet of land on Trafford street to W. R. Lofgren.

The Goodhue estate at the corner of Water and Phipps street to Mr. Di Flavio.

A lot of 20,380 feet on Centre street to Thomas Mitchell for an addition to his granite polishing plant.

A lot of 10,800 feet of land on Federal avenue to John R. Richards for a new granite manufacturing plant.

House and 8,000 feet of land at the corner of River streer and Bay View avenue to Charles White of Stoughton.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Castle Square Theatre.

It is so many years since the play by Dion Boucicault has had a Boston production that the announcement by the Castle Square management of "Conn the Shaughraun" as the attraction for next week will cause general satisfaction to the regular patrons of this house as well as the thousands of play goers throughout New England who find their way to this theatre whenever they visit Boston. This play is in something of the nature of a classic in its own particular department of dramatic literature and is altogether the most enjoyable of the dramas of Irish life which their author made known to American stage during his residence in this country. Conn is such a clever dramatic creation that it has been held as the best of the many characters drawn from the peasant class of Ireland by Boucicault and introduced to the play going public with the surroundings of their home life which he was so successful in portraying.

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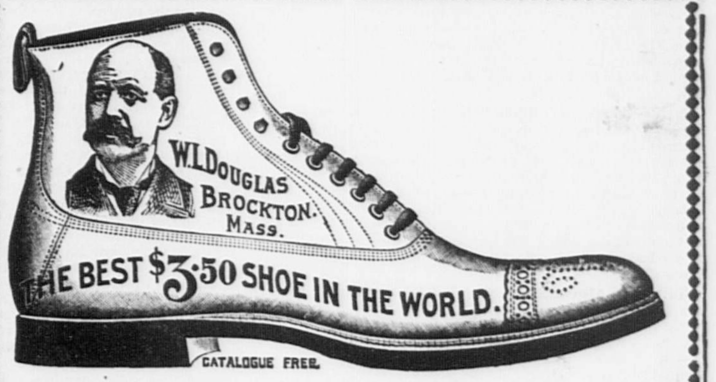
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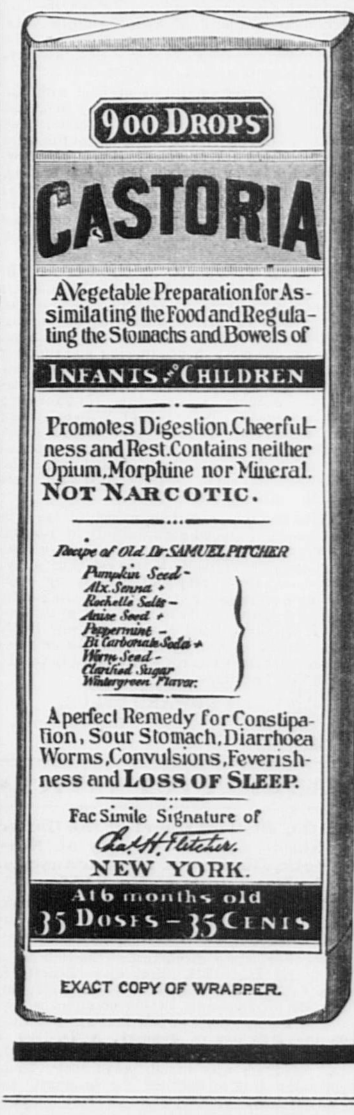
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Amount at Risk,	$7,224,426.07
Cash Assets,	169,173.07
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	62,518.78
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$106,654.29
Contingent Assets,	111,131.71
Total Available Assets,	280,304.78
Gain in Surplus,	4,559.07

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Reserve for Unpaid Losses (Fire)	596,488.24
Reserve for Other Claims,	252,118.60
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$455,776 7
LOSSES paid the past year,
$42,201.94
DIVIDENDS PAID the past year,
$66,032 42
GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year,
$12,983.04
GAIN IN CASH FUND the past year,
20,297.34
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Cash Assets	472,396.14
Deposit Notes	569,644.43
Available Assets	1,042,040.57
Total Liabilities	310,968.83
Cash Surplus	161,401.31
Gain in Surplus in 1903	1,389.22
Gain in Assests in 1903	23,968.44
Losses paid in 1903	72,704.06
Dividends paid in 1903	60,356.48
Receipts in 1903	216,632.54
Disbursements in 1903	187,057.63

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STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1905.

Amount at Risk,	$24,627,979.48
Cash Assets,	668,766.38
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	193,222.23
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$475,544.15
Contingent Assets,	352,120.59
Total Available Assets,	1,020,886.97
Gain in Surplus,	17,211.34

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Poetry.

"Them That Gives, Gits."

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Them that gives, gits
There's a quaint and homely saying
That is trite, though ill expressed,
And you'll find upon the weighing,
That it measures all the rest—
"Them that gives, gits."

Is it wealth you're seeking after;
Do not tightly close you're palms,
But with love and happy laughter
Give you're brother needing alms—
"Them that gives, gits."

Is it fame for which you're longing?
Follow still the godlike plan
Help the needs forever thronging
Round you're struggling fellow man—
"Them that gives, gits."

Is it knowledge you would fetter?
'Tis within you're earnest reach,
But you'll get it quicker, better,
If another you will teach—
"Them that gives, gits."

Is it love, earth's dearest treasure,
You would gather for you're store?
Give of love, nor stint the measure,
'Twill return to you the more—
"Them that gives, gits."

Miscellany.

AUNT MARIE'S STRIKE.

It was a cosy little farmhouse, painted a dull red, with long, rambling outbuildings, and was situated just at the foot of a small mountain called Gates' Mountain. In front of the house, which was some distance from the main road, the ground was level, so that in summer it presented a pretty picture with its fields of waving grain and grass, everything about the place telling of thrift and careful tillage.

At the time of which I write, the snow covered everything, for an old-fashioned winter was with us, with its drifts and ice-bound streams, and Warren's Pond, which lay at the left of the house, afforded an excellent opportunity for skaters. But that fact has nothing to do with our story—only to give you an idea of how Uncle Ben Warren's home looked, where he and his sister Maria had lived so many years.

Uncle Ben was a good man. "A leetle close in a bargain, counts every penny he ought to have, and don't care if he gets a leetle more," said old Deacon Morris concerning his friend and neighbor; and he spoke the truth.

Aunt Maria had been his housekeeper ever since their mother had died and, aside from her board and clothes and five dollars every fall, when the poultry was killed and marketed, she had received nothing. Christmas her brother always remembered her with a gift, but it was something in the way of clothing, she must necessarily have, and it was quite amusing to hear his questions to ascertain just what the necessity was.

His sister was satisfied, however. She had all she needed. They were alone—these two—and it mattered little who kept the money, provided it was safe.

Uncle Ben took care that his table was well provided for. Close in everything else, he craved the good dishes his sister prepared, and saw that she always had a plenty of everything needed.

He had a "memory." Years ago, when he was young, he had wooed, and won a sweet-faced girl, Penelope Morris, but the day that was to have seen her his wife, she was laid away in the village churchyard. No other love had come into his life, and all these years his thoughts had dwelt upon his lost bride.

Once, several years after her death, business had called him to a distant city, where he had remained over the Sabbath. Of course, he attended church—he always did that—and some words of the pastor had brushed aside the heavy clouds of sorrow he had kept close to his heart; and ever after he had seemed happier, and more like the jolly Ben of other days.

In speaking of the sorrows of life, the clergyman had said, "We all have our joys, our disappointments, our sorrows and our memories. Those who have seen the brightest hopes die, who have been compelled to go through long years with only a dear memory left, are blessed indeed that they have that to call their own.

> "It s better to have loved and lost
> Than never to have loved at all."

The words were simple, but the idea was new to Ben, and ever after he always thought of Penelope as his "memory."

Aunt Maria had never been twenty-five miles from the farmhouse in her life. She had often wished she might go out into the world, and see the things she loved to read about; but there was nowhere for her to go and stay among friends, and she was too timid to go among strangers and too busy at work. On rare occasions she had been to the large town of B—— F—— to purchase something not obtainable in the small country store of Warrensville.

One of her few pleasures consisted in "boarding the teacher." They all liked to partake of her good food, and the months when school was in session, were Aunt Maria's happiest ones. Never really conscious of loneliness, yet perfectly conscious of increased happiness when another face appeared at her table, or helped her gather berries, and join her in the kitchen, watching her as she worked.

The summer preceding the time our story opens, a young lady from the city of H—— had been secured as teacher. She was overtired from work in a graded school, and had been advised by her physician to go into the country for a complete change and rest.

"I am not ill enough for entire quiet. If I can secure a small school to teach, and a nice place to live, I will go," she had laughingly retorted, and making good her promise, became for a time a member of Uncle Ben's family.

Susie Price was as sensible as she was pretty, and soon won her way to the hearts of the good people of Warrenstown. When the time arrived for her to return to her city home, she gave Aunt Maria a pressing invitation to visit her the following February and, almost before that lady realized it, she had promised to do so, if Prissy Kane could be secured to take her place during her absence.

She made a mistake however, in not telling her brother of her proposed visit, but she well knew any change would be distasteful to him, and so waited until compelled to do so, to complete her arrangements.

When the poultry was disposed of, she timidly asked for ten dollars instead of the five he usually gave her.

"What on earth do you need ten dollars for, Maria? I want to use every cent I can raise this fall and winter for more stock. I'll give you eight, and that is all I can spare," returned Uncle Ben impatiently.

There came a bit of a flash into his sister's faded blue eyes, and a tiny red spot on each cheek, but she took her money and made no reply.

At Christmas, when he enquired in what he meant to be a round-about way what she needed, she asked him to give her the money instead of buying her anything, as she wished to go to B—— F—— by and by and get her things herself.

Ben gave her a queer look and two dollars, and again there came a flash of the blue eyes, and a touch of impatience as she took the money and forgot to thank her brother.

New Year's morning dawned clear and cold. Ben had to work in the woods all day, so Maria decided to overlook her wardrobe, no great task, to see what could be utilized for her proposed visit.

"I'll have to have two new dresses, a new cloak and bonnet, if I go, to be anyways decent. I wish I hadn't promised to go, for I don't see how I'm to get half I need," said the good woman to herself.

Before nightfall she had ripped to pieces her "best dress," sponged and pressed it ready for the dressmaker. Ben came home tired and a bit cross. He had to go to the village that evening to replace something he had broken that day, or else not work on the morrow, and as soon as his chores were done, harnessed up old Kit and rode away. Maria had decided to tell him that evening of her proposed visit, but his absence and ill humor would prevent, so decided to wait until the next day.

It was nearly nine o'clock when he returned, and after putting up his horse and making himself comfortable in slippers and easy-chair before the fire he said, "Maria, what is this I hear about your going to see Miss Price? Seems to me I'm the last one to know what I'd ought to have been the first to hear, and I don't like it. I overtook Deacon Morris going home afoot, took him in and he asked me how soon you was a calkerlatin' to go. I never let on you hadn't told me, though at first I didn't believe it. Later on I remembered how you had been wantin' money lately, and concluded it might be true. Perhaps you will tell me now."

"O, Ben, I'd ought to have told you before, but you was so sharp with me when I asked you for a little money I hated to. I promised her I'd go if Prissy could come and care for you. She afterwards saw Prissy and she agreed to come whenever I wanted her. I didn't think at first that I hadn't anything fit to wear. I always wanted to go somewhere and never went, and was too eager when the chance came, and said yes before I had time to think," said Maria.

"Well, I don't see how you can go. I've no money to lay out in fol-de-rols. The idea, at your time of life! Write to her you can't go and let that end it," said her brother decidedly.

He looked up just in season to see those blue eyes flash. She started to speak, then stopped, arose, took her lamp and left the room, the first time in her whole life that she omitted to bid him good night.

The next evening, after Ben had partaken of one of his sister's delicious meals, he said with a smile, "Well, Maria, have you written Miss Price that you aint going to make her a visit? If so, I'll take the letter to the office, as I rather need to go to the village this evening.

"Benjamin Warren, I've reckoned up the years I've been your housekeeper, and find it is just thirty-five years since mother died. In all these years you have never had to pay even a doctor's bill for me. I've had my board and clothes and a little spending money, and that is all, I've had nothing hardly all my life but work, which while I love to work has often seemed an old story; the same things done over and over again. I shall go and visit Susie Price, and if I can have nothing new, I'll fix my one dress, brush up my old cloak I've had for ten years, trim over my old bonnet I've had for eight, and go; and if I come back to work for you I'll have wages every week. I won't be hard with you, but I shall have three dollars every Saturday night. Now, brother, you can act as you please; get another housekeeper if you wish. I am willing. Unless you are sick or I am, I shall go to H—— the first of next month."

During this speech Aunt Maria's voice was low and quiet, but with a tone entirely new to her brother. To say that Uncle Ben was dumbfounded would no more than express his surprise. He looked at her as if he could not believe he had heard aright, but when he saw the determination expressed in her face he arose, put on his coat and hat and left the house.

It was late when he returned and his sister had retired for the night. He sat by the fire a long time thinking, and his thoughts did him good, for he saw himself as he had never done before.

His dear sister! He began to realize what she had been to him all these years. Poor girl, she had really had so little in life. She hadn't even a "memory" so far as he knew. She had never had a lover, and he wondered why, she was so thoroughly good. We shall see what the outcome of his thoughts proved to be.

The next morning he greeted his sister as usual, and then said, "Don't hurry the breakfast. I'm not going to the woods to-day. I guess I'm getting old, for I feel tired after two days at it. Fact is I worked pretty hard both days. I'll go to the village and do up my errands there, and get back to dinner about one."

Aunt Maria looked pale and wan, as if her sleep had been broken, and he said to himself as he started out to do his barn chores, "Poor girl, I've been a brute to her all these years and never knew it." "Put in an extra potato or two for dinner. I have to see a man who is coming some time to look at oxen—he may come to-day," said he later on as he drove away toward the village.

Promptly at one Maria heard the sleigh bells, and hastening to the window to see if she had a guest for dinner, she saw Mrs. Graves, the dressmaker, and Prissy Kane the housework girl, just alighting from the sleigh. Ben threw the lines over old Kit's neck, opened the outer door and called to his sister, "Say, Maria, these ladies have come to stay a spell. Mis' Graves until she gets your fixins all done up, Prissy until you get back from the city. To-morrow, if pleasant, we'll go to B—— F—— for material, takin' Mis' Graves along, for we don't know what you want, at least I don't believe we do."

His sister gave him one look, saying simply, "O, Ben," as she led the way into the cosy sitting-room.

The next morning proved all they could wish, and just before starting on their shopping expedition, Ben handed his sister a new purse containing a hundred dollars, saying gravely as he did so, "Here, sister, take this, use every cent of it, and if there ain't enough, let me know, for I shall go to the bank anyway, longs I'm down there. And, sister, I want to engage you as my housekeeper until I die, if you live as long as I do, and I'll pay you five dollars every Saturday night." And then he did a strange thing for him to do, bent and kissed her gently on her cheek, and when she raised her eyes full of tears to his face, she found his swimming also.

"O, Ben, you are so good and I've been so horrid! I don't want to go and leave you after all."

"Yes you do, anyhow I won't be happy unless you do, and please, Maria, forget what a brute I've been all these years."

And all his sister said was, "O, Ben! O, Ben!"—Helen M. Merrill.

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How he Was Cured.

A few months ago the son of a railway director was, through his father's influence, given a position of some importance on a large railway.

He was fresh from Cambridge, and in the orders which he from time to time issued to the men under him always made use of the longest most unusual words.

This habit led to some rather expensive blunders, and the matter coming before the general manager, he wrote the young official the following letter: "In promulgating our esoteric cogitations and in articulating our superficial sentimentalities and amicable philosophical or psychological observations, beware of platitudinous ponderosity. Let your conversational communication possess a clarified conciseness, a compacted comprehensibleness, a coalescent consistency, and a concatenated cogency. Eschew all conglomeration of flatulent garrulity, jejune babblement, and asinine affectation. Let your extemporaneous descantings and unpremeditated expatiation have intelligibility and veracious vivacity without rhodomontade or thrasonical bombast. Sedulously avoid all polysyllabic profundity, pompous prolixity, psittaceous vacuity, ventriloquial verbosity and vaniloquent vapidity. Shun double entendre, pruriency, jocosity and pestiferous profanity, obscurant or apparent. In other words, talk plainly, briefly, naturally, sensibly, purely and truthfully. Don't put on airs; say what you mean; mean what you say; and don't use big words."

The young official took the gentle hint and changed his style.—Tid-Bits.

Science and Religion.

Several philosophers of late have been claiming the right to speak the last word in regard to science and religion. But if a philosopher is one who consideres every question as open every morning and never closed when the sun goes down, he must expect to be one of a small minority, so long as he lives among men and women who are obliged to work for a living, to decide one question after another in order that they may act promptly, who must choose what they shall teach their children, who must help the living and bury the dead, and who for every emergency of life must act upon what they believe to be knowledge of the facts in the case. If every person had to decide for himself every morning and all day long, as each question arises, without trusting anything but his own knowledge and process of reasoning founded upon it, nothing would be done. And if there were not a large body of knowledge available for all who are called to act, whether for the support of the body or in affairs of the spirit, civilization would be impossible and progress a delusion. The philosophers who are public benefactors are they who can set forth in plain terms the elements of knowledge which are essential to a rational hopeful, and cheerful conduct of life.—Christian Register.

Souvenir Spoons.

Wealth and ignorance make a queer team, especially if they are hitched up suddenly. Not long ago a woman whose home is in one of the villages down the valley came to the city to do some trading. She had heard much about the souvenir spoons and proposed to buy some. She asked for a dozen in one of the leading jewelry stores.

"A dozen souvenir spoons?" repeated the clerk, in surprise. "Er, what kind of spoons did you say?

"Maybe you don't know me, "she said, noting his surprise, and thinking that it was occasioned by the size of her proposed purchase, she added, "I am Mrs. Suddens. We keep a team. Yes I want a dozen souvenir spoons, to eat souvenirs with, you know. My daughter makes beautiful souvenirs.—Utica Observer.

Child Widows.

In the eastern countries the children's parents betroth them when very young to some one of their own selection often the little girl has never seen the one to whom she is to be married—he may be an old man, he may be deformed, perhaps cross and unkind, and in some dreadful cases a leper.

All the sons bring their wives, and they often have several, home to their father's house, and all are under the control of the mother-in-law. In these "zenanas" no attempt is made to make a joyful home-coming for the little bride and no effort has been made to beautify the place. The room may be, perhaps, six feet square with clay floors and walls, there is a cot with a cotton comfortable, a box for her cloths, a vessel containing oil and a twisted wick for a lamp, a mill, a few dishes and a fire-place.

The little child-wife, often less than eight years old becomes a sort of servant for all the women; she has to prepare her husband's meals, and often has to rise very early in the morning to grind the wheat from which his bread is made. When all is ready she calls her lord, who is probably on the roof of the house smoking or talking with his neighbors; then, instead of sitting down to the table, she takes her place as a servant and waits upon him, fans him if he is warm, and after he has finished gathers up the fragments for her own meal.

The life of a Hindoo widow is infinitely worse than that of a Hindoo wife. As soon as the husband is dead, a cruel class of women, the barbers' wives shave the head of the widow, drag off any ornament she may wear, often tearing the flesh in the operation, and sometimes, where the arms are encircled with gold or silver bracelets, pounding the metal till it breaks, thus bruising the tender flesh. During the entire funeral time the little widow is barbarously treated. After the husband's body has been burned, she is put into a dark room to stay for fourteen days having only such food as may be thrown to her by the children of the family. The poor little thing's life is absolutely hopeless now, as the husband's death is supposed to be a result of the wife's sins. It is almost impossible to conceive of the vast suffering of the child widows of India, even when we know there are 79,000 of these widows under nine years of age, 669,000 under eighteen years of age, and 24,000,000 widows in all.

As the missionaries gain admission to the zenanas, and the "Light of the Gospel" spreads among the people, the condition of the little ones will grow less and less hopeless and dreary, and we will hope that the time is not so very distant when the laugh of the Hindoo girl will be as bright, sparkling and merry as that of her paler-faced sister in America.—Good Housekeeping.

John's References.

John was fifteen years old when he applied for a place in the office of a well-known lawyer who had advertised for a boy; but he had no reference. "I am afraid I will stand a poor chance," he thought, "but I'll try."

The lawyer glanced him over from head to foot.

"A good face," he thought, "and pleasant ways." Then he noted the new suit—but other boys had appeared in new clothes; saw the well-brushed hair and clean-looking skin—very well, but there had been others here quite as cleanly; another glance showed the finger-nails free from soil.

"Ah! that looks like thoughtfulness," thought the lawyer.

Then he asked a few direct, rapid questions, which John answered as directly.

"Prompt," was the lawyer's thought; "he can speak up when necessary. Let me see your writing," he added aloud.

John took the pen and wrote his name.

"Very well; easy to read and no flourishes. Now, what reference have you?"

The dreaded question at last. John's face fell. He had begun to feel some hope of success, but this dashed it.

"I have not any" he said slowly; "I'm almost a stranger in the city."

"Can't take a boy without reference," was the rejoinder, and as he spoke a sudden thought sent a flush to John's cheek.

"I have no references," he said, with hesitation, "but here is a letter from mother I just received."

The lawyer took it. It was a short letter:

My dear John:—I want to remind you that whenever you get work you must consider that work your own. Don't go into it, as some boys do, with the feeling that you will do as little as you can, and get something better soon; but make up your mind you will do as much as possible and make yourself so necessary to your employer that he will never let you go! You have been a good son to me. Be as good in business and I am sure God will bless your efforts."

"H'm," said the lawyer, reading it over a second time. "That is pretty good advice, John—excellent advice! I rather think I'll try you, even without reference."

John has been with him six years, and last spring was admitted to the bar.

"Do you intend to take the young man into partnership?" asked a friend lately.

"Yes, I do; I couldn't get along without John."—Wellspring.

Johnny on Physiology.

"Children," said the teacher, while instructing the class in composition, "you should not attempt any flights of fancy, but simply be yourselves, and write what is in you. Do not imitate any other person's writings or draw inspiration from outside sources."

As a result of this advice, Johnny Wise turned in the following composition:

"We should not attempt any flites of fancy, but rite what is in us. In me there is my stummick, lungs, hart, liver, two apples, one piece of pie, one stick lemon candy, and my dinner."

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For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, Jan. 21, 1905.

The first statue of a woman in the Capitol of the United States will be received next Friday when the state of Illinois will present one of Frances E. Willard, the distinguished reformer. Appropriate exercises will be held in Statuary Hall of the Capitol and speeches by some distinguished men will be made. There will be a large representation of the Women's Christian Temperance union of which Miss Willard was an enthusiastic supporter and other clubs working in the interest of women's right to enfranchisement.

Consular officers abroad were considerably startled Friday by the telegraphic reports of the President's message to the Senate recommending favorable action on Assistant Secretary Loomis suggestion for the appointment of six special agents, to be called commercial attaches to visit the different countries to which we send consuls for the purpose of studying commercial and industrial conditions with a view to making necessary and salutary changes in our foreign commerce. This is the substance of the message but those on the inside know that the six commercial agents are recommended to be sent abroad not so much to study conditions of trade, which is really the work for which consuls are appointed but, as a matter of fact, to inspect our consular offices and to report on the work of our consular agents. That there was to be a general stirring up of consular affairs if Roosevelt should be re-elected no one has doubted and even the most enthusiastic Republicans in Consular chairs have been ducking whenever reforms are mentioned.

President Roosevelt who speaks French and German fluently and who has spent so much time abroad realizes better than any of our Presidents have the necessity for more intelligent and better equipped consuls than we have been in the habit of sending out. The State Department which has kept in fairly close touch with the service by means of the reports has long recognized the necessity for some sweeping reforms but not until the present time has it been free to make recommendations touching them. By the suggestion of Assistant Secretary Loomis the agents of "commercial attaches" will be selected from among the consuls known as consular and commercial experts, who, it is presumed will be better able to report on trade conditions as well as the work of the consulates. It is estimated that the expense of the test will be about $50,000 per annum, and any one who has had business with an inefficient agent in a foreign city, a consul for example who did not speak the language of the country to which he has been sent or his own tongue without murderous attacks upon its grammar will not think the sum too much.

Your correspondent while in Paris, last winter had occasion to visit the Consulate, and while waiting his turn became interested in the applications that came before the then acting-consul. This gentleman spoke French, and with so much delight that a French woman married to an American, and desiring information as to how she could obtain her children from him could by no apparent means find a chance to relate her story. One or two words from her were sufficient to throw the French speaking consul into a lengthy, and wholly inappropos discussion of French, and American law to which the woman round eyed and bewildered listened uncomprehendingly. Finally, when he had fully delivered himself the woman was dismissed, and told wearily to write the case in full, and submit it to him. She protested that she could not write, and he gave her the address of a notary who, for the sum of twenty francs (five dollars) would do it for her. The woman who wore a shawl over her head, and to whom doubtless, twenty francs meant a month's support retired with many protestations of gratitude, but wholly legible despair written on her face. Five others were called to the haughty presence of the acting consul, and in each case similar assistance was offered, with an equal exploitation of the acting consul's French. It will be seen that cases of this sort of inefficiency, and indifference were difficult of discovery by the State Department, but may come to the attention of the "Commercial attaches" or "detectives" as the consuls will call them.

Nearly every great railroad company in the country has a representative in Washington now, and the amount of wining and dining that these attorneys are doing among the Interstate Commerce committeemen, who have charge of the preparation of the railroad freight rate bill, is the joy of all the hotels. The idea that good wines and dinners have lost their influence on our legislators is a prevalent one, but they are still employed, and only their dispensers can testify as to the result. Every day these attorneys for the roads are before the committee giving testimony against government rate making, and it is said the bill will be ready for Congress by Monday at the latest. The struggle for railway rate legislation will then commence in earnest. It is contended by the representatives of the railroads that the members of the two houses are with only a few exceptions uninformed upon the subject of railroad abuses, and the legal reforms therefor. They argue that Congress is merely endeavoring to answer the clamorous demands of shippers while there is really no widespread public demand for legislation. However, this may be there are several weeks of hard work before Congress, and the general impression is that legislation cannot be affected in the present session. Adams.

Compensation.

"Of couse," said Mr. Erastus Pinkley, who had drifted into a philosophic vein, "yoh ain' gwinter be jes' saterfy wif dis life, not unless yoh show sense in yoh way o'lookin' at it."

"What's yoh way?" said Miss Miami Brown.

"Yoh wants ter average fings up. "It's ve'y possible dat a man may deserve ter be rich an famous an not git dar, but, on de yuthuh han', its ve'y possible dat a man may deserve ter be in jail an not git dar, neither."—Washington Star.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 1905.

Tucker Found Guilty.

The jury after deliberation, lasting for eight hours, found Charles L. Tucker guilty in the first degree of the murder of Miss Mabel Page. The trial has cost Middlesex county some $50,000 and yet the counsels for Tucker are not satisfied and are trying to get a new trial.

Reward to Arthur Woodward.

The town of Weston has $500 to pay to the man who furnished the evidence which secured the arrest leading to the conviction of Charles L. Tucker, and this money goes to one who has not been a prominent figure in the trial. His evidence may even have already been forgotten.

But Arthur J. Woodward of West Quincy is the young man, says the Boston Post, whom the Selectmen of Weston will have to credit with securing the arrest, which later led to the conviction of Tucker.

Had Woodward not come forward with evidence in his possession, in all probability Tucker would be now walking the streets of Auburndale a free man.

The police were ready to give up the case in despair. They had allowed Tucker to go after examining him once. And, despite denials, they felt convinced that he had nothing to do with the murder.

Then came the startling news from Woodward that he had found a leather knife sheath on the seat of the fish wagon he drove on the day of the murder, and on which Tucker had been riding.

The father of young Woodward, knowing the town of Weston had offered a reward, took the find of his son not to the State police, but to the Selectmen of Weston, who had offered $500 for evidence leading to the arrest and conviction of Mabel Page's murderer.

The Selectmen took the evidence and turned it over to the State police, and that leather knife sheath caused the arrest of Tucker the same day the police received it.

The evidence in court showed that the sheath was the cause of Tucker's arrest.

There have been no claimants for the reward other than Woodward, and there is no question that it will be paid to him.

Arthur Woodward is 16 years old and very large for his age. He is a cousin of Mabel Walker, and it was on Woodward's wagon that Tucker met Mabel Walker on the afternoon of the murder.

River Appropriations.

The River and Harbor bill reported in Congress Friday provides for an appropriation of $57,500.00 for the Weymouth Fore river between Quincy and Weymouth, and $9,827.41 for the improvement of Town river in Quincy.

The Town river and Weymouth Fore river items cover the improvement of those streams up to the Fore river bridge, conditional upon the state of Massachusetts or municipality making improvements above that point. This manner of handling these projects was satisfactory to Representative McNary, in whose district they are located.

For the general improvement of Boston harbor $100,000 is appropriated. Boston will be provided for further in the sundry civil appropriation bill, which will carry $970,000 for continuing work upon the 35-foot channel.

There are also provisions for a survey of Dorchester bay and the Neponset river.

There are also appropriations for Mystic and Malden rivers, Taunton river, Merrimac river, Lynn harbor, Sandy bay, Newburyport harbor, Hyannis and Nantucket, Plymouth and Provincetown, New Bedford, Woods Hole and other Massachusetts items.

Street Railway Petition.

The Legislature on Thursday suspended its rules and admitted a bill to authorize the Old Colony Street Railway company to sell electricity to the Fore River Shipbuilding company.

The nearly completed power plant of the street railway at Quincy Point is only a short distance from the shipyard. It is expected that hereafter the former will have plenty of power and some to spare, as it has built for the future.

Whether the Quincy Electric Light and Power Company, whose rights cover this territory is agreeable to surrendering the shipyard, remains to seen.

A New Book.

A clever little book just out is "Educational Broth" by Frederic Allison Tupper, headmaster of the Brighton High school, and recently of the Quincy High school. The book is dedicated to the teachers, pupils and other lovers of education with whom his life has been spent, and they will surely find it interesting reading. There are twenty-five chapters in which commonplace school matters are so brightly discussed as to attract the attention of those who are not especially interested in educational work, while to those whose daily avocation is teaching they touch a responsive chord. Mr. Tupper seems to have the right material in his broth and if properly assimilated what a blessing it would be to teacher and pupil. We commend the book to teachers, parents and the thinking people of our city. C. W. Bardeen of Syracuse, N. Y., are the publishers.

McKinley Anniversary.

Sunday will be the birthday anniversary of William McKinley, the 25th President of the United States, born Jan. 29, 1843. He was inaugurated in 1897 and died Sept. 14, 1901. His last words will long be remembered: "Good-by, all; good-by. It is God's way. His will be done, not ours."

Evangeline Booth commander in chief of the Salvation Army, has issued a declaration of war against every kind of evil work resulting from sin, such as drink, blasphemy, hatred, half-heartedness, sham, etc. The seige will begin Feb. 5 and extend until March 14.

—The United States senate passed on Thursday the army appropriation bill after modifying the provision concerning the assignment of retired army officers to active service with militia organizations. The effect of the charge is to relieve General Miles from its application.

—There were sixteen deaths in New England due to the severe blizzard on Wednesday; and there are eleven schooners and steamers ashore, along her coast.

—The crisis at St. Petersburg, says Gov. Gen. Trepoff is over, and that public order and the safety of the city are assured.

CITY BRIEFS.

The proposed jury list for 1905 has been posted.

Nearly 1,000 tons of coal have just arrived for C. Patch & Son.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co. are having their January mark-down sale.

The Mock Trial must have been a grand financial success for the Y. M. C. A.

Miss Florence Brooks has been appointed stenographer to Mayor Thompson.

The new bowling alleys at the Y. M. C. A. will be ready for use in a few days.

The friends of Arthur E. Baxter are surprised that he was turned down for Tax Collector.

Mrs. George Monk has been entertaining friends from Brockton and Plymouth the past week.

The thirty-three shares of the National Mount Wollaston bank sold at auction brought $120 and $121.

Work has been commenced on the foundation for a house off Hancock street near Butlers brook.

Mayor Thompson has requested the department officials to forward their annual reports before Feb. 1.

Mr. Keysweather has resigned his position at the shipyard. He was day watchman on the New Jersey.

There was an increased attendance at the business men's class at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on Monday afternoon.

Albert Keating and Mark Myatt have returned from a two weeks' pleasure trip to Baltimore, Norfolk and Washington.

Chairman Hallowell of the School Committee will announce his sub-committees at the meeting next Tuesday evening.

Contractor W. R. Lofgren says that he is to commence work immediately finishing up the six-apartment house on Revere road.

Representative Freeman has introduced into the Legislature a bill for dredging a channel near the Yacht clubhouse at Houghs Neck.

The "Anecdote Social" of the Christian Endeavor Society, held in Bethany chapel Monday evening, was largely attended and much enjoyed.

The extra cars that left Music hall for all points after the mock trial Tuesday night were very welcome as a blinding snow storm was prevailing.

Gershom B. Thomas, of Mechanic street, who has been housed up by sickness the past three weeks, is once more seen on his route as letter carrier.

Merrymount lodge, A. O. U. W., had a smoke talk Tuesday evening at Wilson hall, and were addressed by Principal Assessor Johnson on "Taxation."

The House has taken from the files of last year the bill providing for the annexation of certain cities to the city of Boston to comprise greater Boston.

Charles L. Prescott has been at work all the week cutting ice on Butlers pond and filling the big refrigerator of the Quincy Beef Co. on Dimmock street.

There is a great deal of sickness among the school teachers. Supt. Parlin reports that he had ten teachers absent on account of illness on Monday and eleven Tuesday.

At the billiard tournament at the Granite City club Saturday night, H. F. McIntire beat John Gallagher 100 to 70, and C. B. Marston beat A. W. S. Anderson 125 to 117.

The axle of a heavily loaded team snapped on Hancock street opposite the Woodward Institute Saturday afternoon. The result was that both street car tracks were blocked for three-fourths of an hour.

There is a general feeling of regret among the business men that the granite cutters' union have refused to accept the proposition to arbitrate any matters upon which the two committees could not agree.

A Boston paper reports that next Sunday evening in Clan-na-Gael hall, the degree staff of division 18 of Quincy will work the four degrees on 35 candidates for division 32 of South Boston. An entertainment and a collation will follow.

Representative Freeman introduced a bill of Mayor Thompson's into the Legislature on Saturday to give the city authority to borrow $200,000 outside the debt limit, in addition to the amount already authorized, to extend the sewer system.

Harry E. Driscoll of Scituate, who was recently before the Quincy court for assault on the high seas and for mutiny, but was discharged for want of jurisdiction, was given a hearing Monday before U. S. Commissioner Fiske and held in $500 for the federal grand jury.

Cards are out for the marriage on Feb. 15, at the Chester Hill Methodist Episcopal church, Mt. Vernon, New York, of Miss Ethel Link, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Louis Gwyer of New York, to Howard Manning North, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. North of Brookline, formerly of Quincy.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burgin gave a dance last week at Colonial hall. All the participants, eighteen couples, attended the Social club dramatics at First Church chapel occupying a block of seats, going from there at the close of the entertainment to Colonial hall for the dance.

Last week's issue of the Wilton (N. H.) Journal contained a picture of Maplehurst the home of Dexter Vinton Pierce and a brief sketch of his life. Mr. Pierce has recently published a book, "Caleb Abbott," the scenes of which are taken from Wilton and vicinity. The first edition of 2000 copies is being rapidly sold. Mr. Pierce formerly of Quincy is married and has four charming children.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Crane of Stamford, Conn., sailed Saturday, Jan 21, on the S. S. Sarina, of the Atlas line for Kingston, Jamaica, thence to Cuba and later to Miami, Florida, to be gone two or three months. Mr. Crane by his large benevolence, his desire, and readiness to benefit all, makes him the recipient of the universal good will of Quincy's citizens. May this outing be one of much pleasure, and large benefit to him.

A Boston paper reports more trouble for Henry H. Faxon at Chelsea. The item says: When John E. Bean of Chelsea who cares for the houses that Henry Faxon, the Quincy temperance advocate, owns in Chelsea, went to his employer's unoccupied house at 26 Vale street, that city, on Saturday, he found two men cutting out the lead piping. They ran out, and Bean fired a revolver into the air to scare the intruders into stopping, but they didn't scare, and Bean reported the matter to the police.

G. S. Grant won a $10 prize in the Post proverb contest.

Tomorrow is the anniversary of the birth of President McKinley.

Large values for small money can be secured at the January markdown sale of Miss Hubbard.

The snow is badly drifted in some places while in others the ground is bare for quite a distance.

Walter B. Wilson of Skowhegan, Me., has arrived for an extended visit with his brother, George H. Wilson.

A warm wave is predicted. If it materializes it will soon finish the sleighing on the main streets.

Quincy was represented at the annual ball of the Shoe City Wheelmen at Brockton, on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Bateman, of Presidents hill are contemplating spending several weeks in Florida.

Mr. Charles DeLaney who has been a guest at Hotel Greenleaf for the past few weeks has returned to his home in New York City.

A stereopticon will be used at the Sunday evening service at Bethany church, illustrating the pastor's subject, "The great invitation."

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Sands of Washington, D. C., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sedgwick on Goffe street, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mamie Dean who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sedgwick for the past two months returned to her home in Iowa last Monday.

The anonymous report of a Wollaston engagement has been thrown into the waste basket today for the office cat. It will be rich food for her.

The biennial examinations of recipients of state and military aid will be held at City Hall next Monday and Tuesday, in rooms 11 and 12.

The ladies are looking forward to next Thursday evening, when they are to be guests of the Granite City club, at the club rooms in the bank building.

City teams have been at work today cutting down the big snow drifts in front of the Adams building and spreading them over bare spots in City Square.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Francis, nee Fuller, recently married, are residing at Durham, Connecticut, where they are at home to friends after February first.

Mrs. John Downes has issued invitations for a small subscription party at Faxon hall, for Tuesday evening, February the seventh, from eight until eleven.

A musicale is announced for the next entertainment in the Manet club course, and will be held at the Parish house of Christ church on Tuesday evening, January thirty-first.

The I's of Bethany church had a delightful meeting with Miss Ella Packard of Chestnut street, Thursday evening, with the S. S. S. as guests. Games and refreshments were enjoyed.

John R. Graham, the manager of the Bangor street railway, was one of the invited guests at the annual banquet of the New England street railway company at the Brunswick hotel on Thursday evening.

The new department officials, administrative boards of the city will assume their duties, the first Monday in February, which is about as late this year as it can be—Feb. 6, a week from next Monday.

A map of the United States, showing the lines of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company has been issued by the company. One may be seen at the Patriot office or the Quincy telephone exchange.

The third whist party in the series being given by the ladies of the Cochato club, Braintree, will be held at the club house, on Tuesday afternoon, at half past two. Several Quincy ladies are making very good scores.

Mrs. Griswold of Hudson street is to entertain the Junior Friday club at her home on Monday afternoon of next week. The club is continuing the study of American history, this being the second season on this subject.

Mrs. George Emery Green of 11 Summer street left Wednesday on the Colonial express for her home in Washington, D. C. She will visit her sister, Mrs. H. C. Knapp and many friends, and will not return until after the Inauguration of the President.

Paul Revere, W. R. C., will observe McKinley Day at the home of Mrs. Annie Grignon, 139 Arlington street, Wollaston. Members will leave Quincy Square on the 1.45 car. The Executive Committee will also meet at the same time and place. Saturday, Jan. 28.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of one of our young business men, Manley Thomas Perry, manager of the S. K. Ames' store on Hancock street, to Maude Lela, daughter of William Bruckhof, at St. Johns, New Brunswick, Tuesday afternoon.

On February first at the First Parish church, Meeting-house hill, Dorchester, will be united in marriage Miss Pauline Fottler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Fottler, Jr., of Dorchester, and Mr. Arthur Parkhurst Young. A reception will follow the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter E. Wadsworth, of Goffe street, sailed early Thursday morning, for Jamaica. They were somewhat delayed in starting by Wednesday's blizzard, but by this time have probably reached a warmer clime, and will enjoy a few weeks summer weather in the midst of winter.

The Patriot is requested to state that a pro forma verdict for the defendant was entered in the Superior court in the case of Michael M. Cunniff of Brookline vs. Emily A. McDonnell of Buffalo, N. Y., to recover $3,666.66 as share of amount paid by plaintiff in settlement of liability bond. The case will be reported to the Supreme court.

Mrs. Porterfield held a very enjoyable whist Thursday afternoon, eight tables being in play. Refreshments were served. The souvenirs went to Mrs. William Westland, Mrs. A. Rogers, Mrs. Baker, Mrs J. Young, Mrs. Sanberg, Mrs. Pratt, Mrs. I. Davidson and Mrs. George Spooner.

The street railway commenced Thursday afternoon to open up the Houghs Neck line. They found a number of bad drifts to overcome. They kept hard at work however, and Friday morning cars were running as far as the Willows. They were running way through before night.

The Sea Breeze for January in the department devoted to incidents and work at the Sailors' Rest and chapel has this item: "Outside the chapel, as usual, much work has been done at the Navy Yard, and at the Naval and Marine hospitals. A friendly hand has also been extended to the Sailors' Snug Harbor at Quincy, thirty booklets of memory verses and as many pairs of wristers being sent to the inmates, three of whom are over ninety years of age."

WEST QUINCY.

The $500 reward in the Tucker case offered by the Selectmen of Weston, may go to Arthur Woodward, of West Quincy, who was the first to call attention to Charles L. Tucker.

The St. Mary's second team won easily on Saturday evening from the Brockton High school team, 56 to 15. The game was played in St. Mary's hall.

The invincible St. Marys are evidently not in the same class with the Danvers A. A. basket ball team, and the latter won again Saturday evening at St. Marys hall, by the score of 14 to 10. This gives the visitors the series, three games out of four.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Covell, nee Ryder, who were married a few weeks ago, are at home to their friends after February first, having furnished a pretty home at Quincy Adams.

Next Tuesday at 2.30 P. M., the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will hold their annual reception in the Manse of the Presbyterian society, at 95 Quincy street, when Mrs. Dunlop of Roxbury will address the meeting. The mite boxes will be brought in and a reception held at close of address. All the lady members of the church and their friends are invited to this meeting.

John Glover is seriously ill at his home on Franklin street.

The Kavanaugh Bros. Company of Quincy has been incorporated to deal in stone and marble. The promoters are Henry K. Kavanaugh, E. H. Kavanaugh and Dana G. Prescott.

Mr. Lemuel J. Myers of Franklin street has returned from a visit to relatives in Maine.

Matti Yarvalla, aged 28 years, of 36 Arthur street, was killed Monday afternoon at the Fore River yards by being struck by one of the big smokestacks used on the battleships. The stack, which is of steel, is ten feet in diameter and sixty feet long. It was being moved by means of jacks toward the wharf. It became stuck and while Yarvalla was in front of it the obstruction was cleared and it rolled over onto him. He sustained a fractured skull and other injuries from which he died fifteen minutes later. He was unmarried.

There was a slight fire at 8 o'clock Wednesday night in the billiard room of William Keegan on Franklin street caused by an over-heated stove. The Central Fire station was notified by telephone and members of the department went up and put the fire out.

Rev. N. J. Sproul of the Water street Presbyterian church will preach Sunday morning on "The barren fig tree" and in the evening will continue the series of sermons on the family; subject—"The husband in the home." A male quartette will sing.

The funeral of Francis Brown, who died Sunday, was held Thursday from his late residence on Jackson street. The services were conducted by Rev. Edwin N. Hardy of Bethany church. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

W. C. T. Union.

A Mothers' meeting was arranged under the auspices of the Wollaston W. C. T. Union to take place in the vestry of the Congregational, church Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, announcing an address by Dr. Chubbuck on the subject "Motherhood" but owing to the serious illness of a patient of Dr. Chubbuck's we were obliged to forego that pleasure, and with only a few hours' notice our State President, Mrs. Catherine Lente Stevenson was invited to take her place.

The meeting opened with a hymn led by Miss Merrill then a Bible reading by Mrs. W. H. Cahoon, followed with prayer by Mrs. S. F. Smith. After which the ever popular hymn "Onward Christian Soldier" was sung by all.

Our Wollaston president, Mrs. Barker introduced the learned lecturer, Mrs. Stevenson, who was greeted with an encore. She spoke so tenderly to mothers, and as the pleasing face, gazed upon her appreciative audience, we heard one say, "Oh she is just lovely I could listen to her all day." The advice given to mothers was very important and instructive.

Y. M. C. A. Conference.

The Fifteenth Annual Boys' State Conference of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Massachusetts and Rhode Island will be held in Brockton, Mass., February 17-19. This will be a unique gathering of about 400 boys from fourteen to nineteen years of age. The representation is limited to one delegate for every ten members. The Conference is officered by boys. All the committees are composed of boys and the entire work of the Conference is in the hands of boys. Interesting topics will be presented for discussion such as "What is the Greatest Need of the Average Boy and What can the Association do to Meet that Need?" "What Social Features Attract and Hold High School Boys," "Honor in High School Athletics and Gymnastic Contests—the True Standard and its Attainment," "What are the Best Methods to Increase Membership," "What do Boys Like Best in Bible Classes," "Are Suppers, Socials and Receptions Worth While? If so, Why," "How can the Association be Most Helpful to Employed Boys?" "What kind of Educational Classes or Clubs do Employed Boys Need?" The evenings of the Conference will be devoted to addresses.

Illustrated Lecture.

Although it was bitter cold and a high wind prevailed Thursday night, nearly one hundred braved the elements to attend the lecture at High School hall for the benefit of the Hospital Aid association. The lecture was by Capt. Charles Fuller, whose subject was on the Panama canal and Cuba. It was an interesting talk and Capt. Fuller showed himself to be thoroughly conversant with his subject.

The lecture was illustrated by upwards of one hundred stereopticon views, which were very fine, and the description was entertaining.

The subject is one in which many are interested just at present, and he held the closest attention of his hearers.

Many tickets had been sold, whose holders were kept from attending on account of the cold weather.

☞It is not surprising that Sweden is casting about for inducements to keep her people at home. Emigration during 1903 reached the highest figures attained in any year of the previous decade, numbering nearly forty thousand persons, practically all of whom came to the United States. Certainly the little country must be feeling the withdrawal of such great numbers of people.—New Bedford Standard.

—The Hon. John D. Long was on Wednesday elected president of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence society. The Rev. Alfred Noon and Benjamin R. Jewell were reelected secretary and treasurer respectively.

WOLLASTON.

B. D. Mann & Co. have opened a grocery, meat and provision store on Farrington street, and invite the attention of all citizens. Their prices will be low and the quality of goods first class.

The Wollaston Unitarian Society will hold its annual parish meeting in the vestry of the church, Monday evening, January 30, at half-past seven o'clock. The usual six o'clock supper will be omitted this year, but a lunch will be served by the ladies later in the evening. All members of the parish or those desiring to become members, are earnestly invited to be present.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Wright Pratt of Wollaston are receiving congratulations, a little son being added to the home circle on Tuesday, January the twenty-fourth.

The Young People's Religious Union of the Wollaston Unitarian church met in the vestry Sunday evening. There were very few present, but those who were, enjoyed a very interesting, and instructive talk by Mr. C. A. Wheeler, president of the National Young People's Religious Union.

The following talent will appear at a concert at the Wollaston M. E. church next week Wednesday: Mrs. Charles Gooding, soprano; Augustus A. Beaty, basso; Miss Emily Eneeking violinist; Mrs. J. C. Wellman, reader; Miss Mabel A. Pierce violinist, and Miss Mabel Beaty, accompanist.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bartlett of Willow street, Wollaston, spent Sunday with friends in Salem.

B. D. Mann & Co. have bought out the store of George D. Tripp on Farrington street, and will conduct it as a cash market, with H. F. Bates as manager.

Mayor Newton of Everett and District Attorney Lewis will address the next meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club.

Past Grand Dictator W. J. Battison of Wollaston and suite installed the officers of Pilgrim lodge of East Weymouth Tuesday evening. The dictator is Edgar A. Willard.

Representative R. R. Freeman was Jan. 20 re-elected secretary of the Massachusetts Golf Association; also a member of the executive committee.

The House Rock poultry farm of Charles M. Bryant captured many ribbons at the Poultry show.

It is reported that the lot of land at the corner of South Central and Prospect avenues, Wollaston, containing 14,334 feet has been sold to William R. Dimock et al, who will erect attractive houses on the lot.

Several Wollaston gentlemen profiting by past experiences, spent Wednesday night in Boston hotels.

There was no meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian Alliance on Wednesday afternoon, on account of the storm.

Wollaston physicians report many cases of grip and tonsilitis.

Mrs. E. D. Webber, wife of Rev. E. D. Webber of the Baptist church, Wollaston, is convalescing from a severe attack of the grip.

Mrs. Chase, who will be remembered as the mother of Mrs. Herbert W. Lull, formerly of Wollaston, is dangerously ill at her daughter's home in Newport, R. I.

A mothers' meeting under the auspices of the Wollaston W. C. T. U. was held in the vestry of the Congregational church, Tuesday afternoon. The president of the union. Mrs. Barker, presided, and after the devotional exercises Mrs. Stevenson, state president, was introduced. Dr. Chubbuck of New Bedford was to have been the speaker, but was unable to come on account of the serious illness of a patient. Mrs. Stevenson kindly consented to take her place, giving an informal talk upon Purity. At four o'clock all girls over thirteen years of age were invited to meet Mrs. Stevenson. A goodly number responded and listened to a talk upon the same subject.

The Ladies' Musical Club will meet with Miss Hayden, Wollaston avenue, Monday evening, Jan. 30, at eight o'clock.

Our Navy.

Mr. Frederick Palmer, the war correspondent, in Collier's for January 28 insists that our American Navy was not only antiquated, but practically useless; that Congress and the Navy Department have continued to build useless war boats rather than admit their former errors—all of which has aroused the younger generation of naval officers, who are estopped from fully disclosing to the public this serious national defect. Mr. Palmer says:

"When we began our new navy we built ships to run away. We sent them abroad to startle Europe; and Europe, shrewd and polite, admired these third-class cruisers which were of absolutely no use in battle. Congressmen rounded out their speeches with periods about our strength on the sea. For Congress was, is, and has been largely the guilty one.

"At the outbreak of the Spanish War we could look back and say that we had spent our money honestly but not wisely. Our units were various. We had no homogeneous fighting squadrons. With a total of five battleships and two armored cruisers we won the war. The monitors and the ram and the dynamite cruisers proved to be as futile for offensive action in squadron as the dreams of the man who would arm excursion steamers and play streams of electricity out of the hose of the New York fireboats. During the war we had not a single battleship in the Pacific. We had to bring the Oregon around the Horn, and the Spaniards were kind enough to wait for it. Our next enemy may be less polite."

☞It is hardly surprising to note occasional evidences of longevity among people on Cape Cod. One who knows the district can find such cases every day—cases of men and women living to the great age and feeling happy and content and reasonably strong through it all. The air and the quiet and the peaceful regularity of life in a district of that kind bring the years and maintain the health and keep the mind free from the mental miasma and illnesses that afflict in the cities.—Brockton Enterprise.

—"This servant girl problem will make me old before my time!" "Bothers you, too, does it?" "Indeed it does! If I have an ugly maid my husband is away all the time, and if I have a pretty one he is at home all the time and I daren't go away; so there it is." Houston Post.

—Oscar C. Gallagher of Braintree was on Tuesday evening elected junior master of the English High school of Boston, on probation, from Feb. 1, 1905.

—No advertisement is a positive guaranty that goods will be sold. The best the ad can do is create a desire, awaken an interest. The merchant must do the rest.

—The annual report of the trustees of the Beverly Public Library shows that the circulation for the year was $8,539 books.

QUINCY POINT AND NECK.

A barrel wagon was capsized in front of the residence of James Dunn on Washington street Monday night and the driver, an East Weymouth man, had a narrow escape from injury. The only thing the wagon contained at the time was a bale of hay. The driver was somewhat benumbed by cold and drove his team from the street onto the bank in front of Mr. Dunn's residence, causing it to capsize burying the driver beneath it. Fortunately the bale of hay went out first and the wagon in overturning caught upon this, which was the only thing that prevented the driver from being crushed. The wagon was righted and one of Mr. Dunn's sons drove the man home. His name was not learned.

An unsuccessful attempt was made sometime Sunday night to enter the workshop of Thompson B. Crane on Washington street.

William Crawford, who for some time past has been chief draughtsman of the hull department, Fore River Ship Building Company, severed his connection with that company last Saturday. The draughtsmen of the department presented Mr. Crawford with a silver loving cup. The cup was presented by Mr. McConnell, assistant chief. The best wishes of Mr. Crawford's many friends will follow him into his new position.

There will be an auction sale of horses at Yule's hotel this afternoon by Stephen E. Wilson.

Mrs. Samuel Oxford of River street has gone to Waltham for a few days' visit with her daughter.

Rev. Leon H. Austin preached at the Weymouth Heights church Sunday morning in exchange with the pastor.

Miss Grace M. Lapham is visiting friends in Naples, Maine.

John Melville, the young man from Quincy Point, who left for the West, last November is at present making his headquarters at Cheyenne, Wyoming. Mr. Melville seems to enjoy life on the ranch.

Miss Theo Crane of South street has accepted a position in a Boston office.

Miss Ethel Vogler, teacher at the Washington school, is confined to her home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hersey are making their home for the winter with Mrs. E. A. Newcomb of Washington street.

The Crystal Spring Ice Company are busy housing their crop of ice. The other Quincy ice companies filled their houses last week.

There seems to be some unusual attraction at Quincy Point stores on Sundays. Crowds of men congregate at these places every Sunday and the men are not always as orderly as they should be.

C. H. Tower is convalescing from a slight attack of the grip.

A man was injured at the shipyard Monday afternoon, by falling into a hole on the Rhode Island.

William Christie, a Fore River workman, went to a party Tuesday night, and took more of the good things than his brain could stand. At 1.30 A. M. Wednesday Officer Curtain found him lying in the middle of Washington street near the Point bridge. His hat was gone, and he was partially covered by snow. He had nothing on his hands and he was nearly frozen. Officer Curtain took him to the Hose house and thawed him out, while waiting for the patrol wagon. In court he was released.

The "thimble party" at the Quincy Point church on Tuesday was largely attended and a success. The ladies sewed for the fair of the Y. M. C. A. auxiliary to be held in April. A lunch was served at noon.

Washington street is as usual, well supplied with some good-sized snowdrifts.

Frank Thayer of Cleverly court has accepted a position at the shipyard.

Officer Frank E. Burrell who has been appointed Chief of Police will be given a reception next Monday evening at the rooms of the Young Men's club at Quincy Point.

The new submarines which the government has ordered at the Fore River works in this city will be 81 and 105 feet in length and will cost $200,000 and $250,000 respectively.

The flood tide made it difficult for persons to cross the bridge over Bent's creek on Wednesday.

Fire at Braintree.

The residence of Clifton D. Harlow on Quincy avenue, East Braintree, was badly gutted by fire Tuesday morning. The fire was caused by an explosion of gasoline which Mrs. Harlow was using. The flames ignited her clothing and she was quite severely burned about the face, arms and body.

Mrs. Harlow was removed to a neighbor's and physicians summoned. Her burns, while severe, are not as serious as at first supposed.

An alarm at 9.40 from Box 23, called the fire department to the scene, but the fire had gained such headway that it was an hour before it was under control.

The burning fluid spread the fire rapidly, which was the cause of its getting such a headway before the fire department arrived.

The damage to the house and contents will be heavy, as the building was badly gutted.

Mr. Harlow is the druggist at Weymouth and South Quincy, and his wife the daughter of Joshua Wilkins.

☞One of the deplorable features in connection with the frauds perpetrated on such a gigantic scale by Mrs. Chadwick and the Humberts in France is the abuse of the good old-fashioned belief in the integrity of mankind. Without faith the wheels of progress would cease turning and the world would progress backwards. There is something pathetic in the expressions of the bankers who were duped by these noted women sharks, indicating a sublime belief in the truthfulness of the glittering promises that had been given, even though cupidity may have inspired the trust. Such abuse of faith breeds distrust of humanity, and the expression is frequently heard, "You cannot trust any one." This thought is far-reaching in its unfortunate effect. One who does not trust or believe in others may also quite naturally become unworthy of like faith. Such is the reflex action of the mind upon the individual character. It is well to have faith where one feels that the object is worthy, even though it brings sadness and shattered hope—for the sake of yourself, that you may deserve and retain the respect and affection of those who trust and believe in you.—Henry F. Harris in Madame.

☞Healthy Home says: "It has been observed that members of polar expeditions who succeed in getting home are usually in good health. This is because of the pure air, and the low temperature which prevents the thriving and propagation of dangerous microbes." New Englanders suffering from this week's blizzard doubtless appreciate the benefit of the cold weather and snow.

ATLANTIC.

Miss Doris Cummings of Clive street observed her eleventh birthday last Saturday by inviting nineteen boys and girls to share her hospitality during the afternoon. In the peanut hunt Master Willet Safford and Miss Stella Marcy were prize winners, and Miss Helen Brown and Master Eddie Shultz succeeded in pinning queues on a Chinaman's head the nearest to where nature intended them to be. Other amusing games were introduced, followed by dancing. A birthday cake held a prominent place on the refreshment table, with eleven candles blazing away their life for Miss Doris and her success and happiness. Her friends' thoughtfulness was displayed in the many pretty gifts received.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hight, nee Hall, who were recently married, are receiving their friends after February first at their home, 54 Walker street, Atlantic.

The advent of a daughter into the family of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stecher of Botolph street brought great rejoicing last week.

The Twelve Associates of Atlantic had a masquerade whist party at the home of Mrs. John Churchill of Billings street last week. All reporters excluded. Enough said.

Miss Ruth Bassett of Walker street has returned from a week's visit in Roxbury.

The private masquerade that was to be given in Music Hall, Atlantic, Wednesday evening, had to be postponed on account of the storm. It is only a pleasure deferred, however, until next week.

A great many Atlantic people who came out of Boston Wednesday evening patronized the electric cars and walked over the bridge. The cars from Neponset to Atlantic ran on fairly good time, however.

The ladies of the Atlantic M. E. church give a supper in the church parlors on the evening of January 31st.

DOWNS AND PARK.

An unfinished house at Norfolk Downs was entered by burglars sometime between Saturday night and Monday and a quantity of carpenters' tools were stolen.

Among the specialty clubs that held meetings at the Poultry show was the Rhode Island Red Club, which elected Charles M. Bryant, ex-mayor of Quincy, as president. Mr. Bryant is a well known sportsman and a great admirer of the Rhode Island reds. He was formerly a member of the Hingham and Country Club polo teams and when he was in the game he had some of the finest ponies that ever looked through a bridle.—Herald.

Christ Church Annual.

The annual meeting of Christ church parish was held Thursday evening. Although the weather was somewhat disagreeable fully one hundred were present. The meeting was held in the parish house at 8 o'clock after a turkey supper served by the Womans guild at 6.30.

The rector W. E. Gardner reported that the total number of persons baptized in the parish was 830, and the total number of confirmed persons was 371.

The treasurer's report showed that the total receipts and disbursements during the year had been $4,610.97. The total amount expended for charitable and missionary purposes was $263.77, and that the total invested endowment fund amounted to $6,548.66.

A vote of thanks was given to J. E. Sprague, the retiring treasurer. Also to the Woman's, and St. Margaret's Guilds for the valuable services toward extinguishing the debt of the parish.

The following officers were elected, Elisha Packard retiring as a vestryman, after a service of 39 years, and Frank F. Crane, after a service of about 26 years.

Warden for 2 years,—George H. Brown.
Clerk,—James Smith, Jr.
Treasurer, Elmer E. Ricker.
Vestrymen for two years,—E. E. Newcomb, Dr. A. B. Packard, Hazen E. Ricker, Alex C. Smith and Charles H. Wilson.
Delegates to Diocesan Convention,—George H. Brown, Elisha Packard and William L. Thomas.
Delegates to Arch deacony,—George H. Brown, W. H. Deacon and Elisha Packard.

Government Place.

One of the office men at the Fore River plant has a good appointment, according to a Washington dispatch to the Manchester (N. H.) Union, which reads: Edward I. Littlefield of Manchester and New Boston has been named by Senator Burnham as assistant clerk of the committee on Cuban relations, of which he is the chairman. This was an additional appointment that came to him through his elevation to the chairmanship of this committee. Mr. Littlefield is the son of William Littlefield, who for forty-nine years has been an engineer on the Boston and Maine railroad, and who ran for many years on the Portsmouth road, but is at present engineer on the New Boston branch, from Parker station. Mr. Littlefield entered upon his duties today, which carries with it a salary of $1200 per year. He is a stenographer and for some time past has been employed as a clerk in the office of the Fore River Ship Building company of Quincy, Mass.

☞Candidate Bryan has called upon the President, and received a cordial welcome. The two men discussed several matters, and they agreed on some things. "I think the President is unmistakably right," said Bryan. "in his demands as to railroad legislation, and I told him so. I also think that Mr. Garfield of the Bureau of Corporations is right in recommending that corporations be required to take out federal licenses. I likewise believe in an income tax and hope to see it brought about." How this agreement with the President will strike some of Bryan's radical friends remains to be seen, but the Nebraskan himself is not worrying about it. Neither is the President.—Lynn Item.

☞I hope the workingmen will get eight hours a day, not by law, but by gradual growth of public sentiment that eight hours' steady application to one kind of work is enough. But, as to work itself, that should be limited only by the number of hours one is not asleep, and brief intervals for recreation. The healthiest recreation is some kind of work. It is only the idler who gets into mischief.—Rockland Independent.

Rev. Edwin N. Hardy, of Bethany church was moderator at the council meeting at Brockton, on Tuesday evening, when a farewell was tendered to Rev. Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Archibald of the Porter Congregational church.

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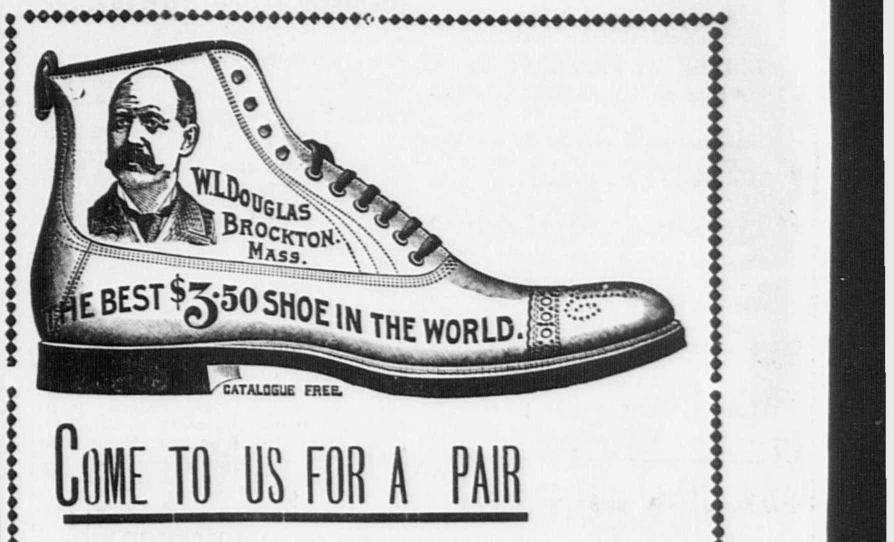
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League Bowling.

Of all the different bowling leagues in and around Boston, the fight for honors in the Old Colony league have been the closest and most interesting. Up to Thursday's games the Quincys were one game ahead and by taking all three from Weymouth, increased the lead to three games. There are still 33 more games to roll and any of the first five teams are liable to take first honors. Quincy fans feel quite confident that they have the fastest team on the circuit.

The standing:

	Won	Lost	Average
Quincy	25	17	.600
South Braintree	22	20	.520
East Weymouth	22	20	.520
Holbrook	21	21	.500
Weymouth	21	21	.500
Quincy Point	15	27	.360

AT QUINCY.

The Quincy team was at its best Thursday evening, and bowled 437 or better in every string, and had as a grand total 1334. The Weymouths were a worthy rival, however, and strove for every point possible. The Quincys won the first game by 24 pins, the second by only 2, and the third by 15.

Glover of Weymouth with 106 had the best single, but Jenkins of Quincy bowled 105, Burrell of Weymouth 102 and Welch of Quincy an even 100. Jenkins and Grant of the Quincys had the best three string total.

The summary:

QUINCYS.

	1	2	3	Totals
Jenkins,	91	87	105	283
Ferris,	86	90	75	251
Welch,	79	77	100	256
Grant,	94	93	96	283
Westland,	90	90	81	261
Totals,	440	437	457	1334

WEYMOUTHS.

	1	2	3	Totals
Turner,	85	88	86	259
Glover,	63	77	106	246
Pelleran,	91	96	70	257
Burrell,	102	78	90	270
Connell,	75	96	90	251
Totals,	416	435	442	1293

AT QUINCY POINT.

The Quincy Point team was unlucky Thursday evening; in grand total it led East Weymouth by 18 pins, but it lost the first game by 11 pins and the last game which was a rubber by 23 pins. All the team were weak in the second game, 76 being the best string, while the Weymouths were at their best.

The summary:

EAST WEYMOUTHS.

	1	2	3	Totals
Murphy,	74	75	76	225
O'Connor,	79	74	86	239
Loring,	92	71	88	251
Farrell,	81	66	89	236
Smith,	94	76	89	259
Totals,	420	362	428	1210

QUINCY POINTS.

	1	2	3	Totals
Porter,	88	87	73	248
Murphy,	79	85	80	244
Dunn,	78	84	103	265
Hynes,	78	81	71	230
Lyons,	86	77	78	241
Totals,	4 9	414	405	1228

☞Can you guess who wrote these following words: "The principles of Jefferson are the definitions and axioms of free society. And yet they are denied and evaded with no small show of success. One dashingly calls them 'glittering generalities.' Another bluntly calls them 'self-evident lies.' And others insidiously argue that they apply to 'superior races.' These expressions . . . would delight a convocation of crowned heads plotting against the people. They are the vanguard, the miners and sappers of returning despotism. We must repulse them, or they will subjugate us." The author of these sentences was the sixteenth president of the United States. And there is no politician of any party who dares refuse at least the forms of homage to him and his wisdom.—Saturday Evening Post.

☞Hon. John D. Long continues to bother some of the party leaders. His is apparently still a name to conjure within certain directions. Of course it is not his fault that the leaders are thus irritated. He commits no overt acts, delivers no stirring addresses with hidden meanings—he simply lives right on and people talk about him. He is very much in the public eye. His service has been long and distinguished. He has served his commonwealth at home, and reflected credit on her in his service to the nation. He is entitled to a rest. The trouble is, however, that John D. Long isn't tired enough to rest—at least his friends say this—and he isn't old enough to spend his time in the narration of things past. He occupies a peculiar position as far as the affections of the people generally are concerned, and in his cozy way stands pat in this connection.—Practical Politics.

MILTON.

There was no school Wednesday or Thursday on account of the storm.

The Alpha club gave the comedy "The Scarlet Bonnet" at the East Milton Congregational church this week. Home made candy was on sale.

The meeting of the whist club, to have been held this week Wednesday evening, was postponed on account of the storm.

A smoke talk was held at the rooms of the Thursday Evening club this week.

William A. Cross is at a Boston Hospital, where he went to undergo an operation on his knee.

Seamen's Friend Society.

Mrs. Hannah S. L. Ela, president of the Woman's Seaman's Friend Society writes:

"The time is come after ten years of organized endeavor to call upon the women of New England to ally themselves for more aggressive work with the Woman's Seaman's Friend Society of Boston. Plans are under way to arouse interest in the sailors' cause, and representatives of the Society will be sent out to crystalize that interest by forming auxiliaries in the numerous parishes of New England.

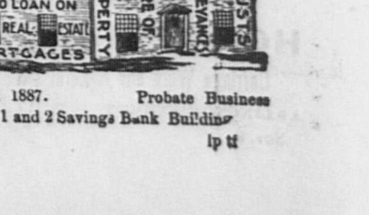
"Ten years ago a few women awoke to the surpassing needs of sailors—needs that women could supply in the way of physical, spiritual and social benefits and which could be given through organized endeavor. From a small beginning the society has grown until it numbers about seven hundred members, who sustain the work through the payment of annual dues. The money contributed from this and other sources goes to provide for the comfort of the sailor by giving him clothing, comfort-bags, literature, entertainments at the Seaman's Chapel, the Naval and Marine hospitals, on board the ships stationed at Charlestown Navy Yard, also, in urgent cases, sending the sick to their homes.

"To those who live at too great a distance to attend meetings, other ways of promoting an active interest are suggested. Let clubs of women be formed for knitting helmets and mufflers and making comfort-bags. Directions for making these articles may be obtained by addressing the president at 13 Ash street, Cambridge, Mass. Let the club also send the name and address of some woman who will serve as outlook committee for her church or neighborhood. Have sailor-parties, etc."

The Patriot will add a paragraph from Sea Breeze for January:

"The severities of winter are often keenly felt by the people who have at hand the shelter of a home, who have an unbroken night's rest who enjoy all the comforts of modern life. But the extremest hardships of the shore life are a very meager suggestion of what the rigors of winter mean to seafaring men. Winter is a season of gales, and a midwinter gale at sea is a terror. Most landsmen can have some shelter from the storm. The railroad man has his cab and caboose; on electric roads the conductor and the motorman have their vestibules. But you can't throw a vestibule around the sailor. In his desperate struggle with the sails aloft, reefing or furling when biting frost and driving sleet nearly paralyze all endeavor he has no shelter. By night and day, on the lookout forward or aloft on the bridge, he has to face the cutting blast by the hour."

☞There were 4862 applicants for positions under the Panama canal commission who have just taken the civil service examination, including among the number 1191 clerks, 266 bookkeepers, 1061 timekeepers, 173 surgeons, 285 doctors and 1044 civil engineers. Is it possible that there are in idleness, seeking employment, such numbers of men qualified for the positions for which they applied, or was it simply that there was a chance to get on the government payroll for which they were willing to throw up jobs in private employ? Certainly there isn't much attraction in the Panama prospects. Society down there cannot be over-attractive, sanitary conditions are not of the best and there is no indication that the rate of pay is going to be extravagant. But the average man is born with a longing to get a job under the government, or if he doesn't have that longing as a birthright, he soon gets it into his noddle with the idea that a government job is a snap.—Haverhill Gazette.



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SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 1905.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.	Sun Rises	Set	Full Sea. Morn	Eve	Moon rises.
Saturday, Jan 28,	7.02	4 53	4 45	5.15	12.35 A.M
Sunday, " 29,	7.01	4.54	5 45	6.30	1.42 "
Monday, " 30,	7.00	4.55	7 00	7 30	2 45 "
Tuesday, " 31,	6 59	4.57	8 00	8 30	3.45 "
Wednesday, Feb. 1,	6.58	4 58	9 00	9 30	4 40 "
Thursday, " 2,	6 57	4.59	9.45	10.30	5.29 "
Friday, " 3,	6.56	5 00	10.30	11.15	6 13 "

New Moon, Feb. 4, 6.06 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of month for three years:

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1904.	In 1903.	In 1902.
Sunday,	37	20	35	40	44
Monday,	21	32	35	39	52
Tuesday,	24	37	41	18	28
Wednesday,	20	41	25	18	34
Thursday,	17	47	29	28	33
Friday,	30	44	31	38	25
Saturday.	—	36	26	46	41

Notes and Comments.

The Committee on Public Buildings of the City Council met Tuesday evening. But three of the five members of the committee were present and no definite action was taken. Those present, however, discussed the High school question and expressed their opinions on the subject.

It seems impossible that the granite cutters should refuse so eminently fair a proposition as to leave to arbitration the new agreement. Arbitration was the thing that the Fall River operatives pleaded for so long and what Gov. Douglas tried to get for them without success. When the nations of the earth have resorted to it to settle their differences is it possible that our granite cutters wish to go on record that they refuse to be fair, and prefer to fight rather than leave their differences to honest disinterested arbitrators?

Early last winter, even before the new year came in, the City Council was asked to appropriate money for the purchase of a year's supply of water pipe. Although the order passed, those who opposed it have the satisfaction of knowing that it was not necessary to rush matters this year. Last year the appropriations for water construction were $25,000 and receipts, and seemed to meet all demands; this year $30,000 and receipts are asked. If Quincy intends to reduce its water debt and interest it should appropriate the smaller sum.

The proposed act for the incorporation of the "City of Hyde Park" is largely on the lines of the unique Quincy charter,—a complete separation of the executive and legislative departments. There will also be but a single body, but Hyde Park wants high sounding titles so it will be a board of aldermen instead of a City Council as in Quincy. One improvement is the election of more aldermen at large; in a board of fifteen one will be elected from each of the seven wards and eight at large.

The Mayor will not have the sole power of appointment of officials, confirmation being required, and he cannot remove without a hearing. Should Hyde Park become a city it would rob Quincy of the title of "Only City in Norfolk County."

Not since Quincy became a city has a valuation book been published. The last one, we believe, was in 1875, thirty years ago. Great changes have taken place in taxable property of Quincy during this period. The proposition to make the valuation figures a part of the City Book for 1904 is hardly practical for several reasons. In 1875 a separate valuation book was published and made a volume of 234 pages. Then there were but 1,615 dwellings in the town. Today there are over 5000, and the number of property taxpayers in the city last May was 6,230. If the valuations are included in the City Book, the annual reports of 1904 will not become public for several months. The publication of a valuation book is a good thing but should be independent of the City Book.

The Assessors figures of 1875 and 1904 are compared below:

	1875	1904
Real estate,	$5,577,550	$20,168,875
Personal property,	$1,736,475	$3,863,495
Total valuation,	$7,314,025	$24,032,370
Polls,	2,369	8,305
Houses,	1,615	5,028
Horses,	703	1,316
Cows,	518	583
Acres of Land Taxed,	8,736	6,733
Total tax,	$114,448	$445,894

More Battleships.

Secretary Morton told the House naval committee Thursday, says a special to the Herald, that the nation's interests require authorization of at least three battleships by Congress. The full needs of the service, he stated, were recommended by the general board of the navy to consist of three battleships of the largest and most modern type, five scout cruisers, six torpedo boats and six torpedo boat destroyers, two squadron colliers, two river gunboats, a gunboat of the Helena class and a steam launch.

This authorization would cost $42,000,000 before completion. As an irreduceable minimum of authorization, below which it would be unwise to drop, Mr. Morton named three battleships. They would cost about $22,000,000, but of this amount only $850,000 would have to be expended before July 1, 1906. Mr. Morton made this fact plain in view of economy being a pressing necessity this year on account of the prospective treasury deficit.

School Attendance.

The average daily attendance at the public schools for the month ending Jan. 6 was unusually low, less than 91 per cent. At the Willard and High it was above 94 per cent. Evidently there was considerable sickness in the city.

	Whole No. at Date.	Av. Daily Attendance.	Per cent. of Daily Attendance.	Tardinesses.	Dismissal.	Truancy.
High	616	578.3	94.0	85	19	2
Adams	477	418.0	87.4	77	28	—
Coddington	461	384.2	83.2	11	16	—
Cranch	323	293.4	91.1	38	15	—
Gridley Bryant	313	285.0	90.8	10	18	—
John Hancock	352	325 0	92.6	7	5	2
Lincoln	449	412.3	92.1	52	11	—
Mass. Fields	392	358.1	92.3	30	45	—
Quincy	475	414.4	87.2	31	15	1
Washington	439	398.6	90 1	46	23	—
Willard	848	812.0	94.1	29	4	—
Wollaston	357	329 9	89.5	35	53	0
	5,510	5,009.2	90.6	451	255	5

—Senator Alger introduced a bill into Congress on Wednesday appropriating $5000 for the erection of a monument to the memory of Capt. C. V. Gridley, who commanded Admiral Dewey's flagship Olympia at the battle of Manilla bay.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, Jan. 25, 1905.

One of the staunch republicans of Boston, much interested in politics, came out of the hearing, Tuesday forenoon on the repeal of the duty on hides saying that it was for the legislature to say whether this thing should go on and Massachusetts continue to go democratic. This was just after Joseph H. Walker, of Worcester had spoken against any change in the tariff on hides, because it would endanger the entire tariff system. It begins to look as if this forecast would be correct. Business men came up strongly protesting against the duty on hides, such strenuous republicans as ex-Mayor Pickard of Newton, speaking as a republican, saying that the duty ought to be removed, because it raised the price of every pair of shoes from six to ten cents, and because it neither gave the government any revenue of importance nor any protection to the raiser of cattle. Some Brockton manufacturers and others followed in the strongest sort of argument against the tariff, saying that they were perfectly willing to have their protection on boots and shoes removed, if they could only get their raw materials free. Col. Albert Clarke of the Home Market club was present, but he did not get his turn. The hearing will be continued Thursday, and the subject of free coal and other free raw materials will be taken up. It is evident that some of the committee are stoutly opposed to any change in the tariff, while others are equally positive on the other side. It looks very much as if the issue would narrow down to the question whether the party managers of the republicans would say that the tariff must not be touched, and run their risk of having the state go democratic, or would save the state to the republican party by putting in the entering wedge for a general tariff revision.

It will be noticed that the mass of petitions for new legislation did not contain anything about the proposed new state seal which Edwin D. Mead has suggested, to contain a picture of the Mayflower under full sail, with a lighted candle and, for a motto, the first words of the immortal covenant which the Pilgrims signed on the Mayflower before landing: "In the name of God, amen." Some of his critics have feared that he wished to push the matter, and try to get legislation this session. This is not at all true. First of all, he and the growing number of those who believe that he has the right side of the argument, want to educate the public conscience and the public taste, as well as the historic sense of the people. It is a very strong case for conscience, for the ideals of Massachusetts, and for patriotism which is made out against the warlike Latin motto, and the Indian and the substitution of the memorable figure of the Mayflower, with a state motto which suggests the best and grandest in the history of Massachusetts. There is no hurry; time enough is coming; patriotism and truth and artistic taste can all have their perfect work, and when that work is done, the friends of this movement believe that the Indian, the up-lifted sword, and the warlike Latin motto will not be on our state seal. Some of the prominent people of this part of the state have taken up the matter earnestly, because it may mean much for the moral character of the state to have a state symbol which is of the right sort, and they will press their truth upon the people.

When the gates closed against new business at 5 o'clock, Saturday afternoon, there had been 768 house matters presented and 188 senate matters against 923 and 219 respectively last year. But doubtless, there will be more suspensions of the rules later, so the business will be more nearly equal. Cities and towns are expected to bring in more business, and to ask for the suspension of the rules.

The Massachusetts state board of trade has had taken from the files of last year, and referred to the committee on constitutional amendments, the petition for biennial elections of state officers, and members of the legislature. This was presented last year, and had such utter lack of support on the part of the public that the petitioners asked that it be referred to this legislature, and no contest, whatever was made then. Now the matter has been taken from the files and referred. Under the circumstances, it is not easy to see how it can have much support.

In spite of the fact that the state tax is higher than ever, and is not likely to go down again to its former proportions, because the state has assumed charge of the support of the insane poor, yet there are signs that efforts to increase salaries will be as strong as ever. This is indicated in the judicial department, where there was a special revision last year, for the very purpose of putting an end to the frequent petitions and to establish some sort of equality. The legislature then did all it could to classify the judges, associaties and clerks and various assistants in the municipal, district and police courts in all parts of the state, and it was supposed that that would be the end of agitation for a time. But the situation is just as unsatisfactory as ever. The men who are classified one way, but come pretty near the top of their class believe that they ought to go higher, and the consequence is that the statistics to prove that more salary should be paid, based upon the most favored persons in the next higher class, have appeared, and it looks as if the old contest would have to be fought over again in another. The state has simply changed the place but kept the pain.

Representative Schofield of Ipswich hopes to secure the passage at this session of a bill which will give to each of the veterans of the civil war who did not get bounties the $125 which he tried to give them last year, but was prevented by the decision of the supreme court that the law was unconstitutional.

Yesterday afternoon the chairmen of committees held a meeting with Speaker Frothingham and as they came out, an old time member, who had been through the experience several times before, said that they had been having the usual exhortation to good deeds and that it would probably be followed by the usual consequences. But, since the amount of new business is some 200 matters less than last year, it is possible that they will improve the record. Rule.

Want Increased Pay.

The stationary, portable and hoisting engineers of the city have asked for an increase in pay, to take effect April 1.

The stationary and portable engineers ask for an increase from $15 to $16 per week, and the hoisting engineers from 25 cents to 30 cents per hour. The engineers also ask for time and a half for overtime work, and double pay on Sundays and holidays.

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Blizzard.

The storm of Wednesday was one of the worst that Quincy has experienced for years, perhaps since 1898. The first indications of the blizzard made their appearance Tuesday evening. It began to snow about 6 o'clock, the snow being accompanied by a high wind. As night drew on, the wind increased in violence, and the snow in volume.

Before morning it had developed into a howling northeast blizzard. In addition to this the weather was bitter cold, and it was a tough day for those whose business called them out.

Train service had become uncertain. All of the trains both outward and inward were late, and as the day advanced there was no improvement. On the contrary it became worse. Late afternoon trains were anywhere from half an hour to two hours late. The train that left Boston at 2.30 arrived in Quincy at 3.45 and thus it was all the evening. Wise people remained in town all night. The inward trains were just as bad.

Street car service was about as bad. The Wollaston, Weymouth Landing, Houghs Neck and Brockton lines were abandoned early in the day. Cars on the West Quincy and Quincy Point lines were run all day and considering the elements they kept fairly good time. On the Hancock street-Neponset line cars were run at infrequent intervals.

The company had every man at work and all of its big ploughs were kept constantly on the move. In exposed places, however, the snow accumulated in drifts as fast as it was ploughed out. The ploughs were kept at work all night with the result that this morning all the lines save the Houghs Neck were open.

The storekeepers had but little to do and early Wednesday afternoon clerks were sent home and all the stores were closed at 6 o'clock. People had a hard time getting home, especially those who had to face the wind.

The high wind was probably responsible for the tidal wave that prevailed Wednesday. Canal street near the corner of Newcomb street was overflowed to a depth of two feet, making passage next to impossible.

At Quincy Point it was just as bad and the Weymouth side of the bridge was overflowed to a depth of two feet. Thursday's tide was about as high and both of these points were overflowed again.

Houghs Neck was completely cut off from Quincy by several big drifts that completely blocked the street, making passage simply impossible.

Letter carrier Dunham came through Wednesday morning with the mail but experienced considerable difficulty in getting back. He made an unsuccessful attempt to get to Quincy in the afternoon, but was obliged to give it up.

The high tide did considerable damage along the water front. A number of boats were washed ashore and left high and dry in the street.

The water also came up over the Steamboat wharf and did considerable damage. The gate fence at the end of the wharf was carried away and the freight house was also damaged.

The storm of Wednesday was probably the severest since the memorable storm of Nov. 28, 1898. This was the severest snow storm that has visited this coast for years.

It raged Saturday night and all day Sunday. The steamer Portland was lost during this storm. The steamship, John J. Hill, came ashore near the Sailors' Home and a schooner was driven way up into Sea street near Post Island.

Trains were stalled on the railroad, the falling poles and wires adding greatly to the damage and preventing the running of trains.

Quincy had colder days last year on Jan. 2, 4 and 5, when the noon temperature was 4, 8 and 11 above. On Jan. 10, 1904 and also in 1903, the noon temperature was 10 above. The coldest day since 1896 was Dec. 9, 1902 when the noon temperature was but 2 above.

For Free Hides.

A Quincy man took a prominent part on Thursday at the State House according to the Record, when the Committee on Federal Relations of the legislature gave a continued hearing on that portion of Gov. Douglas' inaugural address relating to the repeal of the duty on hides and coal.

In the absence of ex-Congressman Walker of Worcester, who was expected to resume his argument against the removal of the duty on hides, A. F. Schenkelberger of Quincy and Boston addressed the committee at some length in reply to the position taken and the allegations made by Mr. Walker.

"I should like to correct several misstatements made by Mr. Walker on Tuesday," he said. "Mr. Walker made the statement that the United Shoe Machinery Trust was more burdensome to the shoe industry than the tax on hides. He intimated that Gov. Douglas did not include this trust among the oppressors of the shoe manufacturers because he was perhaps a stockholder in it. The statement was entirely uncalled for. I am informed that the Governor does not own a dollar's worth of stock in that company.

"Mr. Walker told you that it was secession for Massachusetts to say to congress that we want free hides. You heard him say that a western man told him congress or the managers of the bill that unless the hide duty remained in the bill no protection would be passed. And so, too, the Pennsylvania coal and iron interests were not slow to say what they wanted, and, furthermore, to see that they got it; and so, too, all the other special beneficiaries of the tariff; but it is secession for meek little Massachusetts to say that she wants free raw materials for the greatest industry in the commonwealth.

"I want to point out that when the Dingley bill was passed, with calf skins on the free list, Congressman Walker was a large stockholder in Walker, Oakley & Co., tanners of calf skins. I should like to ask him if he was at that time interested as an American citizen, a citizen of Massachusetts, a citizen of Worcester, or as plain Joseph Walker?"

Real Estate Sales.

The following sales of real estate are reported through the agency of Herbert T. Whitman.

Lot of 12,500 feet of land on Presidents avenue to Emma A. Pratt, who it is understood will erect two houses on the property.

Lot of 72,000 feet of land on Brooks avenue to Andrew M. Dean.

A house and stable at Post Island, belonging to Sarah B. Goldsmith, to Councilman H. Everett Crane.

This agency has also rented a house at Post Island for the summer season to H. D. McIntosh of Boston.

—An airship tournament will be an attraction at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. Large prizes will be awarded to the successful contestants.

Dramatic Entertainment.

Seats were in demand on Jan. 20, at First church chapel for the fourth entertainment in the Social club course. The Criterion club of Boston had been secured and they gave a most finished performance of C. Haddon Chambers' four act comedy "The Tyranny of Tears." The stage settings were beautiful and complete in every detail, the scenes being laid in the study of a London suburban house.

Walter H. Dugan, stage manager, took the leading part of Mr. Parbury, a literary man with an over attentive wife, who wanted her own way and unless she had it resorted to tears until he became almost a slave to her wishes. The part was capitally done, as was also that of the wife by Mrs. Frederick H. Briggs.

Miss Ethel Bourne as Miss Hyacinth Woodward, the private secretary, and Robert S. Wayland as George Gunning, a friend of Parbury's, were both particularly good in their parts, as were also William L. Baker as Col. Armitage. Mrs. Parbury's father; Samuel Oliver as Evars, Parbury's butler, and Miss Frances W. Sprague as Caroline, the maid.

Mrs. Parbury's jealousy of her husband's friends; her unwillingness for him to leave her, if only for a few hours at a time, and finally jealousy of the private secretary, led to ludicrous situations, which made up a most interesting play. The artists were frequently and heartily encored.

Dramatic Recital.

An interesting dramatic recital of Macbeth was given by Prof. Fredric M. Blanchard of Chicago University, at the Quincy Mansion school, Jan. 20. Prof. Blanchard first gave a short introduction to the play, cautioning the audience to remember that Macbeth and Lady Macbeth were not demons, but human beings, subject to the same temptations to which all mankind are subject, and that they suffered great remorse and repentance for their wickedness.

Prof. Blanchard went through the principal parts of the play, omitting the unimportant, and impersonating each role. As Macbeth, Lady Macbeth, Macduff, and the witches, he held the attention of the audience closely, and relaxed the strain on their minds with his exceedingly humorous conception of the part of the drunken porter.

Prof. Blanchard ended the recital with the exciting dialogue between Macduff and Macbeth and the encounter resulting in the tyrant's death.

The City Council.

An important meeting of City Council Committee on Streets was held Monday evening. The meeting was held to consider the order introduced into the Council of 1904 to take land for slopes near the new Atlantic bridge, on Hancock, Sagamore, Old Colony and Madison streets.

Besides the Committee, Mayor Thompson, Commissioner Knowlton, City Solicitor Blackmur, City Engineer Flood and ex-Councilman John Q. A. Field were present.

From what was brought out it would appear that what caused the present delay was the desire of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. to have the city take land for slopes on the east side in the interest of economy for the railroad.

It also appeared that the original plans and specifications called for retaing walls on the east side, but the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. found that the owners of the property put a high value upon their land and, in the interest of economy, the company desire that the city take the land for slopes.

There was some question before the committee whether it was for the best interest of the city to hold the railroad to the original plans and specifications, which were for retaining walls, or to take the land for slopes.

It seems more desirable, however, that there should be both a slope and retaining wall on the east side and the plan as outlined by the committee are that the city should take land from the Hodges estate for slopes, and that there should be a retaining wall near the bridge.

Mayor Thompson, who has looked into the matter thoroughly, says that the city is fully protected in the matter.

Pastor Called.

News from Hopedale reports that the Memorial church of that town at a parish meeting on Monday evening voted to extend a call to Rev. Frank W. Pratt of Wollaston to be pastor of Hopedale Memorial church succeeding Rev. L. G. Wilson, who resigned. E. S. Stimpson, chairman of the parish committee, presided. Rev. Mr. Pratt was not a candidate for the pastorate, and his attitude in reference to the call is not known.

Rev. Frank W. Pratt has been for several years the popular pastor of the Wollaston Unitarian church. He was the founder of the Wollaston Unitarian club and has been prominent in Wollaston affairs. He is also vice chairman of the board of directors of the Woodward Institute and greatly interested in the school.

☞People dread the coming of snow yet it has often been observed that a winter during which the ground is covered with snow from December first to March first, is more healthful and accompanied by fewer epidemics and cases of severe sickness, than the so-called open winter. This fact is brought out in the old saying. "A green Christmas makes a fat churchyard"—or graveyard.

There are two reasons why there is a scientific foundation for this idea that snow is healthful. The first is because it seals up the dust. It is exceedingly unhealthful to have the top of the ground dry and blowing around in the form of dust carrying every germ of disease and filth into the most immaculate homes. The snow seals up this dust, sticks it down, and cleanses the air. Everyone understands how wonderfully pure the air seems after a heavy snow storm. It is magnificently cleansed, and even in a smoky city the inhabitants are treated to free inhalations of fresh mountain air. The other reason is because when the temperature is low and the ground bare of snow, the air becomes very dry. This is not healthful. It affects the tissues unfavorably.—Healthy Home.

☞I think our generation is growing forest sick, just as our western folk get New England sick—to see once more the brooks and rocks and the hills. City people are coming out into the country with a craving. They call it land love and tree love, but it is something more than that and something deeper. There is in our blood a longing to do as our grandfathers did—once more to go beechnutting and to hear the butternuts drop on the roof and go bounding down the shingles, to jump into a clove-pink bed.—E. P. Powell in New York Independent.

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Mock Court Trial.

The jury were prompt in arriving at a verdict in the breach of promise case tried before Judge Bumpus at Music hall Tuesday evening, but those who were anxiously awaiting it cannot tell for the life of them what it was. It became evident that the jury was packed, and so was the hall. It was one of the largest audiences ever assembled in Quincy, and they paid good prices for their seats, so that it netted the Young Men's Christian Association a handsome sum.

There was life and wit at the trial from first to last and it was as great a success as an entertainment as it was financially.

The scene on the stage was a good representation of a court room, with the judge on an exalted bench, and regular officers at their stations, the jury and principals were prominent, and the lawyers and witnesses eager for the fray.

The make up of the court was as follows:

Judge, Hon. Everett C. Bumpus.
Clerk, Lawyer George H. Brown.
Plaintiff, Mrs. Wilson Marsh.
Defendant, Mr. Emery L. Crane.
Defendant's attorney, C. B. Perry, Esq., of Worcester, Mass.
Prosecuting attorney, Col. A. B. Newton of Worcester, Mass.
Court officer, W. M. Marden of the District court.
Crier, Lawyer Walter S. Pinkham.
Witnesses for plaintiff, Mrs. A. I. Davis and Mr. Walter E. Simmons.
Witnesses for defence, Dr. N. S. Hunting, Miss Hattie E. Sargent and Mr. T. B. Pollard.
Jurors, T. King, Dr. H. M. Willard, William E. Badger, Eugene H. Sprague, Edward E. Jameson, Clarence Burgin, Eben W. Sheppard, James Thompson, Richard D. Chase, John Shaw, N. G. Nickerson and Joseph C. Morse.

The all important case of Jerusha R. Perkins vs. Emery L. Crane was not the first one in order.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. Harry Tirrell, for over-exertion, the defendant plead guilty, and in view of it being his first offence he was fined only $50.

In the case of the Commonwealth vs. Arthur W. Stetson charged with eating all the oysters in a lodge stew, the complaint was "squashed" as no one ever heard of there being more than one oyster in a Quincy stew.

The case of Henry H. Faxon for selling one gallon of whiskey at Faxon hall to a well known citizen, placed on file as there was some doubt how far one gallon would go with the purchaser.

The case of the Commonwealth vs Galen V. Bowditch for uttering false note was continued; it was not a promissory note but a musical note.

Next in order was the great breach of promise case which attracted the crowd Jerusha R. Perkins vs. Emery L. Crane. A jury was impanelled and some of the most prominent citizens of Quincy responded to such names as Grover Cleveland, David Hill, Chauncey Depew, John L. Bates, William L. Douglas, etc.

The counsel were allowed to question the jurymen individually as to what they knew, etc.

The counsel for the plaintiff then addressed the jury and outlined what it was intended to prove; that the plaintiff had by trifling with the affections of the widow caused the light hearted woman of a year ago to become the wreck of today; that her weight had been reduced from 385 pounds. He asked damages of $3.98, being a markdown from $4.

Mrs. Perkins, the plaintiff was the first witness. She described the romantic circumstances of the first meeting with the defendant on Lover's lane (Goffe street) a year ago, and attentions she thought he paid her for several months, and the climax in August when she thought he proposed. Letters and poems from the defendant to Jerusha R. Perkins were introduced and read.

The plaintiff was a capital witness, and made a great impression on the jury. She was dressed in the height of fashion and wore a becoming bonnet; in fact was far from being a wreck.

Walter E. Simmons was the first witness for the plaintiff. He testified that he boarded with the plaintiff at Perkins Paradise. That she made love to him. That he saw defendant and plaintiff embracing and osculating.

Anna Isabelle Davis was the next witness. She was not yet married. Defendant had made love to her and giving her an engagement ring he said was worth $3,000, but when she found it was worth only 25 cents the engagement was broken. He was a wicked man; a gay deceiver. Testified to the occurrences on date of engagement of defendant and plaintiff.

The plaintiff rested, and the lawyer for the defence addressed the jury.

Defendant then testified in his own behalf. Admitted facts on date of first meeting, but characterized the rest of the story as false. He wrote letters, but not poems. The poem in question was written by Solon Doggett. Letters and poems were intended for the niece. He staggered his lawyer, when he admitted that he "sat up" with the plaintiff. Later in explanation he said he did it so as to tire her out so that she would go to bed early the next night that he might sit up with the niece. [Applause.]

Jerusha R. Perkins, the niece, next testified for the defence. The R. in her name stood for Ray. Had lived in house of plaintiff. She was queer; read Browning all day; was silly in company of men; defendant was the "most perfectly lovely" man she ever met; letters he sent were intended for me; agreed to plan of sitting up with the plaintiff.

N. S. Hunting, M. D., testified that plaintiff was a monomaniac—clean off on one thing but all right on others—like H. H. Faxon and G. V. Bowditch. Plaintiff made love to witness but he staved her off. She had consulted witness professionally, and he found her a monomaniac on love. At a consultation Dr. Jones, however, claimed it to be a matter of the heart. He was sharply cross-questioned.

Thomas "Bill" Pollard came to the rescue of the defendant. He testified to attending a great moral show with leading citizens, and to meeting defendant on way home on the memorable August day when engagement is said to have taken place. Defendant was agitated and I heard him say—"It is all a mistake; I did not propose; I don't love the widow but the niece; etc."

Arguments followed and were a feature of the trial. The counsel for the defendant said case hinged on four points: Did defendant make proposal; did plaintiff accept; was plaintiff willing to carry out the agreement; was defendant willing; and finally the question of damages. His client would be as capable of paying $50,000 as $3.98. Lawyer analyzed the evidence.

The plaintiff's lawyer began by excessive compliments for the jury. He praised the witnesses for the plaintiff and belittled those for the defence. He argued there was a sentiment of love in the case, and that the defendant did make a proposal of marriage to the plaintiff. In closing he threatened the jury if it did not find for his fair client.

Judge Bumpus entered heartily into the spirit of the trial, and attempted to maintain the dignity of the court. He frequently called the counsel to order and ruled impartially on fine points of law. His charge to the jury was a hit of the evening. He said the case must be decided on local conditions. He queried—"What is the ideal of a Quincy man?"

He wanted the jury to understand that the plaintiff was not old, as that would be a reflection on the court. He queried what benefit it could possibly be for the plaintiff to get married to this defendant. How can the plaintiff claim damages?

The jury rendered a verdict without retiring. Theophilus King was the foreman. He intimated that everything would be satisfactory if the jury got the $2000 which the defendant tried to get. That reice would probably hand it over to him upon marriage.

The court adjourned in due form with all the solemnities at 10.30. All those who took part are to be complimented for the spirit which they put into it. The audience was an enthusiastic one and contributed in this way to the success. The local hits were numerous and greatly enjoyed.

A pleasant feature and a surprise in that it was not previously advertised was the Colonial orchestra which furnished a delightful musical program while the audience were gathering, and again after the adjournment of the court. This orchestra is composed entirely of young players all of Quincy who are showing marked ability as musicians and a spirit of helpfulness toward the association. They will be heard again at association events and always with pleasure we are sure.

Nothing takes much better than a breach of promise mock trial.

A Murderous Assault.

Antonio St. Juliano was shot and badly wounded by Bollea Bernardio Wednesday at an Italian boarding house at 100 Copeland street, West Quincy.

Bernardio fired two shots at close range at St. Juliano, both of which took effect, One entered the center of the breast just below the neck, and the other entered the side of the nose.

The men were seated at a table at the time and but four feet separated them.

Officer Hinchon, who lives near by, heard of the rumpus, and although in bed at the time was quickly on the scene, and placed Bernardio under arrest.

Dr. John H. Ash was also summoned, and after making a hasty examination of the injured man's wounds, ordered his removal to the City Hospital.

Bernardio was brought into court Thursday morning and arraigned upon a complaint charging him with assault with intent to murder.

Bernardio was represented by Frank A. Tirrell, Esq., who entered a plea of not guilty. The only question for this court to determine was probable cause, and the government was ready to go on this morning. The defense was not ready however and the case was continued until Feb. 3.

Refuse Arbitration.

The Granite Cutters' Union has turned down the arbitration proposition submitted to them by the Granite Manufacturers' Association, and the general sentiment among granite men is that a peaceful solution of the present differences cannot be reached.

Committees were appointed by both the manufacturers and cutters to consider the changes desired in the bill of prices and agreement asked for by the cutters on Dec. 1 last. The principal item of which was an eight-hour day with a minimum wage of $3.

At the first meeting of the two committees the manufacturers offered a proposition that any matters upon which the two committees could not agree should be referred to disinterested parties for arbitration, and their finding should be final and binding. It was believed that if this clause was adopted the two committees could go ahead with the work of adjustment with a better understanding. Union were not empowered to consent to such a proposition, but said they would bring it before the Union.

A meeting of the Union was held this week, when the matter was acted upon. When the two committees met last evening for conference the Cutters' committee stated that the Union had refused to agree to arbitration, and the meeting adjourned without accomplishing anything.

The District Court.

Walter L. Dennis was fined $10 for drunkenness at Milton.

David J. White was arraigned for violation of the park rules of Quincy by driving across the Atlantic playground. Placed on file.

Eugene O'Connor was sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Weymouth.

John Riemer was fined $3 for drunkenness at Milton.

Patrick Fitzgerald was fined $10 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Francis E. Morales was arraigned for drunkenness at Weymouth. Case continued until Jan. 31.

Lewis Billings was arraigned for drunkenness at Weymouth. Case continued until Jan. 30.

Herbert Bussy and Stephen V. White were arraigned for violating the Parks rules of Quincy by driving across the Atlantic playground. Buzzy's case was placed on file upon payment of costs and the complaint against White was dismissed.

Walter G. Crowell was arraigned for the illegal sale of renovated butter at Quincy. One complaint was placed on file, and he was fined $25 upon the second.

Christie Ross was arraigned for an assault at Quincy. The plaintiff acknowledged satisfaction and Ross was discharged on payment of costs—amounting to 70 cents.

Bollea Bernardio was arraigned for assault on Antonio St. Juliano at Quincy with intent to murder. He was held in $5000 until next week Friday, Feb. 3.

Michael Fagan and Charles Walsh were arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Cases continued until Jan. 30.

—The Order of Railway Conductors will hold its biennial session at the Lewis and Clark Exposition on May 9.

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Heroic Firemen.

It was a tough night for a fire and when Box 73 sounded at 9 o'clock P. M. Wednesday it was brought forcibly to the attention of the firemen, who were obliged to leave their warm quarters and face the elements.

Box 73 is the nearest box to the Fore River works, and many thought the fire must be at the works. Telephone lines were kept busy by people inquiring the whereabouts of the fire. The operators at the Central office quickly quieted their fears by informing them that the fire was in a little building on the corner of Winter and Howard streets used by J. P. Flannigan as an express office and a small store.

The fire started behind the counter, probably from an overheated lamp. It was confined to the interior of the building and was extinguished by members of Hose 4, who were the first to arrive on the scene.

The loss was about $25.

The central station apparatus had a hard time trying to get to the fire. As there was considerable bare ground the apparatus was on wheels. It started up Quincy avenue and turned into Scammell street where the three pieces became stalled in a high snow bank.

It was here that Chief Williams found them and, having no way of knowing whether the fire was at the Fore River works or where it was, he realized the importance of getting the apparatus to the fire.

Two long lines of hose were pulled from the wagon and a pair of horses attached, who dragged them over the snow to the fire.

Considerable time was consumed in doing this, but in the mean time Hose 3 had put out the fire. It was 10.20 before the recall sounded.

Class Schedule.

The class schedule at the Y. M. C. A. gym is as follows:

Monday, 5 to 6, Business men.
7.45 to 8.45, Working boys.
Tuesday, 3.30 to 4.30, Students.
7.45 to 8.45, Seniors.
Wednesday, 4.30 to 5.30, Juniors.
7.45 to 8.45, Working boys.
Thursday, 3.30 to 4.30, Students.
5 to 6, Business men.
7.45 to 8.45, Seniors.
Friday, no classes.
Saturday, 10 to 11.30 A. M. Juniors.
7.45 to 8.45 Seniors.

Special Council Meeting.

Mayor Thompson called a special meeting of the City Council for Friday evening. The business as stated in the call was:

To receive and act upon a report of the Committee on Streets, upon Order No. 202 of 1904, referred to the Council of this year. The subject matter of said order is the taking of land for slopes of Hancock street widening at the Atlantic bridge.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Fag-End Religion." Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Subject: "The Great Invitation," beautifully illustrated by stereopticon views. Free seats and every one invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Charles H. Emmons, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The Religious Life." Sunday School at 11.45. International lessons. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Preaching by the Rev. Charles Conklin, D. D. Subject: "The Incentives to a Religious Life." Miss Myra Richmond of West Somerville will sing at the evening service. The public is cordially invited to attend services.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water and Quincy streets.—Rev. Nathaniel J. Sproule, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 o'clock. Preaching by pastor both morning and evening. Subject: "The barren fig tree." Sunday School and Bible class at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The husband in the home." Singing by a male quartet. Strangers are invited to these services and all seats are free.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The world's hunger and how to meet it." Men's Bible class and Sabbath School at 11.45. Junior Y. P. S. C. E. at 3 P. M., led by pastor. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Sowing and Reaping."

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "At even, when the sun did set." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 o'clock. Topic: "Heroes of foreign missions: what they teach us." Leader, Miss Mabel Read. Evening service at 7 o'clock, conducted by the pastor. Subject: "The Two Marks." You are cordially invited.

METHODIST CHURCH ATLANTIC, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "An Essential in Domestic Architecture." Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30 P. M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "Ruined Purses."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue.—Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Spirit." Golden Text: "Now we have received, not the spirit of the world but the spirit which is of God; that we might know the things that are freely given to us of God." 1 Corinthians 2:12. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings with gentlemen in attendance. All are welcome.

Births.

PRATT—In Wollaston, Jan. 25, a son to Rev. and Mrs. Frank W. Pratt.

Marriages.

GOODRICH—BROWN—In Wollaston, Jan. 26 by the Rev. Carlton P. Mills, Mr. Everett B. Goodrich of Marlboro, to Miss Mira S. Brown of Wollaston.

Deaths.

BROWN—In Quincy, Jan. 22, Mr. Francis Brown of 12 Jackson street, aged 80 years, 1 month and 24 days.

KENTIO—In Quincy, Jan. 25, Lillie K., daughter of Mr. Mattie and Mrs. Annie E. Kentio, of 37 Common street, aged 6 months and 10 days.

PHIPPS—In Milton, Jan 21, Mr. Charles W. Phipps, at residence of his son on Eliot street, aged 69 years, 6 months.

GUTTERSON—In Weymouth, Jan. 22, Mr. Walter Cabot Gutterson of 98 Front street, aged 59 years 6 months.

O'BRIEN—In East Weymouth, Jan. 24, John W., son of Mr. Thomas and Mrs. Catherine (Fraher) O'Brien, of 968 Pleasant street.

NELSON—In Hingham, Jan. 23, Mrs. William J. Nelson, aged 77 years.

HERSEY—In South Hingham, Jan. 20, Mr. Webster Hersey, aged 73 years, 6 months.

FAUNCE—In Duxbury, Jan. 23, Sallie T. Faunce, aged 85 years, 3 months and 5 days.

HEALD—In Boston, Jan. 22, Mr. George W. Heald of Blue Hill parkway, Milton, aged 56 years, 9 months and 23 days.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Jan. 16, 1905, trains will run as follows:

[Subject to change without notice.]

	TO BOSTON Leave Quincy.	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston.	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.	
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r	6 43	abc	7 03	6 57	cba	7 19	r
r	7 13	abc	7 33	7 27	cba	7 49	r
r	7 26	ad	7 45	8 27	cba	8 49	r
r	7 33	abc	8 03	9 25	ihgfedcba	9 51	r
r	7 54	abcde	8 15	10 27	cba	10 49	r
r	8 13	abc	8 33	11 25	ihgfedcba	11 51	r
r	8 26	abd	8 45	12 27	cba	12 49	r
r	8 46	abcd	9 05	12 57	cba	1 19	r
r	9 13	abc	9 33	1 27	cba	1 49	r
	10.01	Exp.	10.17	1 57	cba	2 19	r
r	10 13	abc	10 33	2 27	cba	2 49	r
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,
b Norfolk Downs,
c Atlantic,
d Neponset,
e Pope's Hill.
f, Harrison Square.
g, Savin Hill.
h, Crescent Avenue.
i, South Boston.
r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

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DIVISION 1.
TIME TABLE.

In effect Jan. 1st, 1905.
(Subject to change without notice.)

QUINCY TO NEPONSET.

Via Hancock Street,—5.40 6.05 6.10 6.40 6.55 A. M. and every 10 and 40 minutes past the hour until 8.40 P. M. and 9.10 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7 30 A. M., and every minutes past the hour until 8.30 P. M., then 9.40 and 10.10 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.05 7.05 A. M., then every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 11.35 P. M.

NEPONSET TO QUINCY.

Via Hancock Street—6.05 6.15 6.40 7 7.10 and 7.45 A. M., then on the even hour and every 30 minutes past the hour until 5.15 P. M., then on the even hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then 10.30 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7.50 and 9 A. M., then on the even hour until 11 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.30 7.30 A.M., then on the even hour and half hour until 12 o'clock midnight.

Cars leaving on the even hour and half hour run through to Brockton and Weymouth Landing.

QUINCY TO NORTH WEYMOUTH.

5.45 6 05 6.20 6.50 7.50 A. M., then every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 11.20 P. M., Wednesdays and Saturdays 11.50 P. M., other nights 11.50 P. M., to Quincy Point only.

NORTH WEYMOUTH TO QUINCY.

6.20 6.50 7.05 7.20 7.50 A. M., then every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 11.50 P. M., Wednesday and Saturdays 12.50 P. M.

QUINCY TO BRAINTREE.

6.20 A. M. and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 10.50 P. M.

QUINCY TO EAST MILTON.

5.40 A. M. and every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 10.35 P. M., then 10.50 P. M.

EAST MILTON TO QUINCY.

6.10 A. M. then on the even hour and half hour until 11.30 P. M.

QUINCY TO WEYMOUTH LANDING.

5.20 5.55 6.30 6.55 A. M., then every 5 of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.55 P. M., then 10.55 P. M.

QUINCY AND HOUGHS NECK.

Leave QUINCY—Week Days—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10 00, 11.00 A. M., 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 5.10, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P. M. Saturday night, 11.50 P. M., as far as there are passengers to go. Sundays—7.00 A. M. then on the even hour until 10.00 P. M., then 10.50 P. M.

Returning, leave HOUGHS NECK—Week Days—5.45, 6.40, 7.40, 8.30, 9.40, 10.40, 11.40 A. M., 12.40, 1.40, 2.10, 3.30, 4.50, 5.40, 6.40, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.30, 11.10 P. M.—Sundays—7.40 A. M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.30 and 11.10 P. M.

J. T. CONWAY, Assistant Supt.
THOMAS GAMMON, Division Supt.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by George W. Patten to George A. Fisher, trustee under the will of Betsy Tucker, dated January 1, 1898, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 809, fol. 598, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on THURSDAY, the ninth day of February, A. D., 1905, at three o'clock in the afternoon all the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described as follows: A certain parcel of land situated in that part of the City of Quincy in the County of Norfolk called Atlantic, being the lot numbered three hundred ninety-two on a plan of "Norfolk Downs" by Charles D. Elliot dated April, 1892, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book of Plans No. 14, plan No. 640 and bounded and described as follows, viz.: Southwesterly by Royal street fifty feet; northwesterly by lot No. 391 on said plan one hundred feet; northeasterly by lot No. 394 on said plan fifty feet; Southeasterly by lot No. 393 on said plan one hundred feet. Containing 5000 square feet of land be all of said measurements and area more or less. Being the same premises conveyed to said George W. Patten by Robert Treat Paine, Jr., et. al., trustees by instrument dated December 23d, 1897 duly recorded. The premises will be sold subject to the restrictions in said deed contained.

Said premises will also be sold subject to any tax sales, unpaid taxes or municipal liens or assessments whatsoever.

Terms,—$50 in cash to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Other terms at sale.

DUDLEY TALBOT,
Present Trustee under the will of Betsy Tucker, mortgagee.
CHARLES GASTON SMITH, Solicitor,
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World's Fair Albums Free.

We have purchased many copies of the World's Fair Albums, titled "Louisiana Purchase Exposition," size 6 by 9 inches, cover in red and gold, containing 36 handsome half-tone views of St. Louis and the Exposition, and shall take pleasure in giving one to each subscriber to the Patriot, while they last, who calls and pays for one year's subscription, either in advance or arrears.

Poetry.

The Eye of God.

EVALYN C. ROE ADAMS.

One night to a little church I went,
My heart oppressed with care;
I knew not what the preacher meant;
I heard not hymn nor prayer.
At an open space I saw the sky
Grow purple and deep where trod
The angel of night and then saw I
One star like the eye of God.

He looked in my heart and soul and read,
How lonely and sad were they;
How hard I toiled for my daily bread;
How scant was my time to pray.
In the amethyst dusk there shone a star,
Inset like a grain of gold,
And its glimmering rays fell down afar—
Gave comfort and peace untold.

I was tempted and tried and over-borne;
I was weary and faint and weak;
Of all things beautiful life seemed shorn,
And a tear crept down my cheek—
But out of the dark there rolled a star,
Dropt by the angel of night,
Like a coin of gold to a beggar afar—
And straightway all was right.

And I blessed the star and I loved the true,
The good and the beautiful all;
And I longed to fly through the dark and the dew,
And at God's feet to fall.
In the purple dome there hung the star,
Like a lamp to guide my feet,
And my soul arose and followed afar,
But my journeyings were sweet.

It is years since to that quiet place
I went in the city vast;
My memory fails me like a face
That once on my way I passed;
But this I recall: the window wide,
Where night and the wild winds trod,
And the beautiful star, set close beside,
Looked in like the eye of God.

Notes and Comments.

—Henry Phipps, the former Pittsburg steel manufacturer, has given $1,000,000 for the erection in New York city of model tenement houses for the working classes.

—With the month of December, Judge Kelley of Rockland finishes 21 years as judge of the second district court, which holds session at Abington and Hingham. In his experience he has had over 16,000 cases come before him for disposition.

—Washington society is interpreted for us in a rather interesting, if not very penetrating way by Captain Sartoris, the grandson of General Grant, in the last issue of Harper's Weekly. Captain Sartoris divides the society of the capital into four classes, the diplomatic, the political, the residential, and the military and naval. He severely criticises each one of these sets for alleged vices and faults. The diplomatic set he finds overfond of millionaires and too fussy about precedence, the political and the army and navy sets lack social distinction, and the social set is destitute of chivalry if not of common morality. He finds little in Washington to praise except the President, who is well known for his democratic good-breeding and his recognition of brains and character as the chief marks of superiority, and the "cave-dwellers," a term applied to the quiet residents who leave society to take care of itself, worship culture rather than the golden calf, and live simple Bostonian lives. Whether Captain Sartoris' conclusions are quite right we should not venture to say. With his strictures on the vices of the nouveaux riches and the vulgarity of a certain part of the population of the capital we are in sympathy; and if some of his observations are a little too far-reaching, his praise for the President does much to counteract the shortcomings of his criticism, for the President stands for many of the best qualities of American society, and illustrates them, through his own pure and chilvarous personality, with a force hardly equalled anywhere in our public life.—Brookline Chronicle.

—There are several species of fish, reptiles and insects which never sleep in the whole of their existence. Among fish it is positively known that pike, salmon and goldfish never sleep at all, also that there are several others in the fish family that never sleep more than a few minutes a month. There are dozens of species of flies which never indulge in slumber.

—"I don't understand all about the tariff question," remarked General Grant, "yet I do know that when we buy $50,000 worth of iron and steel from Europe they have the $50,000 and we have the iron and steel. But I also know that when we make the iron and steel ourselves we have both the $50,000 and the goods."

—Considering the fact that the Supreme Court has declared the payment of a bounty to Civil War veterans illegal, the attempt which is being made by Representative Schofield and and others to evade the consequences of that decision through a technicality, and to secure a subversion of state funds for private advantage in defiance of the laws and policy of the Commonwealth, is so contemptible that we cannot see how a member of the Great and General Court can stoop to such an action. Mr. Schofield's bill provides not for bounties, but for gratuities; pray what is the difference? He proposes not to secure a bond issue, for that was declared illegal, but to do what amounts to precisely the same thing, namely, to set aside a portion of state funds received from the federal government in settlement of Civil War claims, which are just as truly the property of the Commonwealth as funds raised by public taxation. The passage of such legislation should be viewed as nothing less than a public scandal.—Brookline Chronicle.

—Winter is wearing away and so is the pile in the coal bin.

—A little four-year-old occupied an upper berth in the sleeping car. Awakening once in the middle of the night his mother asked him if he knew where he was, "Tourse I do," he replied, "I'm in the top drawer."

—The Spencer Leader says, with much truth, that "some of the millionaires who fear that they will die disgraced if they die rich might escape this post mortem opprobrium by paying taxes on an assessment to the full value of their holdings and relieve many a poor real estate holder of a burden in which he bears more than a fair share."

—Deputy sheriff Josiah Cushman of Abington, the oldest deputy in the state, has just received the reappointment. Mr. Cushman, 86 years of age, is still active and attends to a lot of business. He has been in continuous service for 50 years.

—A correspondent from one of the Vermont towns writes: "There were three marriages, six births and twenty-two deaths in town last year. A gloomy look, certainly. It is, indeed, a "gloomy look." Not only is the old stock dying out but there is no infusion of new. Think of the proportion of births to deaths. Where one child is born there are four deaths. Little wonder that the state's population is practically at a standstill.

—If New York carries out its proposed project of constructing a deep tunnel from that city to the Catskill mountains, a distance of nearly 100 miles, to secure a pure and sure water supply, it will be another huge undertaking for them to boast over. The complete plan would entail an expense of about $275,000,000, but if it will give them the desired result the expense would not seem so great as to put it beyond the city's reach.—Old Colony Memorial.

—The people of Brookline are of the opinion that they can carry a debt owned by them more economically than the state can, and feeling this way the town will ask the legislature for an act permitting towns and cities in the metropolitan district to pay up to the state all of their proportion of the water, sewer, park or boulevard debts in a lump sum, instead of so much each year as now the practice, It is argued that the state method of a sinking fund adds greatly to the interest charges, and that any town or city can save money by borrowing the money to settle with the state and then paying so much each year on the sum borrowed, the interest account each year going down as the debt is decreased.

—It seems to be a case of nip and tuck among the powers whether to help fix up some cement or to stand ready to grab a piece of broken China.—Mansfield News.

—Mr. Roosevelt will be very ungrateful if he doesn't hurry up and subscribe to The Commoner while Mr. Bryan is saying those nice things about him.—Sharon Advocate.

—The Selectmen of Hyde Park invite bids for printing the town report of 320 pages from several local printers, and this year have given the contract to the Times office, the lowest bidder, at $2.19 per page.

—The legislative committee of the Suburban Press Association will ask the legislature this year to require the publication of legal notices in the community where the person or estate has an interest. The bill is drafted in language now used by the statute requiring publication of sales of real estate under foreclosure of mortgages, and virtually extends that statute to cover citations, divorce, libels, etc. The committee believes the bill to be in the interests of public morals, as well as for better information of business men, and its proposition surely seems reasonable on the face. The publication of these matters in obscure corners of Boston dailies, where they are buried in a mass of matter the average layman never thinks of reading, nullifies the purpose of the law requiring publication, while there is at least a very greatly increased probability that if printed in the local paper it will come to the attention of persons directly concerned.

—A simple but amusing pastime is to have a ring hang from the chandelier at a convenient distance from the floor. Each child must walk directly up to the ring and without hesitation try to run a pencil through the ring. This sounds very easy, but if you try it yourself you will be surprised how difficult it really is.—Natick Bulletin.

—It is announced that a new daily paper is to be started in Chicago which will exclude news about murders and other crimes from its columns. Following the style adopted by first class weeklies.

—These are indeed trying times for the government of the Czar. With the bloody war in the East on its hands, a strike at home, involving to date nearly 100,000 operatives in iron works and cotton mills, loaded cannons shooting grape shot into the palace and the socialists making the most of the strike to create political discord, the head that wears the crown must indeed be unhappy. Germany is coming up to some of the American ideals also with a coal strike involving 185,000 men.—Spencer Leader.

—We notice that our friend, Brother Thorndike, has returned to his old field of labor, and taken on his shoulders the arduous duties of publishing the Norwood Advertiser. A good paper that deserves a liberal support.

—The telephone is one of the wonders of the 19th century, and it is still pushing on. On the 1st of January 1905, there were 130,178 miles of pole lines and 975,702 miles of pole wire in 26,128 cities, towns and villages. The system transmits 260,000 toll messages a day.

—The hustling town of North Attleboro, feeling the burden of the financial condition of Bristol county, wants to be annexed to Norfolk county to escape from its dilemma. Undoubtedly Norfolk county would welcome the new comer, and thus increase its area and influence, but how about Bristol county? Could it afford to have such an enterprising town set off from its territory at a time of such financial embarrassment? It looks like a case of deserting the "old homestead."—Hyde Park Gazette.

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Camp Boyd Installation.

A red letter date in the history of Camp Boyd, Legion of Spanish War Veterans, was the public installation on Saturday evening in the presence of a large number of invited guests, including National and State officers of the Legion, members of Paul Revere, Post 88, G. A. R. and kindred organizations, the officers of the Boys' Brigade, city officials and representatives of the press.

The ceremony took place in Odd Fellows hall at Wollaston which has recently been renovated and greatly improved and was admired by all.

The reception committee were alert in their attention to invited guests, who were made to feel at home immediately. The installing officer was Senior Vice Commander in Chief Thomas L. Hayes of Charlestown and Adjutant General Frederick A. Walker, the latter as mustering officer, and the ceremony went off without a hitch.

The new officers are:

Commander,—George A. Wardwell.

Senior Vice Commander,—John R. McGrath.

Junior Vice Commander,—Patrick J. Sheehan.

Adjutant,—Henry J. Matthews.

Paymaster,—Carl Weixler.

Quartermaster,—John W. Fitzgerald.

Officer of the Day,—William J. Collagan.

Officer of the Guard,—Thomas C. Brown.

Officer of the Watch,—Thomas J. Lamb.

Color Sergeants,—George W. Kavanaugh and Oscar A. Johnson.

It is the custom of the Legion to recognize representatives of the government, and the speaker was Postmaster Charles L. Hammond of Quincy. In the absence of Mayor Thompson Principal Assessor Charles H. Johnson responded for the city.

Commander-in-Chief Manks was the next speaker and paid a tribute to the Grand Army. He said the Legion took the Grand Army as the foundation for their order.

Senior Vice Commander Thomas Ring brought the greetings of Paul Revere Post, 88, G. A. R.

The camp regretted the absence of Judge Bumpus, but were pleased to receive a lengthy letter which was read and received with favor.

Capt. Frank Chubbuck responded for the Sons of Veterans.

One of the best speeches of the evening was made by the installing officer, Senior Vice Commander Hayes. He was pleased to see soldiers of three generations present, the G. A. R., the L. S. W. V. and the Boys' Brigade. He said it was the same loyalty which caused the boys of 1898 to enlist as the boys of 1861. He also had a tribute for the Grand Army. It was because of their teachings of patriotism since 1865 that caused the boys of 1898 to be so ready to respond. Mr. Hayes urged civilians to give their encouragement to Camp Boyd, saying it would redound to the credit of the city.

Sergt. George H. Wilson, an honorary member, responded to the toast "The soldiers' friend," and was followed by ex-Councilman Elisha Packard, another honorary member.

Frank F. Prescott of the Patriot and Daily Ledger responded for the press.

Past Commander in Chief William P. Kenibbs was the last speaker. He was pleased at the cordial relations existing between the local camp and the local G. A. R. post, and said the Legion had nothing to fear in the future.

A grand banquet followed, including salads, escalloped oysters, jelly, rolls, coffee, etc., which was spread by a committee of lady friends.

A social hour followed over the cigars. During the evening Fred Nippler of Wollaston presided at the piano, playing all the popular airs, and near the close those present united in song. As we said before it was a red letter date in the history of Camp Boyd.

K. of C. installation.

The newly elected officers of Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, were installed Sunday afternoon in Greenleaf hall, in the presence of a large gathering of knights from Quincy and adjoining towns.

The installation ceremony was performed by Peter F. Daley and suite of Canton. Officers of Stoughton council also accompanied him and assisted in the ceremony. The installation odes were sung by the recently organized double quartet of Quincy council.

After the ceremonies William T. Shea, the retiring grand knight, reviewed the condition of the council, which was now in better shape than ever before. He predicted further gains in the future. Addresses on the good of the order were also made by District Deputy Daley, Grand Knight Cahill and P. G. K. John W. McAnarney.

Retiring Grand Knight W. T. Shea was presented with a basket of handsome carnations.

A lunch was served in the banquet hall, which was followed by a short entertainment contributed by members of Quincy council and visiting knights.

The officers installed are:

G. K.,—Peter J. Cahill.
D. G. K.,—Timothy J. Carey.
Chan.,—Bartholomew A. McLane.
F. S.,—Joseph A. Keating.
R. S.,—John J. Cunniff.
W.,—Michael T. Walsh.
T. G.,—Martin W. Cunniff.
O. G.,—Thomas Shea.
L.,—Robert J. Williams, Jr.
A.,—Robert E. McDonnell.
O.,—William J. McDonnell.
Chaplain,—Rev. John P. Cuffe.
P.,—Dr. Joseph M. Sheahan.
T.,—Bernard Cullen.

School Athletics.

George I. Aldrich, formerly superintendent of schools in Quincy has petitioned the Legislature for an act to define the authority of school committees over organizations of school pupils. Section 1 of the bill provides that "The school committee may supervise and control all athletic and other organizations composed of pupils of the public schools and bearing the name of the school," and Section 2 provides that "It may directly or through an authorized representative, determine under what conditions such organizations may enter into competition with similar organizations in other schools."

☞Statements which have been put out by New York charitable associations to the effect that fifty thousand children in that city go hungry to school every day, and that the number of unemployed, who would work if they had a chance, reaches one hundred thousand, are discredited by other charitable organizations. The tendency to exaggeration is everywhere present in American life, and is as likely to appear in charitable work as anywhere.—New Bedford Standard.

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Death Statistics.

The returns of deaths and marriages kept at the City Clerk's office show quite a decrease in the year 1904 from the previous year. In 1904 the number of deaths recorded was 393 against 407 in 1903. And the number of marriages 253 against 287 in 1903. The record of births has not been completed as yet but it is believed they will keep up to the average.

The figures for deaths do not mean that number of persons died in Quincy, for it includes not only those who died in Quincy, but those who died in other places and were brought here for burial.

In the marriages also, it does not mean that number were married here, but includes all marriages where one or both parties claimed Quincy as their residence as well as those couples who came from out of town to have the knot tied in Quincy.

After making allowance for the number who were brought to Quincy for burial, and estimating the population as low as 28,000, the death rate of the city for the year 1904 was below 14 per 1000, an exceedingly low rate, showing Quincy to be very healthy, and free from epidemics.

The vital statistics for eleven years are given below:

Year.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths.
In 1904	—	253	393
In 1903	811	287	407
In 1902	788	246	450
In 1901	750	227	343
In 1900	756	234	365
In 1899	712	211	387
In 1898	795	244	363
In 1897	723	198	368
In 1896	741	215	366
In 1895	655	191	363
In 1894	660	186	380

It will be seen from the above that there were only 13 more deaths in 1904 than in 1894, although the population of the city increased from 20,000 to 28,000. Meanwhile the marriages increased from 186 to 253, a gain of 67, or really twice that number as it take two to make a matrimonial alliance. The increase in number of births for the ten years will be between 100 and 200, the number in 1903 being 151 larger than 1894.

The excess of births over deaths for the ten years previous to 1904 was 3599, an average of 360 per year. The average has been higher than that in recent year. In the five years between the census of 1900 and 1905 Quincy will increase about 2,000 from vital causes alone.

Violated Park Rules.

Three young men were arraigned in court on Monday for violation of the park rules, by driving across the seeded ground at the Atlantic playground.

The Park Commissioners went to to considerable expense to put these grounds in shape and sow them down.

Since the Atlantic bridge has been closed to teams, many parties have been in the habit of turning down Madison street, and then making a short cut by driving across the playground. The result was that the grounds have been badly cut up.

The Park Commissioners caused printed rules to be placed about the playground forbidding people from driving across.

These printed rules had but little effect. Determined to put a stop to the practice before the ground was thoroughly ruined, an officer was stationed there to warn teamsters to keep off.

The parties arrested claimed to have seen no rules posted. The excuse they offered in court was that they lived out of town, that they saw wheel tracks across the ground, that they saw no curbing and supposing it to be a regular beaten path they drove across.

In one of the cases the defendant was discharged, as it was shown that he was not the driver, and did not own the team, but was simply riding with the driver. The other two cases were placed on file, one of the defendants paying the costs on the warrant.

This should serve as a warning, that it is not a public thoroughfare across the playground. At the same time the city should open up Sagamore street to travel.

Heavy Taxpayers.

From a list of heavy taxpayers of Boston, the Quincy Patriot learns that ex-Mayor Adams of this city, and others, as trustees are assessed on $2,167,400 real and $22,000 personal; that the Adams Real Estate Trust is assessed on $543,000 real; that Charles F. Adams is assessed on $30,600 real and $17,000 personal.

Hon. William B. Rice of this city is assessed for a valuation of $729,500.00 in Boston, the amount of his tax bill being $11,088.40. He also is assessed as trustee.

The heirs of George T. Bigelow are assessed on $252,000 real.

George H. and John Cavanagh et al on $94,400 real and $28,000 personal.

John Federhen on $125,100 real.

Lyman F. and Rachel Hewitson on $70,300 real.

Bigelow F. Nay on $67,400 real and $4,800 personal.

The heirs of Josiah Quincy et al on $114,000 real.

Josiah P. Quincy et al on $164,500 real.

Josiah P. Quincy on $14,000 real and $2,000 personal.

Eben C. Stanwood et al on $55,000 real and $80,000 personal.

New Head Draughtsman.

George Simpson took charge of the Hull drawing room of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company on Monday. Mr. Simpson was formerly with Townsend & Downey, a New York firm, who built the schooner yacht for the German Emperor a few years ago. Mr. Simpson comes well equipped for his work, having received his training on the Clyde and later being connected with some of the largest English firms.

Just before coming to America he had charge of important work in the south of England. Mr. Simpson gave up his private business in New York City to accept the position offered him by the Fore River Company who are constantly strengthening the working force in all departments, a fact valuable to the city of Quincy which is building up one of the finest shipbuilding plants in the country, on broad and deep foundations. Scotch ship-builders bring practical knowledge which unites inherited power with fine technical training.

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A True Story.

On a western bound train a lady with her little son of four or five years, boarded the cars. The porter followed, carrying a pillow, which he tucked beneath the child's head. Soon the mother's head slipped over to where the boy lay, and together they slept.

In the early morning, as I glanced across the aisle, the child seemed to be shutting his eyes, and peering at the sun for amusement, but soon his pathetic question, "Is it morning yet Mamma?" made it only too evident that he was blind.

Dear, gentle boy, so lovely in his tones, and ways, amusing himself by calling out in his sweet voice, the names of towns along the way, repeating after the conductor the names of the stations, being answered by a baby girl, who echoed every word.

"Isn't the little girl cunning, Mamma? If I had a little birdie right in my hand, I wouldn't hurt it."

Then the sweet child threw his arms around his mother's neck, and drawing her down, patted her lovingly.

A brakeman just passing through the car, said to the conductor, "For God's sake turn round, and look at that blind boy, and be thankful for the two boys, you've got at home."

The mother's tones, and tender care of the boy, showed how dear he was to her.

Trolley Trips.

An interesting lecture was given one evening recently before the motormen and conductors of the Quincy Division of the Old Colony Street Railway by Robert H. Derrah.

Mr. Derrah, who is general passenger and advertising agent of this system, as well as of the Boston & Northern Street Railway Company, started his talk by showing pictures of the old stage coach and gradually working up, showing the various improvements upon this mode of travelling from place to place until he reached the electric car of today.

The audience was taken over an imaginary trip to Salem, when pictures were shown of the various historical places, familar to nearly every resident of this state; to Marblehead with its quaint old houses, rugged shores and crooked streets; to Gloucester and Cape Ann. The views shown here of the ocean were exceedingly fine. They were then taken up the Mystic and Merrimac valleys, as well as shady paths and cozy nooks in "Lynn Woods."

Mr. Derrah then changed his direction and took his hearers from Boston to Brockton via. Quincy showing the Dorothy Q. house, Public Library, and other points of interest. Then to New Bedford, Taunton, Newport and Buzzard's Bay. Perhaps some of the most picturesque scenery was thrown on the screen of the Taunton river, Dighton Rock Park and Chebacco lake. The trip to Plymouth, the landing place of the Pilgrims was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. Derrah spoke a few words about Mr. Whitney, then about Gen. Bancroft whose picture was next shown. Of the many pictures shown, that of P. F. Sullivan, president of the Old Colony and the Boston & Northern, was greeted with the most expressions of sincere respect and applause by the employes.

At the conclusion the speaker was accorded hearty applause. Mr. Derrah has given this talk before many of the clubs, churches, and societies of Dorchester, Taunton, Fall River, Lowell, Haverhill, Lawrence, Lynn and other suburbs of Boston, and has a number of engagements ahead.

Quincy Cat Boats.

A largely attended meeting of those interested in the new Catboat Association was held Monday evening at the office of Vice Commodore F. F. Crane on Chestnut street.

These officers were elected:

President,—Ira Whittemore.

Secretary and Treasurer,—Dr. F. E. Dawes.

Measurer,—Ralph E. Winslow.

Executive Committee, — Frank F. Crane and Frank Coleman. Two other members of the executive committee will be elected later.

The yachts enrolled at present are:

Hustler,—W. H. Robbins.
Marvel,—Ira Whittemore.
Solitaire,—C. C. Collins.
Harriet,—A. Lincoln.
Neptune, Hallett Bros.
Sheila, L. F. Hewitson.
Argestes, George H. Wilkins.
Memento, Dr. F. E. Dawes.
Dorothy II, F. F. Crane.
Goblin, R. Lothrop.
Idler, Lester T. Willis.
Surprise, George W. Newcomb.
Ariel, George M. Sheahan.
Thegla, L. W. Grosscrop.
Clara Lee, Edgar Emery.
Moondyne, W. H. Shaw.

☞The Cape Cod people are deeply in earnest in the matter of keeping the lepers out and who can blame them? There is one leper there and living in the same house is a man who is not afraid of him in the least. But the very fact that there was a leper colony on Cape Cod would be sufficient to give the pothook peninsula a reputation which would drive away much summer business, which is about all the business there is left there. It would be little short of a crime to make Cape Cod shoulder the plague of leprosy.—Brockton Enterprise.

Anecdotes.

"Did your wife scold you when you came home so late last night?"

"No, but you don't know what it is to have a wife who was once a school-teacher. She simply made me write a hundred times: 'I must be home by ten o'clock.'"

"What would you do if you could play the piano as well as I can?" asked a young lady of the housemaid.

"Shure, an' Oi wouldn't get discouraged at all, at all. Oi'd kape roight on larnin' till Oi could play it dacently," was the reply.—Chicago News.

"I hear Laura is to marry a man greatly her junior. By the way, how old is Laura?"

"Old enough to know better."

"Gracious! She might be his grandmother, mightn't she?"

King's Daughter—"Mercy! Do you allow that half-grown girl to read Zola and Ouida?"

The Mother—"I must do something to keep her away from daily newspapers."

"Your experience as a traveller have been very varied, have they not, Mr. Trotter?"

"Oh, yes."

"Have you ever visited the polar regions?"

"No, but I incidently strolled into a Fifth Avenue church in New York, the other day, and took a seat in a millionaire's pew."

Brown System.

Supt. Whaley of the New York division with two other superintendents comprise a committee to revise the rules of the New Haven road, and bringing them up to date, casting out some that have died a natural death through old age and changing conditions and revising all to the plane of the 20th century railroad.

Every station on the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad system has within the past few days received a copy of a circular sent out from the office of General Manager Higgins in New Haven, giving notice of a contemplated change in the system of discipline now in effect on the road to that of the "Brown" system.

Briefly, the "Brown" system is that of discipline without suspension, including the use of merit and demerit marks, rewards for good work by employes and serving to extend the education of the train bands. It was developed by George R. Brown, general superintendent of the old Fall Brook road, now the Pennsylvania division of the New York Central. Realizing that the old system, that of suspension for infraction of the rules with loss of pay, did not attain its object alone, as almost invariably it was the family of the erring employe which had to suffer for such penalty.

Mr. Brown decided to put into effect a merit system. This was inaugurated in the early '90s, and from it grew a method of discipline that drew the eyes of all railroad men in the country to it as a model of successful management. Under it, there is suspension without loss of pay, but the marking system comes into play here and removes what might be an incentive to "soldier" on the part of the employe.

This involves the keeping of a record bulletin of each man in the company's employ, and when there is any violation that necessitates suspension from duty as a penalty, the offender has a certain number of demerits marked against his name. When these demerits reach a certain total, this on some roads being 100 and on others 60 or 120, according to conditions, the man is discharged. But in addition to the demerits the employe has the opportunity offered him of working off the black marks against his name by meritorious conduct or by some exceptional act of courage or forethought, and oftentimes in event of some particularly commendable act the employee receives special consideration in the number of marks in his favor.

An offence for which an employe is disciplined is bulletined, the location of the fault and the name and date of the offender and offence being left out, and this bulletin is posted conspicuously where all trainmen can see it. This causes the employes to realize that the eye of the management is ever upon them, prevents the man who is disciplined from giving a false statement of the causes leading to his being penalized, and at the same time by the omission of name, date and locality prevents it from becoming to publicly known. Every trainman will know when he reads such a bulletin just about what the affair was, as such news travels swiftly along the line, but there will be nothing to call the attention of the outsider to the fact.

It is considered and it has been found true that once the merit system is adopted the emyloyes show marked efforts to keep upon the right side of the bulletin and immediately there results a more general sense of self-discipline throughout the entire corps of workers.

Some of the objections to the proposed system which have been made by the management of roads where it is now in force are that often it causes in cases of a big rush of traffic the running up of a man's total of demerits to the discharging figure in a very short time, through no real fault of his own, and such a rush does not give him a chance to reinstate himself by a total of merits. Again, in cases of commendation of an employe for some act of courage there is apt to, and has been, much criticism by the man's fellow employes, some of whom may have figured in acts of greater courage which have escaped being reported.

However, in general, the system has been proved practicable and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Co., is now to adopt it. The fact that each employe has been urged to make suggestions will bring the system nearer to the men and it is anticipated that there will be a ready response to the call.

Handsome Calendar.

We have received from the United States Printing Company of Brooklyn, New York, a very large color calendar, with dates large and distinct, so that they can easily be seen 30 to 40 feet away. The color work is very nicely done, making it very attractive. Few companies are able to turn out better printing.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

The fact of Mr. James K. Hackett's popularity in Boston was again demonstrated on Monday evening when, at the Tremont Theatre, he began a two weeks' engagement in "The Fortunes of the King." The playhouse was filled to its capacity, and when the star made his first entrance he was greeted by a tumult of applause that stopped the action of the play for several minutes. After each act he was called before the curtain, and in every way possible the audience showed its admiration for him and its loyalty to him. In "The Fortunes of the King" Mr Hackett has found a play that is perfectly suited to him, and that quite as perfectly suits the fancy of his public. The authors, Mrs. Charles A. Doremus and Leonidas Westervelt, have woven their dramatic tale around the romantic and interesting historical figure of Charles Stuart, afterward Charles the Second of England. There is no doubt that they have whitewashed the character of the amiable Charles, but in so doing they have made him a stage personage of the most delightful sort.

Castle Square Theatre.

The management of the Castle Square Theatre have succeeded in securing for production next week James A. Herne's famous play "Sag Harbor" originally produced by the author at the Park Theatre in this city where it had a long and successful run. The play is named after the Long Island fishing village where all its scenes are laid and deals with life and character in one of those neglected little eddies of life's big ocean where the tide once ran high but has long ago receded leaving upon the beach many curious relics of by-gone days. The period of the play is the present day but it represents Sag Harbor in the times when it was one of the great out-fitting ports for the American whaling fleet. An elaborate scenic production of "Sag Harbor" is promised and it is only announced for a single week with the usual free distribution of souvenir boxes of choice chocolate bonbons at the Monday matinee.

Household Receipts.

Alpine House Tomato Soup. One quart can tomatoes, one carrot, two onions, one tablespoonful sugar, butter size a hen's egg; stew together until tender enough to be rubbed through a colander or strainer; season with pepper and salt, and thicken with a little flour dissolved in water, then add the sugar and butter. If too thick, add broth or water. Serve with toasted bread crumbs. Bits of bread cut in squares, triangles, etc., and fried, are good with this soup.

Cream of Green Peas. Open a can of green peas and reserve a fourth of a cupful. To the remainder add three cupfuls of chicken broth or stock, and simmer for fifteen minutes. Melt fourth cupful of butter, add an equal amount of flour and when well blended add the first mixture to it gradually, and boil up well; then rub through a sieve. Reheat, add the reserved peas and hot milk to make the desired consistency, about three cupfuls. Season to taste with salt and pepper; let it just come to a boil, and serve with crisped crackers. A cupful of whipped cream may be stirred into the soup just before serving, and it adds greatly to its daintiness, although it is not essential. Another way is to serve in bullion cups with a spoonful of whipped cream floating on the surface.—What to Eat.

Roast Lamb. Wipe, sear the cut end, or wherever there is any lean meat exposed. Dredge with salt, pepper and flour. Put on a rack in dripping pan, in hot oven and when flour is browned, add a little hot water and baste every fifteen minutes. Reduce the heat and bake about one hour and a half. Serve with mint sauce.

Mint Sauce. Sweeten one-half cup vinegar, with one-fourth cup powdered suger, add one cup fresh mint, finely chopped. Let it stand one hour, or till vinegar is strongly flavored with mint.

Lamb Salad. Two cups cold roast lamb, one cup cold boiled potatoes, two cups beats, two cucumber pickles. Cut the lamb and potato into neat cubes, the beets into small morsels. Arrange in a nest of lettuce. Mix the meat and potato and sprinkle with the chopped beets. Dress with mayonnaise in which onion juice takes the place of mustard. Garnish the mayonnaise with finely chopped pickle.

February Magazines.

American life is broadly and attractively reported in the National for February. In terse text and picture the scope of the Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition and Oriental Fair and the charms of the Northwest are set forth. "Women Weavers of the Provinces" takes the reader back to the Atlantic side of the map and into the quaint, old-fashioned Canadian homes where, within a night's ride from Boston, the looms and spinning wheels of a century ago are still generally used. "Affairs at Washington" tells of the president's busy day with his callers—a stormy, wintry day it chanced to be. The South is represented in a vividly dramatic short story by E. Crayton McCants, of South Carolina, entitled "At the End of the March."

There seems to be even more than the usual generous store of good stories in the February St. Nicholas. Besides exciting chapters of "Queen Zixi of Ix" there is a splendid tale of and for boys by Anna Parmly Paret, "The Founding of the B. A." The illustrations includes a facsimile of a letter from General George Washington to Brigadier-General Foreman, never before printed. Then there is an altogether delightful Valentine story, entitled "Pinkey Perkins." Elizabeth Elliot recounts the pretty story of "Hetty MacDonald's Birthday Party," a story to appeal to every girl and her mother.

The Century for February has four color-inserts: two of Vesuvius in action, by Corwin K. Linson, accompanying an article by him on his experiences at the crater; one reproducing a newly discovered fresco at Pompeii representing the mythical origin of Rome, the text by Prof. Ettore Pais, the distinguished Italian archaeologist, who unearthed the fresco; and the fourth another of Anna Whelan Bett's drawings in color of old-time scenes, called "The Valentine." There are six pieces of American fiction, including the third part of "Sandy," the new story by Mrs. Rice, author of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" and "Lovey Mary," in which the plot thickens and the life of a Kentucky village is graphically portrayed.

Booth Tarkington certainly kept his eyes open when he was in the Indiana legislature. In the February McClure's he publishes a story that he calls "Mrs. Protheroe." Alonzo, a rural Senator in his first term, whose "intense self-respect" blinds him to most of what is happening round about attacks with virtuous indignation a Sunday Baseball Bill. Suddenly a beautiful lady takes a violent interest in Alonzo. It is insinuated to him that she is a "lobbyist," but he repels the idea with scorn. And we can all guess what happened to the Sunday Baseball Bill.

The novel by Frederic Reddale, which Lippincott's Magazine for February carries complete, is based on an exciting incident, new, so far as we know, of fiction. The title is "A Transaction in Rubies," which describes the deal made by one of the characters upon a rich ruby necklace stolen from his patroness. He put this up to bolster a speculation, while a whole house party is under suspicion and detained until the device which leads to discovery is introduced, a very clever plan, not thought of even by Sherlock Holmes.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Edgar G. Cleaves to James H. Nye
Geo. W. Hopkins et al trs to Nora A. Galway.
Chas. C. Hodgkinson to John T. Cavanagh.
Jas. Thompson et al trs to Herman F. McIntire
Chas. F. Adams et al trs to Wm. R. Lofgren.
John S. Bladgon et al to Esther M. Perkins, $2125.
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J. Winthrop Pratt to John O. Hall.
Chas. H. Johnson to Jane M. Pope.
Clifford S. Drake to Forrest N. Adams (3).
Willard Welsh to Maria C. Whittier.
Harlow H. Rogers to Alvin E. Aldrich.
Chas. W. Blood to Esther M. Perkins.

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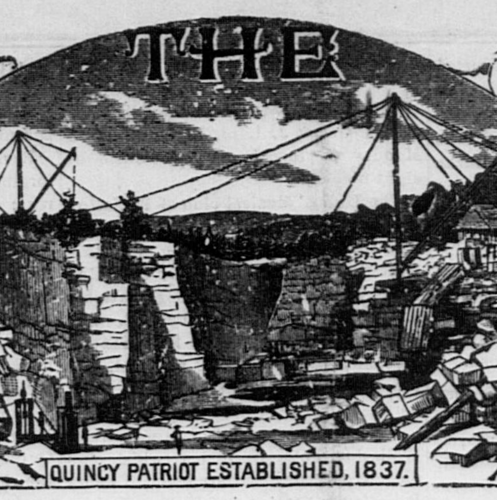

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CASH FUND January 1, 1904, **$705,963.30**
SURPLUS over Re-Insurance, **$455,776.74**
LOSSES paid the past year, **$42,201.94**
DIVIDENDS PAID the past year, **$66,032 42**
GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year, **$12,983.04**
GAIN IN CASH FUND the past year, **20,297.34**
AND EVERY LOSS PAID IN FULL.
AMOUNT AT RISK, *$32,586,226.00*
TOTAL LIABILITIES, *$250,186.56*
Dividends Paid on Every Expiring Policy. 60 per cent. on 5 years, 40 per cent. on 3 year and 20 per cent. on all others.
Quincy, Mass., 1904

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INCORPORATED 1855.
FORTY-NINTH ANNUAL STATEMENT
JANUARY 1, 1904.

Amount at Risk - - -	$34,712,920.00
Cash Assets - - - -	472,396.14
Deposit Notes - - - -	569,644.43
Available Assets - -	1,042,040.57
Total Liabilities - - - -	310,968.83
Cash Surplus - - - -	161,407.31
Gain in Surplus in 1903 - - -	1,389.25
Gain in Assets in 1903 - - -	23,968.44
Losses paid in 1903 - - -	72,704.06
Dividends paid in 1903 - - -	60,356.48
Receipts in 1903 - - - -	216,632.56
Disbursements in 1903 - - -	187,057.63

This Company now pays the following Dividends:

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Incorporated 1825.
Norfolk Mutual Fire Ins. Co.
DEDHAM, MASS.
STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1905.

Amount at Risk,	$24,627,979.48
Cash Assets,	668,766.38
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance	193,222.23
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$475,544.15
Contingent Assets,	352,120.59
Total Available Assets,	1,020,886.97
Gain in Surplus,	17,211.34

Dividends are now being paid on five-year policies, 70 per cent.; on three-year policies. 50 per cent.; on one and two-year policies, 25 per cent.
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GEORGE H. FIELD, Agent for Quincy.

Incorporated 1837.
Dedham Mutual Fire Ins. Co.
DEDHAM, MASS.
STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1905:

Amount at Risk,	$7,224,426.07
Cash Assets,	169,173.07
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	62,518.78
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$106,6[illegible]4.29
Contingent Assets,	111,131.71
Total Available Assets,	280,304.78
Gain in Surplus,	4,[illegible]59.07

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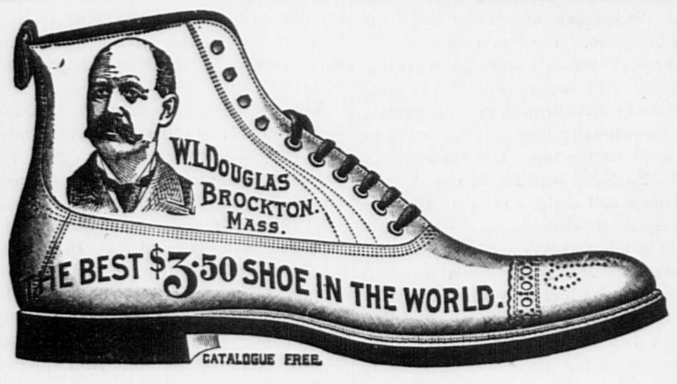

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Poetry.

An Awakening.

S. E. KISER.

He thought the fates had used him ill,
And discontent was in his heart;
While wealthy men grew richer still
He had no triumphs in the mart.
He thought of what the great possessed,
The splendid things to him denied,
And envy nestled in his breast
And bitterness walked at his side

A little face grew pale one day,
And in two eyes a dullness crept;
He knelt down where his baby lay,
And trembling watched her while she slept,
And cried: "Oh, God, I did not know
What riches Thou hadst given me
Till death came pointing down to show
How deep and broad my loss could be."

Miscellany.

THE TURN OF THE BALANCE.

She had always loved him, eagerly, passionately, as few sisters, perhaps, love even an only brother. They had been comrades, playfellows, companions, from the time he began to toddle—he two years older than she, proud of her and devoted to her. She did not marry very young, simply because, as she frankly admitted, her suitors were not nearly as nice as Jim, and she could not bring herself to like anyone who fell below that invariable standard of comparison.

When at last she did say yes, it was to a man in every way Jim's opposite, except in that of being a thoroughly good fellow—a man grave, plain, practical and quiet, very much in love with her, and ready for her sake, to adopt her delightful brother. Jim's business required him to travel a good deal, but when he came back it was to her.

She was very happy with her husband and with the little daughter who came to them after a year or two; but her happiness was more and more of the staid and quiet kind. She grew like her husband, as women will, as the years passed, falling into his sedate and prosaic attitude of mind, and losing some of the brilliancy and animation which had been her chief charm.

Jim, however, was the link that bound her to her youth. He was unchanged. With his coming, the sound of his elastic step, his ringing voice, came back all the brightness and gayety of the past. Joyously they renewed the old intercourse. Their childish associations, their old jokes and bywords, their old mutual attitude toward people and things, made their companionship a delight to them both. To the husband, in his quiet way, it was scarcely less. The three were at their best and happiest when they were together.

It was no wonder then, that Jim's sudden marriage, after fifteen such years, nearly broke Helen's heart. She knew it meant practically the losing of him out of her life. He would still be the affectionate and faithful brother, but the core of his fidelity and affection would be elsewhere. The new wife was a stranger. Her surroundings would be his, her interests, her friends, her associates, her life. The old days were over, and Helen knew it.

She was too wise and deep hearted a woman to cherish any petty jealousy. She made the bride heartily welcome, rejoiced honestly and openly in her brother's happiness, and shed her inevitable tears in secret.

During the three perfect years of his married life, Helen continued to miss him keenly and constantly. How keenly, how constantly, she acknowledged to herself now for the first time, as she sat looking out of the carriage window, as she was borne steadily westward, toward the bereaved and grief-stricken home. The news of her sister-in-law's sudden death had come to her as a bewildering shock.

"I cannot believe it!" she cried to her husband. "I cannot! It was all so beautiful, so right, so perfect in every way—their life—Jim was so happy—and now to have it broken off short like this—ended forever, in a moment! It seems just like some dreadful mistake—somebody giving the wrong order, and throwing a whole lovely design into woful wreck and ruin!"

Intense sympathy with her brother's grief had filled her mind during her hasty preparations for leaving home. But now that she had leisure to think, other considerations crowded into her busy brain. The thought, "This gives my brother back to me!" came again and again, throwing a curious brightness over all the haze of pain and grief that filled her heart.

His wife's family were nothing to him, nor he to them. Helen had met them, but had found them uncongenial. There was nothing in common between her warm, impulsive temperament and the cold reticence of theirs. Now that Katherine was gone, there would be nothing to bind him to them.

Of course, there was a chance—just a chance—that they might claim the baby.

Helen smiled a little to herself. As if Jim would dream for a moment of putting that precious charge into any arms but hers. He would never give it up entirely to any one. Jim was not that kind of man. Besides, during the two short months of its existence he had grown exceedingly fond of the child, developing a capacity for parental affection which surprised Helen not a little. She did not herself care especially for children, on general principles: but Jim's child—Jim's little daughter! She would bring it up with her own Alice, and it should be a new and powerful link to bind her brother to her more closely than ever. Poor little motherless mite! It should never know the lack of a mother—she and Jim would see to that! And wherever his child was, there would be his home and his heart.

The house did not look like the house of mourning. The blinds were all up.

Jim's sister-in-law—her name was Mary—met Helen at the door. She had done everything there was to be done. She was very calm and self-contained, and Helen felt miles away from her, in spite of their common sorrow.

The baby was to be christened that afternoon. Jim was upstairs in the nursery now, with the child. Helen's heart tightened with passionate feeling. She longed to leave this quiet woman, and to rush to those to whom she loved, to claim them—hers! But while she still sat, controlling herself, a step sounded on the stairs, and Jim came in.

"Why, Nell, you here," he said, almost in his old voice. And Helen was ashamed of the sob which broke from her as she saw his face—so changed in these few short days—so worn with grief and watching.

Later, when they had talked things over quietly—Jim was very quiet, and unselfishly concerned as always for the comfort of every one but himself—she asked if she might see the baby.

Her brother started a little. "Of course, of course," he said. I forgot that you had not seen her. She was just waking up when I came down."

He rang the bell, and the nurse came in presently with the little thing in her arms.

Helen took her from the nurse. "You may go," she said. "I will send for you presently."

The feeling of a baby in the arms—the soft, warm, helpless bundle—no woman can withstand the mysterious influence of this appeal. Helen responded to it with all the ardor of her impulsive nature. Her brother watched her as she stood looking down at the child with tears in her eyes. Then he turned away to the window.

"Do you want her, Helen?" he asked, very low.

"Want her? Of course I do!" she cried passionately. "I feel as if she were mine already. Oh, Jim, you need not give her up, you know—she will be always yours; but you will let me have her to take care of and keep for you. We will be so tender of her, you and I—we will never let her miss her mother's love.

He did not reply for a moment. Then he spoke again, with something of an effort, and dully, his face still averted.

"Mary wants her, too?" he said.

Helen's heart gave a great leap, indignant, apprehensive, defiant.

"Oh, Jim," she said; all her protest was in the words and in her voice as she spoke them. It was no use to argue with Jim. Gentle as he was argument had always made him obstinate. He would do as he chose. To ignore the question—not to admit that there was a question—that was the best way with him. But even while she stood there with the child in her arms, and the appeal still in her face, Mary entered the room.

She looked quickly, comprehendingly at Helen and Jim, at the child in the other woman's arms. Then she spoke without prelude, her voice quiet, yet singularly breathless.

"We have no children," she said. "We have never had a child, John and I. We have always wanted one. And this is Katherine's, my only sister's child. It would be like my own to me—what my own might have been—"

"But it is Jim's child," Helen broke in, "and Jim is my brother. I have a little daughter of my own, too, and she will be a sister to this one. They will be brought up together in Jim's home. No one could be what I can to Jim's child!"

Unconsciously she pressed the little creature closer as she spoke, and she broke into a sudden cry. The dull quiet of Jim's face changed and gave way. His hand clenched itself at his side.

"Katherine," he said, with a groan, "Poor little Katherine!"

His voice broke; and Helen, hearing that and seeing in his face what she had not seen there before, the despairing anguish of a strong man whose grief forces itself through the iron bands of his self-control, forgot all else but him.

She laid the baby down hastily upon the sofa beside her, and ran to him.

"Oh!" putting her hands on his arm and laying her cheek upon it.

But Mary went swiftly and stealthily to the sofa and gathered the baby in her arms. She hushed its whimpering cry, lulled and fondled and talked to it with low murmurs and caresses of tenderness. She was still hanging over the little creature, absorbed and unconscious of the others, when Jim left his sister and crossed the room to her. She looked up and startled, that expression still upon her face. "Give her to me!" said the child's father, almost roughly. And taking it in his arms, he carried it quickly out of the room.

"It's for him to decide," said Mary, simply, after a little pause

"Yes," Helen assented. She was content to hold her peace after that. It was for Jim to decide, and she had little fear as to the result.

. . . .

The Vicar's low voice, the stately phrases of the baptismal service, sounded solemnly in the silence.

Helen bowed her head, and could not see for tears. There was a little stir among the others. The child's father, very white and quiet, had taken her from the nurse and given her himself into the arms of the clergyman. He was an old man, dry and lifeless as a withered leaf, but there was a tremor in his voice as he gave the child back to her father. He took her, and with bowed head went quickly towards his sister-in-law, to Mary, and laying the child in her arms, stood there beside her until the last prayer had been said and the last "Amen" had fallen with inexpressible melancholy and pathos upon the deepened hush.

With characteristic energy and self-control, Helen hid her feelings deep within her heart, and showed, throughout the rest of that day, a composure and sweetness which would have deceived any but those who knew her best. Within herself she was saying passionately that she would never forgive her brother. Her disappointment was too keen, her sense of all it meant to her too deep and bitter. But for the moment she could but accept it silently, graciously, as she knew the other woman would have done in her place.

In the evening, when Jim and his sister were left alone together at last for a moment in the library, he went over to Helen by the fire and took her hand.

"You are disappointed, Helen?" he asked.

She could not trust herself to speak, but stood looking down in a silence that was all too eloquent to the brother who understood her so well.

"You must forgive me, dear," he said. "It was hard, Helen. Heaven knows—but there was just one thing that settled it for me. I was thinking of Katherine—of the baby—and—I saw it plainly enough—you women cannot keep anything out of your faces, you know; Helen, you wanted—me; but Mary wanted—the baby!"

The unsparing inevitable appeal of the truth went home to Helen's heart. She acknowledged it in silence, looking straight into her brother's eyes—sad, earnest, unwavering.

And then she broke down and cried, with her face against his arm, and woman like, forgave him.—Margaret Johnson.

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For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, Jan. 28, 1905.

Washington is in the midst of its very busy season—a little daily legislation nightly and midnightly entertainments at the White House, by members of the Cabinet, by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, by the Vice-President, and at the homes of such Members and Senators as can afford the enormous expense. The Capital City is becoming more and more a center, or shall we call it a Mecca for delegations. They come here and hold sessions for three or four days, relieved by visits to the Capitol and Mount Vernon, and always by a call on the President to whom the spokesman makes a formal speech to which the President always has something to say in reply. The most conspicuous delegation of the week has been that of the Episcopal bishops, who wished the President to join the anti-divorce propaganda. The President's remarks were diplomatic. He said, "One of the most unpleasant and dangerous features of our American life is the diminishing birth rate, and the loosening of the marital tie among the old native American families." And further he went on to say that while he did not know what the bishops would have him do in the matter of divorce, he would give his word to do all he could toward lessening the evil. The President, it is said, has frequently expressed himself on this subject to his friends, but this is the first time he has dealt with it in a public address. From all that has emanated from the White House on the themes of the tariff and railroad rate legislation, the country may have thought that these questions were in the President's opinion of first importance, but he said in his address to the Bishops that the "tariff and the currency are of literally no importance, whatsoever compared with the vital question of having the unit of our social life, the home, preserved," and furthermore that "public men are apt to get their attention concentrated on questions (life tariffs, etc.) that have a wholly exphemeral importance compared with the questions that go straight to the roots of matters."

The Interchurch Committee sitting in Washington headed by Bishop Doane represents thirteen leading protestant ecclesiastical bodies. A more representative body of churchmen probably never assembled, some of the most distinguished clergymen, and laymen in the country being present.

Former lieutenant Hobson of Spanish war, and kissing fame, has broken loose once more. He wrote to the Alabama delegation in Congress some months ago about "Paramount importance of immediate adoption of a progressive naval programme" and "Why America should hold a Naval Supremacy," and he thought so much of these letters that he has had them printed in pamphlet form and sent in drifts to members of Congress, public men and clubs throughout the country. In them he sets forth a need for a Naval appropriation that makes our economical congress turn pale. Sixty million dollars, he estimates is the minimum sum we can spend on new ships, and still hold up our head before other nations.

Adams.

Telephone Girls.

"O yes:" said the telephone girl, "Its all very well for the typewriter girl to tell us how we ought to behave, and its all very well for the men to swear at us through the phone, but they don't know anything about our trials. Yes, I saw that in the newspaper about the Kansas City telephone girl, who halloed so sweetly that everybody fell in love with her and I don't believe a word of it. But if it is true she is the one exception to prove the rule.

"Who could be sweet with everybody in town howling and screaming at her and blaming her for everything. Besides, we are cross, we do answer back and try to stand up for ourselves. I tried to be sweet one day when I first came into the service—just one day—I never tried it again, everybody called me 'dumpling,' 'precious' and 'angel' through the phone.

"They would not have dared if I had been face to face with them. It is no use scolding about the crossness of the telephone girls. In nine cases out of ten we are as sweet as can be. We only pretend to be cranky in self defense."

His Best Girl.

In a New York paper is an account of a travelling man who was seen by his companions to kiss a letter he had just received. They declared that it was not from his wife, and he finally admitted to them that it was from his best girl. After considerable badgering he consented to let them read it, and this was the letter:—

"My owen deer Pa Pa, I sa mi P Rairs every nite wen I kiss yure Pitchure I Ask god to bless you good Bi Pa Pa youre best gurl. Dolly."

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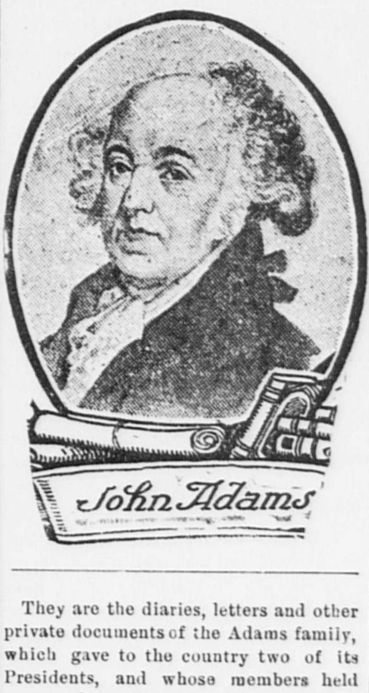
A Valuable Collection.

In the handsome house of the Massachusetts historical society, at the corner of Boylston st., and the Fenway, in the new Back Bay district of Boston, is preserved one of the most valuable collections of historical family papers in the world.



They are the diaries, letters and other private documents of the Adams family, which gave to the country two of its Presidents, and whose members held commanding positions in the affairs of the nation for more than 100 years from its founding.

Probably no other family in the world, outside royalty, ever accumulated such a valuable and continuous collection of historical papers; certainly none in America has one approaching them in extent or importance.

The papers for many years, until a comparatively recent date, were kept in a small detached library building on the old Adams estate in Quincy. The responsibility of guarding them from fire, thieves and decay, in such a place, and the advance of time, which increased the number of persons having interest and rights in them, by inheritance, made necessary the consideration of some plan for their future safeguarding in a more suitable place.

After deliberation on the subject by representatives of the family, it was decided to create a trust for the guardianship of the papers. The trust was formed, to consist of five members. It was decided that the Massachusetts historical society was best suited to be permanent custodian of the papers under the trust, and that society was given representation on the board.

The papers were removed to the house of the society more than a year ago. There they have been put in a separate room, where, having long ago been bound into volumes, they are ranged on shelves. Access to this room may be had only by persons engaged in serious literary or historical research, and even then there are parts of the collection that are not open to inspection.

These sealed parts contain papers of a private nature, family letters and the like, that have been separated from the papers relating to public affairs, and have been set aside as sacred to the members of the Adams family. Some time they may see the light of day, in the interest of history, but for the present no curious searcher for literary treasure will be permitted to look on them.

The papers embrace three distinct groups, namely, those of John Adams (1735-1826), second President of the United States; those of John Quincy Adams (1767-1848), his son, sixth President, and those of Charles Francis Adams, Sr., (1807-1886), son of John Quincy, and war minister to England.

Father, son and grandson was each in his time a minister to England. The first two negotiated treaties of peace with England, the former after the revolution and the latter after the war of 1812, while the third sat on the tribunal that fixed the Alabama award at Geneva in 1872, by which award England paid $15,000,000 to the United States for the depredations of confederate cruisers in the civil war.

The papers cover men and events during the periods of these historic services very fully and intimately. Those of John Adams begin in the turbulent times in the colonies, when as a young lawyer, he took an active part in the patriotic demonstrations of the colonists and was chief legal adviser of the patriot party.

They then cover the period of his career as delegate to the first continental congress, in which he drafted the "declaration of colonial rights;" in the second continental congress, in which he proposed Washington for command of the army, drew up the resolutions inviting the colonies to form an independent government and seconded the motion of Richard Henry Lee of Virginia for the declaration of independence.

Following his service as chairman of the provisional board of war and ordinance under the new government, they go on to record his experiences in France, where he was commissioner of the government with Franklin, in 1778-9, straightening out by his methodical business habits the financial affairs of the commission, and finally advising the government to make the commission single-headed, with Franklin as commissioner.

The next important period treated is Mr. Adams' service as the unrecognized minister of his country in Holland, where, in spite of all obstacles, he secured the recognition of the United States in 1782, negotiated a Dutch loan of $2,000,000, and a treaty of amity and commerce.

Then comes the period in which Mr. Adams was one of the commissioners at Paris for negotiating the treaty of peace with Great Britain. Following are his writings in the other great chapters of his life—as our first minister to Great Britain, 1785-1788, as the first vice president of the United States, and as President, 1796-1800. There are also numerous papers written in the serene retirement in which Mr. Adams spent the last years of his life at Quincy. He was a voluminous and accomplished writer, and though his "Life and Works," published in 1856, contains his most important papers on public affairs, the private collection owned by the family contains many more than have been given to the world.

The papers of John Quincy Adams begin with his service as our first recognized minister to Holland (1794), follow his career as minister to Prussia in 1797-1801, as a member of the Massachusetts senate in 1802 and of the U. S. senate in 1803, and as our first recognized minister to Russia, 1809-1814.

Next are covered his services as a commissioner, negotiating the second treaty of peace with Great Britain at Ghent in 1814, as secretary of state in the cabinet of President Monroe, during which service he secured the cession of Florida from Spain, and was the principal author of the so-called Monroe doctrine. His administration as President, 1824-1828, and his career as a member of congress from Massachusetts from 1831 to 1848 are also fully covered.

The papers of Charles Francis Adams deal with his service in the Massachusetts legislature from 1831 to 1836, his service in congress from 1858 to 1861, his highly important labors as war minister to Great Britain, 1861-1868, and his service on the Alabama claims commission.

Most of the labor of classifying and arranging the papers, a task calling for patience, and a judicial sorting of those of public interest from those wholly or partly private, was done by Charles Francis Adams, while editing his grandfather's papers, in the early 50s. Since then the classification has been completed by other members of the family.

Her Way.

A Glasgow servant girl went home a few evenings ago with her head wrapped up in a shawl.

Her young mistress asked her what ailed her, and was told that she was suffering from a bad attack of toothache brought on by sitting in the park.

"But you ought not to sit on such a cold, chilly night as this, said the mistress. "You should walk at a smart pace."

The girl looked at her a minute, as though pitying her ignorance, and then answered:

"You canna coort right walking; you must sit down."—London Spare Moments.

Very Ignorant.

On one occasion a junior counsel, on their lordships giving judgment against his client, exclaimed that he was surprised at their decision. This was construed into a contempt of court, and the young barrister was ordered to attend at the bar the next morning. Fearful of the consequences, he consulted his friend, John Scott (afterwards Lord Eldon), who told him to be perfectly at ease, for he would apologize for him in a way that would avert any unpleasant result. Accordingly when the name of the delinquent was called, Scott rose and cooly addressed the judges. "I am very sorry, my lords," he said, "that my young friend has so far forgotten himself as to treat your lordships with disrespect; he is extremely penitent, and you will kindly ascribe his unintentional insult to his ignorance. You must see at once that it did originate in that. He said he was surprised at the decision of your lordships. Now, if he had not been ignorant of what takes place in this court every day—had he known you but half so long as I have done—he would not be surprised at anything you did."—The Green Bag.

A Woman's Views on Money.

"Do you like money, Miss Eagan?" I asked her, and then she smiled. It was a reflective smile purely and didn't express the least surprise.

"Well," she said, "it's a good thing to have around the house," and then it was my turn to smile. "Money in itself," she continued, "gives me no pleasure, except in so far as it relates to the success of my plans. There is a pleasure in accomplishment that money testifies to but does not measure. When I have a hundred dollars I want all with it that it will buy, and when I have only a dollar it will buy all that I want."—National Magazine.

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Crossing Fatality.

There was a frightful accident at the Saville street railroad crossing near the Quincy depot Thursday night when a young man and young woman were struck by the outward train and one if not both fatally injured.

The victims of the accident were Julius Nelson, a tailor living at 33 Revere road, and Signa Gustafson, a Swedish domestic living at 144 Cranch street.

The young couple had been attending a dance at the Coliseum, and were on their way home. From what could be learned, it appears that when they came to the railroad crossing an inward freight train was going through on the easterly track. They stood on the outward or westerly track, waiting for it to pass, when the train due from Boston at 11.49 struck them.

The outward train was running slowly at the time, and but for this, they would both probably have been instantly killed. The train was brought to a stop, and the bodies taken from beneath the train.

It was seen that the man was the most seriously injured, for while he was conscious, and must have been suffering intense pain, he did not utter a groan.

It was seen that one if not both of his legs had been crushed and a tourniquet was applied to check the bleeding.

It was also seen that the girl's foot had been badly crushed. She was conscious and moaned piteously while waiting for the ambulance to arrive.

Officers Burrell and Milford and Inspector Bradley were at the depot and lost no time in calling the ambulance and physicians. Dr. C. W. Garey was the first physician to arrive, and he did what was possible to alleviate their sufferings, and accompanied them to the hospital.

The girl was placed on a baggage truck and wheeled across the track and placed in Hall's ambulance, while the man was placed on a stretcher and placed in the police ambulance.

Other physicians had been summoned by telephone and Dr. Hunting, Dr. McLellan, Dr. Ellsworth and Dr. Sargent soon arrived, and with Dr. Garey were soon at work dressing the injuries.

It was found that the right leg of the girl had the skin scraped off from the knee down, and that her right foot was so badly crushed that it had to be amputated. Besides this she suffered a severe nervous shock.

The man was much more seriously injured. His right leg was so badly crushed that it had to be amputated above the knee. His left leg was also badly crushed and two toes of the left foot were cut off.

The surgeons worked over the two victims until nearly 4 A. M.

At that time it was thought the girl would recover but it was doubtful if the man would live until morning.

At the hospital yesterday it was learned that the man died at 7 o'clock. The girl's condition was said to be serious.

The Gustafson girl was about 20 years of age and Nelson was 21.

The Saville street crossing is one of the worst grade crossings in the city, and the railroad company keeps a flagman at the crossing at all hours of the day and night. There has been some criticism today as to how it was that the flagman did not prevent the accident.

It appears however that there was quite a party came from the hall at the same time with the unfortunate ones, but the most of them remained back where it was safe. The flagman was near the gate house where he went to operate his signals. He saw the danger of the couple and shouted to them to keep back.

Others in the party also saw the danger, and shouted to the couple. Whether they did not hear the warning shouts, or whether they became confused, is not known, for in less time than it take to tell, the train bore down upon them.

There was another man who stood near the couple, and he jumped just in time to save himself.

The bodies were thrown quite a distance and if the train had not slowed down they would have been carried much further.

While waiting for the ambulance George B. Gavin, who resides on Irving place, brought out some blankets to lay them on.

Mr. Nelson lived with his sister, Mrs. Annie Johnson on Revere road, who was with him when he died. He was conscious almost to the last moment and talked to her five minutes before he died. He also left another sister who resides on Cranch screet. He had an appointment with a life insurance agent for Friday when he was to take out a policy.

Miss Gustafson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gustafson of 144 Cranch street and she has four sisters. She was employed in Boston as a domestic.

Ladies' Night.

It was "ladies' night" at the Granite City club Thursday evening, and in place of billiards and cards there was an entertainment and dance. Although the affair was nominally in charge of the entertainment committee, each individual number constituted himself a committee of one and saw that nothing was left undone that would add to the pleasure of the evening.

They succeeded admirably and the affair was pronounced a social success.

The spacious rooms of the club on the upper floor of the Savings Bank building, always attractive, were never more so than on this occasion. Potted plants, ferns and cut flowers were tastefully arranged about the rooms, the light evening gowns of the ladies and the conventional evening costumes of the gentlemen serving to add additional color to the scene.

The evening's pleasure opened with a entertainment in Colonial hall, where an amusing program was rendered by Chick Fox, assisted by Mr. Nichols, Mr. Billings and Mr. O'Connors. While the guests were assembling Poole's orchestra rendered pleasing music. The entertainment program was as follows:

End Song	Mr. Nichols
End Song	Mr. Billings
End Song	Mr. Fox
Musical Monologue	Mr. Nichols
Experiences of "Spaff an' I"	Mr. Billings
Irish Character Songs	Mr. Fox
Assisted by Mr. Nichol	
Pianist	Mr. O'Connors

At the conclusion of the entertainment, an adjournment was made to the club rooms, when light refreshments were served.

In the meantime Colonial hall had been made ready for dancing which was continued until 11.30.

The matrons at the dance were Mrs. Frederick E. Jones, Mrs. Joseph C. Morse and Mrs. James H. Penniman, and the ushers were John P. Bainbridge, Dr. F. S. Andrews, Dr. Clayton R. Marstin and William R. Thomas.

The entertainment committee under whose direction the affair was given were: Ernest W. Saunders, Walter G. McConnell and Charles H. Penniman.

CITY BRIEFS.

About a month to Lent.

Over a week of sleighing.

C. L. Prescott was busy all day Sunday cutting ice on Butlers pond.

Miss Jessie L. Webb is confined to her home on Washington street by sickness.

Rev. Mr. Jones of Bridgewater was the guest of Rev. E. C. Butler last week.

Master Eaton Perkins of Cherry avenue is convalescing from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Miss Harriet Johnson of Chestnut street, Boston, has been visiting Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Butler.

Miss Mattie Holton of Edwards street has accepted a position to teach in a New Hampshire school.

The postponed whist party of the L. A. S. will be held in G. A. R. hall next Wednesday evening.

A thirty-foot addition is being built on the rear end of the St. Frances Catholic church at Houghs Neck.

Mrs. William A. Hodges left Monday for Hartford, Conn., for a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Hunt.

It is expected that the Sewer department will be turned over to Commissioner of Public Works next Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Butler attended the reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Ames, of Whitney road, on Wednesday.

Mr. Florrie Gould, formerly of Quincy, but now of Maine, is calling on old friends in this city for a few days.

William Norteman has the foundation in for a new house off Sea street in the rear of the Quincy Yacht club house.

The days are over ten hours long and increasing two or three minutes daily. They have already increased an hour.

Mrs. Wilson Tisdale and daughter left on Tuesday for Los Angeles, California, and will be absent several months.

The Norfolk South District Medical Society held a business meeting and dinner at the United States Hotel, Boston, on Thursday.

A State agent was at City Hall, Monday, examining persons who receive State aid. A similar examination is to be held every two years.

Contractor W. R. Lofgren commenced work with a large gang of men, Monday to complete the six apartment house on Revere road.

New type has been secured for the N. Y., N. H. & R. R. timetable in the Patriot, and the plain figures will probably be appreciated.

B. H. Prescott of Lynn, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Prescott since Christmas returned home Sunday, somewhat improved in health.

A report from Quincy was read on Sunday at a meeting of the Boiler Makers' District Council, No. 7, held in Boston, but no delegates were present.

Miss Blanche Fairweather, nurse at the City Hospital, is taking a much needed rest and has gone to her home at Sussex, St. Johns, N. B., for two weeks.

A. F. Hall, the grocer, has moved from the Keating building on Washington street to 1609 Hancock street, the store formerly occupied by J. W. Johnson.

Adolph Osgood, who underwent an operation at the City Hospital some five weeks ago, is slowly improving, and was removed to his home on Elm street on Saturday.

The new bowling alleys of the Y. M. C. A. are now ready for use. The outfit includes a pair of Narragansett standard conforming to all regulations. The gymnasium outfit is now complete.

"Educational Broth," the new book by Frederic Allison Tupper, which is commended by the highest educational authorities, may be obtained of the Charles E. Lauriat Company of Boston.

Commissioner Knowlton was a guest and one of the speakers at the banquet of the Massachusetts City Messengers Club at the Revere House, Boston, on Saturday. City Messenger Tirrell attended.

The many friends and acquaintances of Mrs. Thomas H. Plumer, mother of C. M. Jenness of Hancock street, will be sorry to learn of her death which occurred at Rye, N. H., after several months' sickness.

Charles M. Jenness has given a bond for $8,000, as administrator de bonis non of the estate of Thos. H. Plumer, deceased. The bond was given by the American Surety Company of New York, through George H. Brown, its attorney.

A degree staff of the A. O. H. from Quincy conferred the four degrees upon fifty candidates Sunday for Division 32 at South Boston. The work was witnessed by County President Dillon and officers of Suffolk, Middlesex and Norfolk counties.

Vincent C. Saunders has qualified as guardian of Hannah Blee by filing a bond for $2,000 with the judge of the Probate Court. The bond was given by the American Surety Company of New York, through its attorney, George H. Brown of this city.

President Clarke of Brockton and Secretary Driscoll have been assigned by the Central Labor union of Boston to assist the teamsters' union of Quincy in organizing and unionizing work in Braintree and Weymouth, over which they have jurisdiction.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Miss Eva Russell of Everett and Mr. James Francis Little of Quincy on Tuesday, Jan. 24, at Everett. Mr. and Mrs. Little will live in Everett, and will be at home at 130 Summer street after March 1.

The friends of Miss Mary Marden are glad to hear that she has so far recovered from her recent illness as to be able to be moved Tuesday from the Quincy Hospital, where she has been for the past five weeks, to the home of her sister, Mrs. B. B. Russell of Brockton.

Ex-Mayor Hall appeared at the reciprocity hearing at the State House on Wednesday, and spoke in favor of the Governor's recommendation. Other speakers were Henry M. Whitney, Eugene N. Foss, Charles L. Underhill of Somerville, Michael J. Murray, Osborne Howes and William H. Lincoln, all for reciprocity.

Miss Mary E. Dearborn, the principal of the Coddington school, returned Monday from a month's leave of absence. She found teachers and pupils glad to see her. The pupils in her room had placed a pretty bouquet of pinks on her desk, and one of the teachers presented a potted plant. Miss Dearborn's sister at Manchester, N. H., is now convalescent.

Miss Mamie Blake of Cottage street is confined to the house with the grip.

The new month has started in true to the prediction of the last Friday of of January.

Mr. William H. Gould is entertaining his father and brother from South Hiram, Maine.

The many friends of Mrs. Isabelle Davis will regret to learn of her illness with scarlet fever.

The telephone company is repainting the iron pipes leading to the underground conduits.

Mrs. E. C. Butler has recently been the guest of Mrs. Henry Endicott, Marlborough street, Boston.

A. C. Pettee of Weymouth Heights is recovering from his recent illness and will soon be around again.

The shock occasioned by the sudden death of her brother, Thomas Smith, has prostrated Mrs. Calvin T. Dyer.

Commissioner Knowlton has been taking Mr. Burke, the new commissioner, about the city giving him pointers.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Yacht club will be held this evening in the Council chamber, City Hall.

News of the death of Miss Magdeline Burns of Braintree comes as a sad surprise to her many young friends in this city.

Mrs. Helen Bass has just returned from Philadelphia where she went to attend the funeral of Miss Josephine M. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Porter of of Lexington and Boston were, over Sunday, guests at the Porter home on Adams street.

At the billiard tournament at the Granite City Club, Tuesday evening Dr. C. W. Garey beat W. W. Mitchell in a handicap game, 125 to 132.

There is a project in the air for the formation of a Woman's club in Quincy, our city being far behind her sister cities in this respect. Due notice will be given next week.

The committee on metropolitan affairs of the Legislature has reported a bill authorizing the Metropolitan Park commissioners to take certain land in Randolph near the Quincy line.

A heavy piece of machinery for the Street Railway power station at Quincy Point passed through City Square on Wednesday drawn by sixteen horses, four abreast. The machinery was on two large sleds side by side.

Among those leaving Boston Tuesday for southern California with the Raymond tourists were Mrs. Wilson Tisdale and Miss Beatrice Tisdale of Quincy and Mr. and Mrs. Alexis E. Frye of Cambridge.

The case of John Sheahan, the sewer contractor, against the city, is still on trial at Salem. The case bids fair to be a long drawn out affair. The case commenced Jan. 26 and Mr. Sheahan was the first witness. His examination was not completed until Wednesday noon.

Mrs. John F. Welch of Hancock street entertains the Friday club at her home on Friday afternoon of next week. Under the direction of Mrs. Dexter Emerson Wadsworth "Charles Darwin," will prove an interesting subject for papers and discussion.

Rural lodge of Masons will hold the first of a series of entertainments at the Masonic apartments in the Court House on Tuesday evening next. It will include readings by Miss Beatrice R. Walker of this city, a pupil of Leland Powers, music by the Harvard Quartette, dancing and other attractions.

The patrons of Miss Florence N. Locke appreciate her new rooms next to the Patriot office, and are keeping her pretty busy even though the weather is rather cold for shampoos, and the like. Quincy ladies appreciate up-to-date parlors of this kind preferring to have their work done here rather than in Boston.

Members of the Cochato club, Braintree, are hoping that Sunday's fire will not interfere with the grand reception and dance announced for Tuesday evening, February the seventh. This is the one evening in the club series of entertainments to which members look forward annually and is always the event of the season.

Quincy theatre goers do not have pleasant anticipations when going on the 7.12 train for it is invariably late necessitating hurrying when Boston is reached and then missing part of the play. Tuesday night a disabled engine delayed the train until nearly half-past eight so that some took the 8.24 back to Quincy instead of going to the theatre.

The younger portion of First church Sunday school are looking forward to the next entertainment in the Social club course, which will be a children's party at Faxon hall on Friday February tenth. There will be a good time for the children from six until eight, after which there will be a dance until eleven o'clock for club members and friends. This will be the only entertainment this month in the club series.

Plans for forming a woman's club in Quincy are well under way and a meeting of those interested in the movement is to be held on Tuesday afternoon, February 14th, at Bethany chapel. There is some talk of securing the Jeffrey Brackett house on Goffe street for a club house. The club will be on broad lines for the general uplifting of the city and it is hoped ladies from all parts of Quincy will become interested.

The February meeting of the Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, will be held on Monday afternoon the sixth with Miss Annie L. Prescott of Spear street. The hostesses of the afternoon are Mrs. Frank F. Prescott, Mrs. Francis Guild Mayo, Miss Harriet B. Pierce and Miss Prescott. During the social hour Miss Edith Randall will read a paper on Florence, the home of Americus Vespucius and there will be cornet solos by Miss Pierce.

A Taunton item in the Globe reports August Hoffman, Jr., of that city and Miss Annie Fastner of Quincy to have been married at the Immaculate Conception church Wednesday, before a large number of relatives and friends. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. McNamara. A wedding reception, held after the ceremony at the residence of the groom on Bay street, was attended by hundreds of friends of the newly-married couple from Taunton and other places.

Rev. A. A. Ellsworth of this city, who is supplying the pulpit of the First Congregational church at Yarmouth, reports two large schooners on the beach within half a mile of the church, being driven ashore during the last storm. The Bath four master can be easily reached at low tide and is visited by many. The other, a new three master of 2800 tons, was making her second voyage. She seems to be on the centre of a large field at low tide. Her cost was $145,000 and it may be impossible to float her.

Twelve Quincy deaths are reported since the last issue of the Patriot, an unusually large number.

Dr. J. A. Gordon left the first of the week for the West Indies. Dr. Burke has the charge of his practice.

Mrs. Minnie L. Bosworth, of 32 Elm street, who has been sick several weeks, passed away yesterday morning.

Mrs. William E. Gardner gave a reception on Wednesday afternoon to the women of Christ church parish, at the rectory, which was largely attended.

The February meeting of the Quincy Day Nursery association will be held on Tuesday afternoon the seventh, at three o'clock in the Council chamber, City hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter E. Wadsworth have sailed from Jamaica and are expected home in a few days. It is hoped they will not arrive in a blizzard such as they sailed out of Boston in.

A Boston paper reports that the ground hog was out on Candlemas day but cast no shadow. Many thought the sun was shining brightly all day. There is a saying also, that as far as the sun shines in on Candlemas day, the snow will blow in. The prediction is not very encouraging for an early spring.

The lecture in First Church chapel on Monday evening by Rev. Daniel Munro Wilson of Northfield, Mass., under the auspices of the Quincy Historical society, is sure to interest Quincy people generally as he has chosen a local subject: "Scots in early Quincy History and other Historical Thrums." Members of the society and the public are cordially invited to attend the lecture.

The annual meeting and dinner of the Boston Alumni Association of the University of Maine, of which Samuel D. Thompson of this city is secretary, will be held at Hotel Bellevue, Boston, Saturday evening, March 4. Among the invited guests are: Dr. George Emory Fellows, President of the University; Hon. Henry Lord, president of the board of trustees; Hon. E. B. Winslow, a member of the board of trustees; Will R. Howard, '82, a prominent alumnus; Prof. William D. Hurd, of the University faculty; and Rev. William W. Bustard, a prominent clergyman of Roxbury and former coach of the Maine baseball team.

WEST QUINCY.

St. Mary's church is to hold a coffee party and operetta at St. Mary's hall next week. The operetta "Red Riding Hood" will be held on Tuesday evening and the coffee party Wednesday evening.

Evangelistic services are being held every night this week at the West Quincy Methodist church. They are conducted by Rev. Dr. Stratton.

Whist was played as usual Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hawes on West street by the Monday Night whist club. Exceptionally high scores were made by Mr. Hawes and Miss Annie Schneider, who won very handsome prizes, having 64 and 62 respectively. Vocal and instrumental music followed by members of the club, who have lately joined, and concluded a very enjoyable evening.

Miss Elizabeth C. Thomas, who underwent an operation for appendicitis several weeks ago, has resumed her duties as teacher at the Gridley Bryant school.

Miss Gove, the matron at the Day Nursery, was recently awarded a valuable silk quilt at a fair in Brockton, for the nearest guess on the number of beans in a bottle. Her guess was 1109 and the count showed 1113.

Jules Martell, an employe at LaPage quarry, dropped dead in the blacksmith shop at the quarry Saturday. Medical Examiner Jones, who was called, pronounced his death as due to an acute dilatation of the heart. Mr. Martell was about 56 years of age and lived on Hall place. He leaves several children.

Mrs. John Reynold, who died in Weymouth on Tuesday, was brought to West Quincy on Thursday for interment.

During December 142 children were cared for at the Quincy Day Nursery on Copeland street. The largest number in any one month was in November—176. The average is now 7 or 8, and Miss Gove is giving excellent satisfaction as matron.

The annual meeting of the Granite Railway Co. was held in Boston on Tuesday and the following officers were chosen:—President, Dr. John A. Lamson; Vice President, William S. Patten; Treasurer, J. Albert Simpson; Directors, John A. Lamson, William S. Patten, Henry M. Faxon, Luther S. Anderson, Stillman P. Williams, Henry H. Kimball and John A. Stanton.

West Quincy is very much elated over the appointment of Thomas F. Burke as Commissioner of Public Works.

A series of five games of basket ball has been arranged between the St. Marys and Dorchesters.

The new heating and ventilating system recently installed at the Willard school building is working finely and giving perfect satisfaction. Not only is every room in the building properly heated and ventilated, but it is said that the saving in coal will be nearly one hundred tons per year.

Boller Bernardio who shot Antonio St. Juliano at 100 Copeland street, Jan. 25, was given a hearing Friday morning before Judge Avery in the district court. No facts in addition to those already published, in the Patriot, were brought out. The court found probable cause to believe Bernardio guilty and held him in $2,000 for the grand jury.

The St. Mary's basket ball team was defeated Thursday evening at St. Mary's hall by the All-German team of Buffalo, N. Y., by the score of 25 to 20. Kiley's Colts defeated the Wogglebugs 7 to 4.

Mayor Thompson of Quincy, has appointed Col. Thomas F. Burke, of West Quincy, Commissioner of Public Works, and as soon as the announcement was made bonfires were started on every high spot in the city in recognition of the event. Col. Burke has been identified with Quincy Republican politics for years, and sometimes he spreads out over Norfolk county, and when he gets into the harness, there is something doing. We predict that the Colonel will make a first class commissioner, and we congratulate him on his appointment.—Hyde Park Gazette.

Quarrymen Agree.

An agreement was signed Thursday night by the two committees representing the Granite Manufacturers' Association and Quarrymen's Union, and there will be no trouble in this branch of the granite business.

The quarrymen who have been working under no special bill of prices, asked for a minimum wage of 27 1-2 cents per hour, time and a half for overtime, and double time for Sundays and holidays.

The agreement signed is to run for three years from March 1. It provide for an average wage of 26 cents per hour, and regular pay for overtime, Sundays and holidays.

There is also a clause in the agreement which provides for arbitration upon any matters upon which the two associations cannot agree.

WOLLASTON.

The Ladies' Musical Club will meet at Mrs. James J. Lord, Brook street on Monday evening January the sixth at eight o'clock.

The Ladies' Musical club of Wollaston announce that Rosabelle C. Temple, who has been directing the club this winter, will give one of her charming concert-lectures in the Congregational church Tuesday evening, Feb. 28. She will be assisted by Anna Ellis Texter, soprano; Anna Echhorn, violinist, and the Ladies' club will sing several numbers.

Mrs. M. D. Simmons of Brook street, Wollaston, entertained her whist club on Wednesday afternoon. Twenty ladies were present, mostly from Boston and the suburbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Page of Wollaston announce the engagement of their daughter Miss Julia Madeline, to Mr. Harry R. Doane of Wollaston.

Characteristic American songs will interest the Unity club members at their next meeting on Friday evening the tenth, in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry. There will be papers on Negro melodies and national airs under the able direction of Mrs. Albert R. Moulton, also some fine singing in keeping with the evening's program.

Mrs. Jesse I. Litchfield and little daughter Sylvia, of Brook street, Wollaston, are anticipating a trip to Buffalo soon to visit Mrs. Litchfield's sister, Mrs. Frederick Potter.

Rev. Frank W. Pratt, of Wollaston, who was recently invited to succeed Rev. L. G. Wilson, as pastor of the Hopedale Memorial church, has decided to accept the call. Mr. Pratt read his resignation as pastor of the Wollaston Unitarian church, after the morning service on Sunday. He wishes the resignation to take effect the first of March. Much regret was expressed at the announcement for both Mr. and Mrs. Pratt have many friends in Wollaston, and it is felt that they will be a great loss to the church, and the community.

There was quite a lively fire Sunday morning at the residence of Stephen Maloney on North Central avenue, Wollaston. Mr. Maloney started a charcoal fire in the kitchen stove and went down cellar to fix the furnace. While down cellar sparks from the charcoal set fire to the woodwork. When he returned to the kitchen he found a lively blaze in progress. The lawn hose was brought into use and with the assistance of neighbors the fire was extinguished without sounding an alarm. It was a stubborn fight, however, and the kitchen was a wreck before the fire was extinguished.

H. W. Pinkham was Jan. 27 elected one of the delegates from Massachusetts to the United States convention of Cooperative banks to be held in New York next July.

A. J. Preston of Wollaston, who has been confined to the house the past two weeks, with pneumonia, is improving very slowly but will not be out for some time.

Miss Margaret Hall of Wollaston is ill with tonsilitis.

Mr. and Mrs. William Chase of Beach street, Wollaston, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. Olive T. White of South Yarmouth, widow of Rufus White, died on Sunday at the residence of Capt. J. F. Lewis on Winthrop avenue. She was 73 years of age.

Mrs. Herbert W. Lull, of Newport, R. I., mourns the death of her mother, Mrs. Lydia Ann Chase of Weare, N. H. Mrs. Chase passed away Thursday night, January 26, at the home of her daughter in Newport. She was in her eighty-second year.

A case of diphtheria is reported at Wollaston.

J. D. Kent, of 240 South Central avenue, celebrated his sixtieth birthday anniversary Monday evening by entertaining a few of his friends with a dinner and theatre party. Dinner was served at the Revere House, Boston, covers being laid for fourteen. After dinner the party witnessed the comic opera "A Madcap Princess" at the Colonial theatre.

Robert Jones, a well known citizen of Wollaston, died Tuesday at his home on South Central avenue, aged 66 years. Mr. Jones was a bookbinder by trade and carried on business in Boston. He was a member of several Masonic fraternities including De Molay commandery, Knights Templars. He was also a member of Bethsaida lodge of Odd Fellows of South Boston. He leaves a widow, a son and two daughters.

Guy Chadbourn, of Wollaston, has returned from Vermont, suffering with internal injuries received from being thrown from a sleigh. His injuries will keep him confined for the next two weeks.

It is with regret that the friends of Mrs. James H. Bodge, formerly of Wollaston, hear of the death of her youngest son, Percival N. Bodge, who passed away last Saturday, at his home in Bellows Falls, Vt. He was fifteen years old. While living in Wollaston he attended the Wollaston school and had many friends among the pupils.

Mrs. Frank A. Page, of Winthrop avenue, has the sympathy of a large circle of friends in the death of her mother, Mrs. Maria P. Lathrop, this morning.

A concert was given at the Wollaston Methodist church, Wednesday evening. Those who took part were—Mrs. Francis Clark Gooding, soprano, Miss Emily Enneking, violinist, Mr. Agustus Beatey basso, Miss Mabel Beatey, accompanist, and Mrs. Melissa S. Wellman, reader The program was very enjoyable, Mr. Beatey's selection being especially excellent and gaining well merited applause.

James H. Bennett passed away, Thursday morning, at his home on Arlington street, Wollaston. Mr. Bennett had a paralytic shock last June, and since then has been in a helpless condition, but has endured the months of suffering with great fortitude and patience. Mr. Bennett was in his seventy-third year. He leaves two sons, Edward Bennett of Berlin street, and George W. Bennett of Arlington street, also one daughter, Mrs. Butters of Somerville. The funeral services will be held Saturday, at 2 P. M., at the residence of his son, George Bennett.

A valentine and candy sale will be held in the vestry of the M. E. church, Wollaston, on Saturday, Feb. 11th.

Sleighing Party.

A merry party of young people, the Allendale club from Roslindale, made their third annual visit to Hotel Greenleaf on Tuesday night. After supper things were made lively in the parlors with music and dancing. They started home at 11.30 in gay spirits and planning to come again next year. The following guests were present, chaperoned by Dr. A. M. Alexander and wife: Mary F. Roberts, Laura F. Haley, Louise E. Bleiler, Katherine J. Keefe, Mary J. Driscoll, William B. Essler and wife, Martha H. Hinman, Julia M. Halligan, Frank J. Keefe, Joseph H. Peterson, William T. S. McJunker, Edward F. Coughlin, W. J. Driscoll, Herbert C. Beck and W. L. Roberts.

QUINCY POINT AND NECK.

M. H. Seller spent Sunday with his parents in Woburn.

Rev. L. H. Austin preached a very forcible sermon Sunday morning on the text: "What must I do to be saved?" Mr. Cummings, a member of the Handel and Haydn chorus, sang as a response, "O, Jesus, Thou art standing."

The Young Men's club at Quincy Point was disbanded Saturday night. A new club, however, will be organized immediately.

The world seems small sometimes. Four natives of Jerusalem arrived at Quincy Neck last week to get work at the Fore River Ship Building Co.'s yard.

The flow of surplus water from the hydrant at Winter street, after the fire formed a smooth coating of ice on East Howard street and was the cause of several accidents.

H. H. Lowe of Washington street is confined to the house by illness.

Charles, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tanner of East Howard street, is confined to the house by illness.

Some of the employes at the Fore River Shipbuilding Co., have formed a cooperative society and have opened a general store at the corner of Washington and North streets.

Clarence M. Hayes, an inspector at the street railway power plant at Quincy Point for the past two years, has been transferred to Gloucester, where he has charge of the reconstruction of the power plant of the Boston and Northern in that city.

Fire alarms from Ward Two are becoming numerous.

Master Charles Edmund Irish of East Howard street is suffering from a slight attack of the grip.

There seems to be considerable sickness among the children this winter. A number of little ones of Quincy Neck are housed up with bad colds.

J. Loftus, of Lynn, has accepted a position as machinist at the Fore River works.

C. Arthur Sampson has so far recovered from his recent attack of appendicitis, as to be able to go out-of-doors once more.

Andrew S. Odom will petition to have the City Council change the name of Pine street to Hannah street in honor of his wife.

C. Hoyt Greene, a driver of Lowe's express team, was quite severely injured Wednesday afternoon by a fall from his team. The team was standing near Peterson's store on Washington street. In some way Mr. Greene slipped and fell through the side curtain over the wheel to the ground, striking his head on the ice. He was attended by Dr. Bushnell who found that he had received a bad scalp wound in addition to a general shaking up. He was reported as comfortable this morning.

Nathaniel Moody of Silver street is confined to the house by illness.

Miss Parker, a graduate of Radcliffe college, is substituting at the Washington school in the absence of Miss Mary Marden.

Mrs. Percy Holman of South street has been called suddenly to her old home in Pennsylvania, by the news of her mother's death. Mrs. Holman has the deepest sympathy of her many friends and neighbors in this sad affliction.

The ladies of the Washington Street Congregational church served another one of their famous suppers in the vestry Thursday evening. The supper consisted of all kinds of pies, baked beans, etc., and there was an unusually large attendance. Following the supper was a very interesting program including selections by Wollaston Glee club, whistling solo by Miss Townsend, vocal solo by Joseph Byrne and readings by Miss Townsend. Miss Townsend came from Emerson's School of Oratory. Her readings were thoroughly enjoyed. The audience was delighted to hear Mr. Bryne again and his solo was heartily applauded. The selections by the Glee club were particularly good and they responded graciously to the hearty encores. Among the gentlemen to sing in the club were: Messrs. Byrne, Pollock, Page, Hayden, Linscott and Pollard. Miss Sara M. Kelley accompanied on the piano.

DOWNS AND PARK.

Mrs. William E. C. Thomas of Lunt street passed away on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Shea of Pierce street, Norfolk Downs, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter.

The Pine Tree State club of Quincy met at the home of Mrs. A. S. Robinson, Norfolk Downs, Thursday evening, Jan. 26th. The evening was passed in a social manner with readings by Miss Robinson and music. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held Feb. 9th with Mrs. F. A. Yeaton, 44 Pearl street, South Quincy. A full attendance of the members is desired and it is hoped that they will bring as many more natives of Maine as possible. All are cordially invited.

In Favor of Employer.

The latest development in the famous labor war between the F. R. Patch Manufacturing Company and Protection lodge 215, International Association of Machinists of Rutland, Vt., says the Herald, which has been watched with great interest by employers and labor unions all over the country for several years, was the decision last week by the Vermont supreme court that the verdict of $2500 given the Patch company against the union by a lower court was legal and should stand, and the announcement of President Patch of the company that he should collect this money, even if he had to attach the property of the individual members of the union to do so.

Mr. Patch states that the $2500 is less than one-hundreth part the damage which has actually been done him by the strikers and members of Protection lodge, but that he shall take what is due him nevertheless.

The damages were awarded him by the court in lieu of injury which had been done the company by the strikers in picketing the works, destroying completed or partially completed machinery and intimidating non-union workmen.

The determination of President Patch to take the money awarded him by the courts may mean to some of the strikers, and even to their sympathizers, the loss of their homes. If the lodge cannot pay the verdict and costs, which may amount all told to $3000 or $4000, the Patch company has the right under the Vermont law to attach, one after another, the houses and property of the individual members of the lodge, whether the owners were actual strikers or not, and this Mr. Patch says his company will do unless the lodge pays the judgment before he gets ready to collect.

—Isaac Cushing, a native of Hingham in 1823, died in Geneva, N. Y., on Wednesday.

ATLANTIC.

James Churchill of Billings street is spending the week in Washington, D. C.

The Smart Set whist club met on Thursday evening with Miss Ruth Bassett of Walker street. As Candlemas day is supposed to be an augur of prophecies, witches of lurid color were given as souvenirs. Music followed the serving of refreshments. Prizes were won by Miss Maud Gray and Miss Bassett; Mrs. F. J. Peirce and Miss Emma King.

The grocery clerks of Atlantic are to give a dance in Music hall next week. Music by White's orchestra of Boston.

There will be a social dance in Music hall, Atlantic, next Wednesday evening, under the direction of Miss Lena Crane of Ashmont. Orchestral music. The party will be from 8 to 11.

Atlantic suffers more inconvenience from the deplorable condition of Hancock street bridge than any other place. From the Quincy cars all access to the village has been cut off except through the little gap long since used for a short cut from the station to Neponset. This necessitates residents of Atlantic walking yards out of their way in order to get to the town from Quincy cars. The dreary prospect of delayed completion has taxed the patience of everyone.

A new house is being built off Squantum street at Montclair.

Gerald A. Sullivan, who runs a store near the Atlantic depot, will occupy the store in the Sagamore block formerly occupied by Mr. Needleman, the tailor.

Those who enjoy skating have been disappointed the past few days as the Neponset playground has only been partly cleaned off and is not in very good condition. Other ponds are covered with snow.

A hearing on the Atlantic bridge slopes will be given at the meeting of the City Council next Monday evening.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor of the United Presbyterian church, will be absent next week at Newbury, N. Y., conducting revival meetings for the Rev. Dr. Findley.

A pleasant surprise was tendered Miss Helen C. Troupe, of Plymouth street, Jan. 27, when a party of her young friends met at her home and presented her with a gold signet ring. Miss Troupe thanked them, not only for the gift but for the kind feelings that prompted the giving; and then bade them enjoy the hospitality of her home.

Rev. Fr. Coan informed the parishioners of St. John's church Sunday morning that during the past year the debt on the church had been reduced $2,000, leaving the indebtedness $9,000. That all bills contracted during the year had been paid and that there was a balance on hand of $700. During Fr. Coan's settlement over the parish the debt has been reduced $3,000. The church people are pleased to receive financial reports frequently from the new pastor.

MILTON.

The whist club was entertained Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harlow. Prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. George Burns, Charles H. Bearse, Mrs. J. E. Quimby and Mr. and Mrs. Libby.

From what can be learned there is little or no opposition to the present board of selectmen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doherty will entain the whist club next Tuesday evening.

There was a very large attendance at the entertainment given at the East Milton Congregational church on Friday evening last week. The entertainment was given by the Alpha club, who presented the comedy "The Scarlet Bonnet." About $30 was netted as a result of the entertainment.

A number of East Milton ladies attended the Charity Club whist at Symphony hall, Boston, Wednesday.

Prof. Harriman of Harvard will address the members of the Thursday Evening club at a smoke talk next week.

Dr. Walter C. Kite, of Milton, was Jan. 27th elected on the executive committee of the Massachusetts Association of Boards of Health.

The annual gentlemen's night of the Milton Woman's club is to be held on Monday evening, February sixth.

Elmer E. Hubbard, salesman, East Milton, has filed a bankruptcy petition. Liabilities $3079.54; assets nothing.

Fire Statistics.

The annual report of Chief Engineer Peter J. Williams, of the Fire department, for the year 1904 shows that Quincy was extremely fortunate as regards fire losses during the year. It speaks volumes for the efficiency of our fire department and of the ability of its chief.

The total number of alarms during the year was 158 an increase of eight over the previous year. Of the alarms given 91 were bell alarms and 67 still alarms. Although there were more alarms in 1904 than in 1903 and the property at risk greater, the total loss was less than half what it was in 1903.

The total fire loss for 1904 was $20,076.43, against $42,906.36 for 1903. The property at risk in 1904 was $402,643, and the insurance $283,250.

The average loss by fire, it will be seen, was only $127.

January Criminal Cases.

Probation Officer Francis A. Spear reports the total number of criminal cases before the District court in January to have been 96, against 68 in January 1904, 95 in 1903 and 88 in 1902.

Of the new cases 47 were for drunkenness; 8 for larceny; 6 for disturbing the peace; 7 liquor cases; 4 each for assault, and for violation of the butter law; 3 each for truancy, violation of park rules, and search for stolen goods; 2 each for breaking and entering, and lewd cohabitation; one each for assault with a dangerous weapon, assault with intent to kill, mutiny, non-support, rape, stubborn child and unnatural act.

Of the cases three were continued for disposition, one for further hearing, nine to pay fines; one was defaulted, one was held for the grand jury, one appealed and ten warrants were not served.

—Gov. Bell has granted a reprieve to Mrs. Rogers, who was to have been hung in Vermont yesterday. He says:

"I grant a reprieve to Mrs. Mary M. Rogers until Friday, June 2, 1905. I do this expressly and only on the ground that she claims, through her attorney, that she has not had a fair trial, and that the evidence presented against her was false."

"I do not in any way pass upon the question as to whether such is the fact. I leave that question entirely with the court, to which she now has full recourse."

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Masquerade at Atlantic.

Atlantic Music hall has never opened its doors to a merrier or prettier party than that which assembled Wednesday evening to take part in the fancy dress ball given by Miss Lena Crane of Ashmont, and her pupils of Atlantic. The hall was without decoration and its very plainness brought out more brightly the gay colors and sparkling costumes of the dancers.

The spectators crowded the platform and filled the gallery and the sixty couples that entered into the grand march led by Miss Helen Currier as a dancing girl and Mr. Leslie Griffin as a clown, both of Ashmont, was well worth seeing. The teacher Miss Crane played a little joke on everyone, by appearing in the garb of a child, carring a doll, and her identity was quite lost until after the unmasking.

Among the most noticable masqueraders were:

Mrs. F. J. Peirce, poppy-girl.
Mrs. James Churchill, Priscilla.
Mrs. William Warren, Aunt Hepsy.
Miss Fannie Duggan, coquette.
Miss Gertrude Warren, Japanese girl.
Jessie Warren, sleepy Susan in night cap and gown.
Eleanor Nelson, tamborine girl.
Martha Jenkins, girl of the wild West.
Nellie Coughlin, Folly,
Helen King, sailor girl.
Helen Buxton, tamborine girl.
Marcia Wilder, flower girl.
Louise Hinkley, Colonial dame.
Adelia Barber, little Red Riding-hood.
Florence Willey, French Folly.
Dorothy Young, hospital nurse.
Cora Harding, Buttercup.
Ruth Furgerson, college girl.
Gertrude Thorn, Priscilla.
Annie Harding, Night.
Ruth Bean, Queen of Hearts.
Rose LeBlanc, Japanese,
Melanie LeBlanc, Goddess of the Sea.
Mildred Tavender, Rob Roy girl.
Ada Harding, Oriential Princess.
Maud Read, Student in lavender.
Katherine Gay, Folly.
Helen Curtin, gypsy.
Ethel Hill, gypsy.
Florence Hill, flower girl.
Edith Doyle, Folley.
Florence Douglass, daughter of the regiment.
May Clare, Dutch peasant.
Edith Wass, old fashioned dame.
Ruth Bassett, Spanish dancing girl.
Roy Brown, cowboy.
Horace Jenkins, rough rider.
Laurence Pope, cream of wheat.
Howard Terrill, clown.
William Duggan, Jew merchant.
Walter Nichols, Indian chief.
Clifford Bean, clown.
George Doyle, Spanish American war cadet.
Henry Swanson, clown.
Robert Scharnigle, 16th century gentleman.
Carl Gram, foot ball player.
Carl Derby, prince.
Stanley Furgerson, sailor.
George Stebbins, ghost.
Lindley Keiser, Mexican chief.
Allan Johnson, man of today.
Stanley Churchill, George Washington.
Chester Greenard, Uncle Sam.
Ernest Moore, cadet.
Louis Cole, King of Hearts.

In evening dress were: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cherrington, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Safford, Mrs. Walter Hill, Miss Laura Cole, Miss Kathryn Birch and Miss Grace Birch, and many others from Wollaston, Ashmont, and Atlantic.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following sales of real estate are reported through the agency of Herbert T. Whitman.

A lot of 10,000 feet of land on Edison street to Asa A. Sewell who contemplates building.

House and lot on Bay View street, Edison Park, formerly owned by Mrs. Sewell to Mrs. Eliza A. Mayer.

Mr. Whitman also reports considerable activity in Quincy real estate considering the season of the year.

Other transfers reported this week are the sale by Frank J. Perry of 10,000 feet of land on the corner of Brook street and Newport avenue, The purchaser will at once erect a business block.

Friday's Fire.

The alarm from Box 26 at 1.25 P. M. Friday was for a slight fire on the roof of A. J. Richard's grain store on Saville street near the Quincy depot. The fire which probably started from a locomotive spark, was discovered by the engineer of the 1.12 inward train. He notified Officer Murray who turned in the alarm,

Before the department arrived a line of hose from a faucet in the grain store was taken to the top of a freight car by Mr. Rich, who soon put the fire out.

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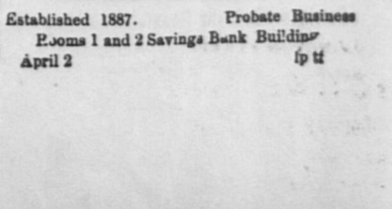

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BANKRUPTCY NOTICES

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9815.

TO the creditors of CHARLES W. SAWTELLE of Brookline, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of January, A. D., 1905, the said Charles W. Sawtelle was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building on the 11th day of February, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Jan. 31, 1905. 4-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9803.

TO the creditors of OSCAR J. DANIELS of Franklin, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of January, A. D., 1905, the said Oscar J. Daniels was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 11th day of February, A. D., 1905, at 10 o clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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Referee in Bankruptcy.

Jan 31, 1905. 4-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9742.

TO the creditors of S. HENRY SKILTON of Brookline in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of January, A. D., 1905, the said S. Henry Skilton was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 11th day of February, A. D. 1905 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Jan. 31, 1905. 4-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9733.

TO the creditors of WILLIAM M. PAUL, JR., of Brookline, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 2d day of January, A. D., 1905, the said William M Paul, Jr., was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 11th day of February, A. D., 1905 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Jan. 31, 1905. 4-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9720.

TO the creditors of ARTHUR MULVEY, of Cohasset, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of December, A. D., 1904, the said Arthur Mulvey, was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 11th day of February, A. D., 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Jan. 31, 1905. 4-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9620.

TO the creditors of DAVID DOWNS of of Brookline, in the County of Norfolk and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of December, A. D., 1904, the said David Downs was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 11th day of February A. D., 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Jan. 31, 1905. 4-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9799.

TO the creditors of N. ELIZABETH PARKER of Brookline, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of January, A. D., 1905, the said N. Elizabeth Parker was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of her creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 11th day of February, A. D., 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Jan. 31, 1905. 4-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9794.

TO the creditors of HENRY LITTLEFIELD of Brookline, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of January, A. D., 1905, the said Henry Littlefield was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 11th day of February, A D. 1905 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, and appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Jan. 31, 1905. 4-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9321.

TO the creditors of JOHN W. HOBART of Brookline, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day September, A. D., 1904, the said John W. Hobart was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 11th day of February A. D., 1905 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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Saturday,	Feb. 4,	6 55	5.02	11.15	12 00	sets P.M
Sunday,	" 5	6 54	5 03	12 00	12 00	6.27 "
Monday,	" 6,	6.53	5.04	12 30	12.45	7.24 "
Tuesday,	" 7,	6 51	5.05	1.15	1 15	8.22 "
Wednesday,	" 8,	6.50	5 07	1.45	2 00	9.19 "
Thursday,	" 9,	6 49	5.08	2.15	2.30	10.15 "
Friday,	" 10,	6 48	5.10	3.00	3.15	11 12 "

New Moon, Feb. 4, 6.06 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of month for three years:

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1904.	In 1903.	In 1902.
Sunday,	24	37	26	40	41
Monday,	27	24	30	44	50
Tuesday,	19	24	40	34	39
Wednesday,	28	20	41	37	20
Thursday,	19	17	28	43	20
Friday,	22	30	30	47	21
Saturday,	—	32	28	42	48

Notes and Comments.

The small fire loss in Quincy—only $20,076.43 in a year—is more conspicuous when one reads of losses of $100,000 in one night at Salem and Gloucester.

A Connecticut mayor has requested that his salary be reduced. After all, the alienists who report insanity on the increase in this country must be correct.

The legislature in Mr. Bryan's state has passed a law providing an eight-hour day for organ grinders and monkeys. This legislation is in the interest of our Simian ancestors and their suffering descendants.

Somerville reports a reduced income from water because of the installation of meters. This side of the question has not been given due consideration by those who advocate meters in Quincy.

The Pennsylvania coal barons claim that they are losing money. The United States coal burners know that they are paying nearly twice as much as they ought to pay for a necessity and now that the Supreme Court has handled the Beef Trust, let us turn our attention to the Coal Trust.

Massachusetts statistics just issued show a healthy condition of affairs. There were in the year 1903 in the State 24,530 more births than deaths, the totals being 73,584 births, 49,054 deaths and 26,940 marriages. There was an increase in one year of 1,365 births, 1,563 deaths and 1,255 marriages.

One hundred and twenty-seven dollars per fire is an extremely low loss per fire, but that was the average in Quincy last year. It is a record of which Chief Williams and the city may be proud. Again the Quincy loss was less than 84 cents per $1000 of the assessed valuation and less than 70 cents per capita of the population.

Among the items cut out the appropriations for the District of Columbia was that of public playgrounds. The time to make playgrounds is when they are least needed. As a city becomes more densely populated property increases in value and becomes correspondingly difficult to obtain, but the Quincy method of long loans is not to be recommended.

Heavy expenditures per child in rich towns and heavy taxes per $1000 in the small towns for public schools, is something for the Legislature to correct. The corporation tax assessed by the State affords an opportunity. Unless it can be more equitably apportioned among the cities and towns where the industries are located, it should all be retained by the State. Then it might not be necessary to levy a State tax upon cities and towns and justice would be done the struggling communities. The State should not foster tax-dodging towns, because it is at the expense of the less favored taxpayers who have burdens enough of their own.

The appropriations committee of the House of Representatives of the United States, warned by Speaker Cannon that economy was to be the watch word, have decided to make a record on the appropriations for the capital of the United States. That they are entitled to all the rewards of victory no one can entertain a doubt. The reduction of the estimates furnished by the commissioners for the administration of the city of Washington during the next fiscal year amounts to over three million dollars. Practically every item suggested for the development of the municipality and its various services have been blue penciled and the subcommittee proudly points to the fact that the appropriations made last year have almost without exception been sweepingly reduced.

There seems to be no difference of opinion in Ward Two over the appointment of Chief of Police. All agree that Frank E. Burrell will make an efficient head of the Police department. But too much should not be expected from a small appropriation and a handful of officers. The detective force is very small, and the liquor squad just as small. The patrolmen have regular beats to cover, and are expected to ring in certain signal boxes at certain hours. Others have regular duties at the police station and on the patrol wagon, and attendance at court, both district and superior, breaks in seriously onto the time.

It should be remembered that there are only 21 officers including the chief, about one for each 1500 of population. Only twelve are night patrolmen, who must each protect about 2500 people and about $2,000,000 dollars worth of property.

All things considered it is surprising that our police force has been able to keep down crime as well as it has, and to apprehend those guilty of crime.

Bowling League.

As a result of Thursday night's game the contest is even closer for first place, five of the six teams being closely bunched at the top. The Quincys lost all three games to the East Weymouth team and are now a tie for first place with the victors. Had Braintree won all three from Weymouth they also would be tie, but they were in luck to get two, as Weymouth led by 60 pins on totals. The Quincy Point team by a good rally in the second string won one game from Holbrook although 155 pins behind on totals.

	Won	Lost	Per cent.
Quincy	25	20	.55
East Weymouth	25	20	.55
South Braintree	24	21	.54
Holbrook	23	22	.51
Weymouth	22	23	.49
Quincy Point	16	29	.36

Shipyard Inquest.

Judge Avery of the District court has filed his report on the inquest held on the death at the shipyard on Nov. 2 last, of Lewis Crump and William Johnson, when one of the oil barges settled. The report is given in full:

It appears that about 3.45 P. M. on Nov. 2, 1904, by reason of some defect in the arrangement of the keel blocks and shores under this vessel, she fell down to the ground, sliding about five feet from her original position and listing to port. The deceased men, Crump and Johnson, were at work on the outer shell of this ship, one as a caulker, the other as a shipwright. Johnson was engaged in overhauling the keel blocks and was ordered under the ship by Angus McArthur, his leading man, about a half hour before the accident.

"One of the witnesses testified that McArthur then said to him: 'Take your tools and go under that boat, she's working aft; fix the blocks.' While doing his duty in compliance with this order Johnson was killed. McArthur had reported to William H. Godfrey, the foreman shipwright, who was in direct control over him, at about 2.30 p. m. that she was coming a little heavy on the blocks.' Godfrey, however made no particular examination of the ship after this notification, but simply told McArthur to see that everything was safe.

"Neither Godfrey nor McArthur considered the condition of the ship to be particularly dangerous at this time, although the subsequent accident speaks for itself. The responsibility for the condition of the keel blocks under this ship was theirs, and a careful supervision ought to have enabled them to discover the apparent defect.

"This ship was about 162 feet over all and 28 feet beam. She had been under construction since September, 1904; was of steel and weighed 350 tons. The shores and keel blocks in this first instance were put in place under the direct supervision of William H. Godfrey, foreman shipwright, in the same manner and care always taken when ships of this size are to be built. In the course of construction it became necessary, from time to time, to change the blocking and shores in order to perform such work upon the underbody as may have been required. This change in the blocking and shores often was made by workmen without authority and with an utter disregard of the consequences.

"Henry E. Frick, the foreman in charge of the ship, while she was under construction, certainly was reprehensible in permitting keel blocks and shores to be heedlessly removed and replaced by workmen who failed to fully appreciate the dangers liable to follow such negligence.

"At the time of the accident the ship was being tested for water tightness. This was done by filling alternate compartments with water under pressure, procured by the use of a standpipe extending five feet or so above the deck. This use of water added about 50 tons or more to the original weight of the ship; raised the center of gravity and also must have materially increased the tendency of the ship to slide aft, she being built upon a slight incline toward the shore to facilitate launching.

I find that the probable cause of the falling down of this ship was this: That by reason of disregarding the importance of having the keel blocking carry the full weight equally distributed and permitting a careless removal and replacing of the keel blocks, cribbing and shores by unskilled workmen, the great bulk of the weight finally came upon the shores, thus relieving to too great an extent the weight upon the keel blocks and cribbing where the principal weight should have been maintained; thus together with having certain compartments full or partially full of water caused her to tilt aft on the shores until she came down onto the ground.

"I do not find, however, that any individual person should be held criminally responsible for the death of these two men; the falling down of this vessel being the culmination of a series of negligent acts which perhaps under all the circumstances could not have been forseen or expected to have happened as it did—hence, the sending of men under the ship and permitting men to be thus at work just prior to this accident, although reprehensible, is not such gross criminal negligence as would warrant any person connected therewith being held for manslaughter."

Wollaston Unitarian Parish.

The annual meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian society was held in the vestry of the church, Monday evening, January 30. Mr. F. H. Bishop, president of the parish committee, called the meeting to order, after which reports were given of the several societies connected with the work of the church.

Printed reports, given out by the church treasurer, Mr. W. J. Wellington, show a very satisfactory financial condition of the society.

During a half-hour's intermission, a dainty lunch consisting of salads, rolls, cake and coffee were served by a committee of ladies, with Mrs. George A. Weston, chairman. After intermission, several business matters were brought before the meeting. The resignation of the pastor, Rev. F. W. Pratt, was acted upon, and it was with much regret, that it was finally voted to accept his resignation, to take effect March first.

The annual election of the church officers then took place and the former board was unanimously reelected, consisting of Frederic H. Bishop, president; Fred M. Rollins, secretary; Walter J. Wellington, treasurer; with Eugene H. Sprague, Walter O. Parker, Joshua Q. Litchfield, George W. Bennett and Frank P. Waterhouse as executive committee.

Crossed the Atlantic.

Four of the crew who came across from Norway in the life boat Urida were given a reception by the Norwegian club of Quincy Thursday evening at the residence of Mrs. Nelson on School street.

The guests were Capt. Brude, Mate Thorsen, Sailor Mattsen, and Manager Mathesen, and they were accompanied by Capt. Sorensen of Boston.

Antony Isaacson, president of the club, presided, and there was speaking by the members of the crew, who told their experiences on the perilous voyage.

The life boat sailed from Olesund, Norway, and it was 4 months and 18 days before they landed at Gloucester. The boat is only 18 feet long, with beam of 8 feet, and is now on exhibition at Hotel Clarendon in Boston. In about a month it will leave for New York and thence to France.

The boat was designed and built by Capt. Brude, and is entered for the big prize offered by France for the best life boat. Capt. Brude is a veteran of the seas having crossed the ocean 48 times.

The Norwegian club entertained with a banquet, and dancing and a social time followed.

Yesterday the guests were at Fore River shipyard on a tour of inspection.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, Feb. 1, 1905.

Beneath the surface developments from day to day in the state house is the chronic question, "How will the Douglas administration succeed?" Much depends upon the answer. Everything is running with the utmost smoothness, for every one realizes that the time for the complete answer will not come until the fall campaign. But the material for the answer is being gathered daily, and will be accumulated into a mass, when the right time comes. Of course, some will oppose the governor in any event. Others will support him in any event, but between these fixed quantities is a sufficiently large mass to make the difference between indorsement or condemnation of the year in office. Signs show that, for the present, these men are with Gov. Douglas. For instance, one of the prominent republican officials in the state house, speaking this week of the situation, said that thus far the governor had made no mistake, and that, as the situation stood he should vote for Douglas in preference to Guild. But he was apprehensive that there would be breaks or "swelled head" on the part of the administration, if not by the governor himself, then by some around him, which might make the department offensive to the public, and then Douglas's bread would be dough. Still another, one of the highest republicans in office in the state, said to me this week that thus far Gov. Douglas had done well. He spoke cordially, and evidently has only good feeling for the governor.

Most to the front in direct interest this week is the hearing upon reciprocity with Canada, and the other suggestions of the governor for broader trade relations. The reciprocity, and tariff revision men are making a strong demonstration. Then have come up with the backing of the Committee of One Hundred of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, which is composed largely of republicans, though republicans and democrats have no standing, as such, in the chamber. Henry M. Whitney, Eugene N. Foss, G. Henry Whitcomb, Osborne Howes, William H. Lincoln, the most prominent steamship man in New England, and others, urging great commercial freedom, have made an impression, and the fact that at Washington, they have the support of Senators Lodge and Crane, and of the entire delegation in the House gives them a prestige, which they have never had in their former attempts. There is no doubt that the signing of the reciprocity statement by over 62,000 republicans last fall has had its effect, and the republican managers are getting their eyes open to the demands of business aside from party. Of course, the Home Market Club, with Col. Albert Clarke, secretary, as its representative at the hearing, is on the other side, and vehement Joseph H. Walker, of Worcester, also is stoutly against tinkering with the tariff, because he believes that Massachusetts should identify itself with the entire nation, and be ready to sacrifice itself for the good of the whole. But those who are called upon to commit hiri-kiri do not appreciate the force of the argument. Reciprocity certainly is far stronger than ever before in the legislature. The only question is whether it can summon a majority. Evidently some of the influential members of the committee on federal relations are standpatters.

Gypsy moths and brown tail moths are a cloud in the legislative sky, as well as over the prospects of the farmers in this part of the state. To-day the committee on agriculture has given a hearing to the petitioners. Of course, they have made out a strong case of devastation, and of certain greater damage in the coming season, unless prompt remedies are applied. The petitioners are now pulling together. They are less divided by conflicting counsels than in recent years, while some of their opponents have been converted to friends, so the prospect of securing legislation is better than ever, and it is believed that efficient means will be provided for attacking the eggs, and nests before hatching time in the spring. But several years will be required to make up for the time, which was so foolishly lost by suspending the work of extermination just, when it was on the point of success.

James L. Cowles of Farmington, Ct., the indefatigable worker for the proposed parcels post and secretary of the Postal Progress League, is here this week in support of the resolution for consolidation of the third and fourth classes of postage. It seems that such an arrangement was in force from 1872 to 1879 and was successful. There is pending a resolution, offered by Mr. Marsh of Boston, the colleague of Speaker Frothingham, providing for such consolidation at the rate of one cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof. Mr. Cowles has seen Postmaster Hibbard of Boston this forenoon about the matter and Hibbard comes out positively for it. The post office department at Washington itself favors the proposition, so Second Assistant Shallengurger tells Mr. Cowles, and such a law would reduce the rates on merchandise 50 per cent. The simplification of the business and saving of much annoyance would be the gain for the department. Of course such a reduction would lead to a much larger use of the mails for merchandise transportation and would be likely to reduce the business of the express companies and of the railroads, and it is they who are strongly opposed to the extension of the parcels post. Here is another point where the interest of the public is directly opposed by the corporations and it is another matter which the people need to watch, if they are to protect their own interests and make any progress in freeing themselves from needless burdens for the benefit of the few. The experience of the parcels post in England and Germany justifies abundantly the introduction of the system in the United States.

Committee hearings have just begun to occur in any material number. To-day, February 1, they have reached 13, which is the largest number in any one day to date. Speaker Frothingham wonders why they are so slow in getting down to business and he finds, like every other speaker, that each house is new and does not begin where the previous one left off.

One of the queer developments of the session has been the appearance of shoe-workers from factories in Brockton before the committee on labor to oppose the recommendations of the governor in favor of the establishment of trade schools. One of the points made against the schools was that they developed competition with the unskilled workers on the part of persons who received their training by the state. The governor's reasoning reads as if he thought, when he discussed the subject in his inaugural, that it would be a great benefit to the workers to have such an opportunity to secure skilled training. But these workmen look at it in exactly the other light. The comment is made here that the same argument would apply against the public schools, because they bring persons educated at the expense of the state into competition with the ignorant and unskilled. The labor argument is very queer. It is always in favor of shorter hours and restrictions upon public employes, with salaries as high as possible, even though the burden upon the people be increased thereby, because they hope it will be an entering wedge for short hours and high wages for everybody. Yet there is constant opposition to the competition of persons who are educated at the public expense, no matter how much important service they may render to the public. It is all right to have a free dispensary for poor people, but it would be wrong to have dental work for poor people done at a similar expense to the public, because it would compete with the regular dentists. Complaint is heard because the farm at the agricultural college competes with the other farms in Amherst, because one of the professors sells milk to the people and it is affirmed that the town would be better off if both colleges were wholly swept off from the face of the earth, as far as the interests of the town are concerned.

Rule.

Reception to New Chief.

That the men of Quincy Point appreciate a man for his sterling character, uprightness and good citizenship was very apparent at the reception tendered Wednesday evening to Officer Frank E. Burrell, whom Mayor Thompson has appointed Chief of Police for year beginning Feb. 6 next. While most of the speakers had kind words for "Frank" they expressed themselves as pleased because they thought the laws would be better enforced.

The reception was held at the rooms of the Quincy Point Young Men's club, and previous to the arrival of "Chief" Burrell, there was a Scotch song by Councilman Hynes, and remarks by Frank F. Prescott and Alex Fryer.

The committee to escort Mr. Burrell to the hall were J. Peterson, H. D. Adams and Rollin H. Newcomb. The guest was ushered in with music and was given three rousing cheers with a "Tiger and a "Vulture."

Councilman Stone, the chairman, in well chosen words welcomed Mr. Burrell, and in behalf of Ward Two friends presented him with a rich, dark oak, roll top desk wishing him success and prosperity in the future.

Officer Burrell, in accepting the gift, said he would try to be as fair in the management of the Police department as in his private life. He realized the appointment as Chief of Police was placing a great responsibility upon him but he was ready to accept the responsibility and it would be his endeavor to enforce the laws upon the statutes and the city ordinances. He appreciated the kindly interests of his friends.

D. J. S. McCurdy contributed a song and was encored. The chairman then called upon many of those present for speeches and the following responded: W. H. Cobb, T. J. Collins, F. F. Prescott, A. N. Weeden, R. H. Newcomb, E. W. Newcomb, Thomas Lincoln, Jr., Luther Hersey, J. Peterson, Councilman Hynes, H. D. Adams, Edgar F. Hayden and Officer Larkin.

Chief-to-be Burrell was again called upon. He said the force at present was but 21 men including the chief. That there were twelve night patrolmen and three day patrolmen, a very inadequate force for a city which covers as much territory as Quincy. More men were needed. The city was remarkably free from crime so common in larger cities. Here drunkenness was the greatest crime, and he would endeavor to suppress it. The liquor laws have not been enforced as they should be, but I shall give them special attention. For this purpose, however, a large appropriation was necessary. Last year the appropriation for the enforcement of the liquor laws was cut down from $1000 to $500, and only about $350 expended. The full $1000 was needed.

Other speakers were Charles Foster, "Ed" Kittredge, John Flanigan and Alex Fryer.

There were more solos by Mr. McCurdy and also songs by Mr. Myers, both being accompanied by George Powers. Sandwiches, coffee and cigars were served.

Votes of thanks were extended to the retiring Chief, Joseph W. Hayden, in appreciation of long service; and to the committee of the evening, Messrs. J. Peterson and Fred Pinel, for the enjoyable occasion.

An informal reception by "Chief" Burrell closed the program.

Twelfth Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Ames celebrated their twelfth marriage anniversary on Wednesday evening, by an informal reception at their home 30 Whitney road. The reception was from 8 until 11 o'clock, and during these hours the spacious rooms were thronged with guests.

It was an entirely informal and delightful affair. Music was furnished during the entire evening by the Colonial orchestra, and ices were served by Cook. Mr. and Mrs. Ames received many remembrances of the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ames were married at Quincy Feb. 1, 1893. Mrs. Ames was a daughter of Harrison Adams of South Quincy and Mr. Ames is the son of the late Samuel Ames of West Quincy. They were united in marriage by Rev. Daniel M. Wilson, then pastor of the First church.

Benefit Society.

Wollaston lodge, No. 174, American Benefit Society, met Tuesday evening in Brazee's hall, and elected officers, who were installed by Deputy Supreme President, Dr. M. Morey Pearson and suite of Boston. The officers are:

President,—L. C. Merrill.
Vice President,—Mrs. E. M. Loud.
Orator,—Mrs. E. D. Waterhouse.
Past President,—Miss Mitchell.
Secretary,—Ernest M. Tribou.
Collector,—Mrs. Emma Mitchell.
Treasurer,—Fred P. Loud.
Chaplain,—Mrs. Welcome G. Young.
Marshal,—George W. Mitchell.
Warden,—Mrs. Cora M. Merrill.
Sentry,—Samuel P. Hanson.
Trustees,—Dr. E. R. Johnson, E. D. Waterhouse, Welcome G. Young.

The lodge is gaining in membership, and its officers are earnestly endeavoring to make it one of the large lodges of the society. Addresses were made by the deputy, Dr. Pearson and suite, J. V. Carter, Past President of Loyal lodge of Brockton, Dr. Johnson of Wollaston and others, which were heartily applauded. Five candidates were initiated, and six applications for membership received. At the close of the meeting a social time was enjoyed.

Michael Heffron, employed in a Granville, Vt., slate quarry, fell headlong into the pit on Wednesday and died in a few minutes. This was the second fatal accident in that section within a week.

☞ Mrs. Peter Chabot, of North Attleboro, presented her husband with a pair of boys on Thursday last. These are the third pair within a few years.

Republican City Committee.

The Republican City Committee of 1905 organized Thursday evening in the rooms of the Master Builders' association.

A. G. Dolliver, who has been the president of the committee for several years was not a candidate for reelection, having announced some months ago that he should withdraw this year.

The officers elected for the year were as follows:

President, Richard R. Freeman of Ward Five.

Vice President, Rollin H. Newcomb of Ward Two.

Secretary, Walter E. Piper of Ward Three.

Treasurer, Roger H. Wilde of Ward Six.

Finance committee,—Harry S. Nicol, Alfred O. Diack and George A. Sidelinger.

Thomas F. Burke, the new Commissioner of Public Works, sent a box of cigars to the committee, for which he was given a vote of thanks.

Representative Freeman, the new president of the Republican City Committee, is not new in the position, having been the president in 1899, and a member of the committee for many years. He is a good organizer, making a thorough canvass of non-voters as well as those whose names are on the voting lists. For several years he was a member of the City Council, and is now serving for the third term as a Representative to the General Court.

The new secretary, Councilman Walter O. Piper is also a hard worker both on the committee and in the City Council, and with President Freeman should make a strong team.

School Committee Meeting.

A regular meeting of the School Committee was held Tuesday evening. Messrs. Hallowell, Burke, Porter, Record and Smith were present.

Chairman Hallowell announced the following sub-committees for the year:

High,—Messrs. Porter, Hallowell and Record.

Adams,—Messrs. Miller, Hunting and Burke.

Coddington, — Messrs. Hallowell, Miller and Smith.

Cranch,—Messrs. Miller, Hunting and Burke.

Gridley Bryant,—Messrs. Porter, Burke and Smith.

John Hancock,—Messrs. Hunting, Miller and Porter.

Lincoln.—Messrs. Hunting, Porter and Miller.

Massachusetts Fields,—Messrs. Peirce, Churchill and Record.

Quincy,—Messrs. Churchill, Peirce and Record.

Washington,—Messrs. Smith, Record and Hallowell.

Willard,—Messrs. Burke, Hallowell and Porter.

Wollaston,—Messrs. Record, Peirce and Churchill.

Books, Supplies and Sundries,—Messrs. Hunting, Smith and Miller.

Textbooks,—Messrs. Record, Churchill and Peirce.

Transportation,—Messrs. Burke, Smith and Peirce.

Evening schools,—Messrs. Churchill, Burke and Hunting.

Special Subjects,—Messrs. Smith, Peirce and Churchill.

Rules and Regulations,—Messrs. Porter, Churchill and Burke.

Teachers,—The Chairman, Messrs. Record and Hunting.

Finance and Salaries,—The Chairman, Messrs. Porter and Smith.

It was voted to extend the thanks of the committee to C. E. Goodspeed, and Fred B. Rice for the portraits of Lincoln and Grant presented to the schools.

Miss Annie Z. White of the Willard was granted a month's leave of absence.

The Committee then went into executive session to consider the annual budget.

The expenditures of the department to date were reported as follows:

Salaries,	$8,725.25
Janitors,	615.79
Books, supplies and sundries,	313.23
Fuel,	—
Transportation,	64.60
Rents,	25.00
Evening schools	—
Total,	$9,743.87

Mrs. James C. Hall.

The sudden death of Mrs. James C. Hall of Arlington street, Wollaston, came as a great shock to her family and friends. Mrs. Hall had submitted, on Tuesday of last week, to a surgical operation at the Boothby hospital, Boston, which was not considered to be of a dangerous nature, but in a few days peritonitis set in, from which she could not rally, and she passed away at one o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Hall's life was centered in her home, and to her family her loss is irreparable. She was a devoted wife and mother and a staunch, true friend. She is survived by a husband, a daughter and three sons; also by an only brother, Mr. Charles F. Bliss, of Taunton, Mass.

Funeral services were held at her home Tuesday afternoon, at two o'clock. Rev. F. W. Pratt, pastor of the Unitarian church, conducted the services, which were very simple but impressive. Mrs. Grace Bonner Williams of Taunton, soprano of the Arlington street church choir, Boston, tenderly rendered, "Lead Kindly Light" and "The Home of the Soul." The interment was at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Thomas Smith.

Thomas Smith, a veteran of the Civil war and a well known citizen, died suddenly at his home on Brackett street Jan. 27th Mr. Smith was about during the day and was in City Square as late as 5 o'clock. He complained of illness during the evening and expired suddenly about 11 o'clock while seated in his chair.

Mr. Smith's occupation of late years has been that of a hostler. He served his country faithfully during the Civil war. He enlisted in Co. H, 4th regiment, the first regiment to leave Quincy under Col. A. B. Packard. He was with Francis L. Souther when the latter was shot and took charge of the gun carried by Mr. Souther. Later Mr. Smith served in Co. K of the 18th regiment and the 4th Massachusetts cavalry.

He was 67 years of age and a member of Paul Revere Post, 88, G. A. R. He leaves a daughter.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon from his late residence on Brackett street. Paul Revere Post, 88, G. A. R., of which he was a member attended in a body, and conducted the services. The burial was in the Grand Army lot at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

The navy department proposes to place the armored cruiser West Virginia and the protected cruiser Galveston in commission about Feb. 15, the armored cruiser Pennsylvania about March 1 and the armored cruiser Maryland about the middle of April.

The grand encampment of Odd Fellows will hold its annual session in Boston, Wednesday, Feb. 8.

Tuesday Night's Fires.

Tuesday night was a hard one for Chief Williams and the firemen of Wards One and Two. There were two fires during the night which kept the firemen busy until late in the morning.

The first alarm sounded at 5.43 P. M. from Box 72. This was for a lively blaze in a house at 22 Broadway. The house was owned by Erickson & Nelson and was occupied by Mrs. Annie Sheriff as a boarding house.

The fire is supposed to have started from an open furnace pipe. It is reported that a pipe from the furnace came up behind the wall where it was left with the end open.

Sparks from the furnace coming up through this pipe set the woodwork on fire. It had gained good headway before discovered and the firemen had a stubborn fight to get it under control.

Owing to the snow the apparatus could not make as good time as usual, so that the fire had an opportunity to make good headway.

Chief Williams estimates the loss on building and contents at $500.

The second alarm was sounded from Box 27 at 1.02 A. M. This proved to be another lively blaze in the Albert Keating block on the corner of Washington and Canal streets.

There is a Chinese laundry in the corner store. Over this is a small hall. The fire started from some cause in the hall and worked down through the floor into the rooms occupied by the Chinamen. They were at work in the laundry at the time and discovered the fire when it came down through the floor. They run out and notified Officer Lyons who turned in the alarm.

There are several buildings grouped together at this corner and the opportunity for a disastrous fire was good. When the department arrived the upper part of the building was burning fiercely.

Hose was carried into the laundry and pushed up through the ceiling which had been torn down, thus getting at the heart of the fire. Other streams were used with telling effect from the outside and in this way the fire was overcome.

Adjoining the laundry on Canal street was a grocery run by Antonio Patti. The fire also worked into this store which was considerably damaged, although part of the stock of goods was removed. The part of the building on the corner was badly gutted.

There was a meeting in the hall over the laundry during the evening and it was late before the party broke up. According to the story told by the Chinamen it was there the fire started.

The loss on the building is estimated at $700. Charlie Young the laundry man estimates his loss at $75 and Antonio Patti his loss at $200.

After the fire the two Chinamen were taken to the police station where they were kept for the night.

Morse—Walker.

An account of a wedding of much interest to Quincy people was noticed in Sunday's Globe. It read as follows: "Miss Ellen Constance Walker and Lieut. Harry Leonard Morse, both formerly of this city, were married last Saturday. The bride, the youngest daughter of Mrs. Janet Edmondson Walker, has been in past seasons prominent in amateur theatricals in this city, and Lieut. Morse is also well known here. He is of the class of 1900, Tech, in which he was active in dramatics and athletics and was also a member of Tech club. He went into the army by Presidential appointment, after an examination in which he achieved exceptional success. The wedding ceremony took place at the home of the bride, University terrace, in Berkeley, California. Lieut. and Mrs. Morse are to sail on Feb. 1, with his regiment, for Manila."

Mrs. Morse taught French at Woodward a few years ago and was most popular among teachers and pupils.

Insane Man at Large.

Evidently there is a crank in Quincy. The Boston Journal prints the following from Montpelier, Vt., under date of Feb. 1:

A letter received tonight by Governor Charles J. Bell from a person in Quincy Mass., threatens the life of Vermont's chief executive unless he reprieves the death sentence of Mary Rogers.

The letter was written on common brown wrapping paper and in an uncouth hand, which plainly showed the ignorance of the writer.

It was postmarked at Quincy, Mass., on Tuesday, Jan. 31, and was mailed in a long, plain, white envelope, inside of which the letter was enclosed in an improvised envelope of brown paper and addressed to Governor Bell, Montpelier, Vt., and marked personal.

The letter read as follows:

> Governor Bell: You persist in not commuting the sentence of Mary Rogers. My father was hung for a crime he did not commit. I swore that I would take the life of twenty people to pay for it. I have killed eleven, among them was the woman at Five Corners Braintree; a man I killed at Union Street bridge, Braintree; a girl at Medford right in the presence of her father and mother, and a woman in Weston, and not one of them have found out who done it. Now, sir, if you hang that Rogers woman, I will mark you within the next three months, so look out. I never make a threat that I don't intend to carry out." (signed) VENGEANCE.

The White murder at Braintree is one of the murders which happened some years ago, for which no arrests were ever made. Constable Furnald, who was a detective in the case, says he knows him by name, but he escaped by steamer. He says further that he would very much like to meet him now.

The crank would also free Tucker, accused of the Page murder in Weston. His story would also unravel other mysteries. It might not be a very pleasant experience for the crank should be apprehended.

Postmaster Hammond and the employes at the Quincy post office have no knowledge of the letter passing through the Quincy office, but that is not surprising.

In Art and Love.

Richard Brooks left Tuesday for New York and this morning will be married in that city to Miss Mae McPherson of Buffalo, whom he met in Paris. An hour after the ceremony they will sail abroad and after a wedding tour through Holland will settle in Paris. Mr. Brooks has of late executed a large number of portrait medallions. He has important contracts with the state of Connecticut for a marble statue of John Haynes the first colonial governor of the State and also a governor of the Massachusetts Bay colony. Mr. Brooks will probably have the whole work of decoration of the north front of the capitol which will include six statues, ten portraits, and five tympana, depicting the early history of the state.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. The service will be held under the auspices of the Endeavorers in commemoration of the founding of the Endeavor movement in 1881. Free seats and every one invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Charles H. Emmons, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the Rev. Dwight M. Hodge. Subject: "The New Kingdom." Holy Communion will be celebrated at close of morning service. Sunday School at 11.45. International lessons. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Preaching by the Rev. Francis A. Gray of Winter Hill, Somerville. Subject: "The Simple and the Strenuous Life, Defined and Reconciled." Special music at both services. The public is cordially invited to attend services.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by the pastor. Subject: "God makes a difference." Men's Bible class and Sabbath School at 11.45. Junior Y. P. S. C. E. at 3 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Christ's Gift of Glory." Ordinance of the Lord's Supper at close of service. Sunday School at 12.10. Junior Endeavor at 4 P. M. Young People's service at 6.30. Monthly Missionary meeting at 7.30. Address by Rev. J. T. Proctor of Huchow, China. All not worshipping elsewhere are invited.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Man Greater than his Work." 2 Cor. 12-14. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 o'clock. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "A Man in his Own Sight." You are cordially invited.

METHODIST CHURCH ATLANTIC, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "Friendship with Jesus." Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30 P. M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "Uncomfortable Beds."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue. — Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Soul." Golden Text: "He that keepeth the commandments keepeth his own soul." Proverbs 19:16. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings with gentlemen in attendance. All are welcome.

The District Court.

The liquors seized from Manuel Jason at Cohasset were forfeited.

Oscar Gustafson, William Jacobson and Charles Canfield were arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Cases continued until Feb. 6.

John Auer was arraigned for larceny of brass pipe from the Fore River Shipbuilding Co. at Quincy. He was sentenced to six months in the house of correction.

Donato Perruzza were arraigned for a crime against nature at Quincy and was held in $500 until Thursday.

Nicholas F. Cleary was arraigned for drunkenness at Weymouth. Case continued until Feb. 15.

Hezekial Rogerson was fined $50 for violation of the liquor laws at Cohasset.

Edward Curley was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Feb. 13.

William B. Launsburg was arraigned for assault on Florence M. Launsburg at Quincy. Case continued until Saturday.

Donato Di Rubi was fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Reginald H. Johnson of Braintree has applied for admission as attorney and counsellor of the circuit court of the United States.

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Births.

HYLAND—In Quincy, Jan. 26, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Hyland of 43 Chestnut street.

Deaths.

BOSWORTH—In Quincy, Feb. 3, Mrs. Minnie L., widow of Mr. Samuel D. Bosworth of 32 Elm street, aged 37 years.
Funeral from late residence Sunday, Feb. 5, at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

LATHROP—In Wollaston, Feb. 3, Mrs. Maria P. (Mooers) mother of Mrs. Frank A. Page, aged 74 years.
Funeral services on Sunday, Feb. 5 at 3 P. M., at No. 107 Winthrop avenue. Burial private. 2t

BENNETT—At Wollaston, Feb. 2, Mr. James H. Bennett, aged 72 years.
Funeral services, Saturday, Feb. 4, at 2 P. M. from residence of his son, George W. Bennett, 174 Arlington street.

NELSON—In Quincy, Feb. 3, Mr. Julius Nelson of Revere road, aged about 21 years.

BURNS—In Quincy, Feb. 1, Mr. Michael H. Burns, of 26 Chestnut street, aged 59 years.

PACKARD—In Quincy, Jan. 31, Mrs. Emily Milton, wife of Mr. William Packard of 24 Baxter street, aged 57 years.

SMITH—In Quincy, Jan. 27, Mr. Thomas Smith of Brackett street, aged 67 years and 11 days.

MARTELL—In West Quincy, Jan. 30, Mr. Julius Martell of 24 Hall place, aged 54 years.

JONES—In Wollaston, Jan. 31, Mr. Robert Jones of 24 South Central avenue, aged 65 years.

McDONALD—In South Quincy, Feb. 2, Katie M., daughter of Mr. Murdock and Mrs. Margaret McDonald of 252 Water street, aged 10 years, 9 months and 24 days.

HALL—In Wollaston, Jan. 28, Mrs. Lizzie M., wife of Mr. James C. Hall, in her 52d year.

THOMAS—In Norfolk Downs, Feb. 1, Mrs. Sarah E., wife of Mr. William E. C. Thomas of Lunt street, aged 61 years.

CHISHOLM—In Dorchester, Jan. 31, Arthur D., son of Mr. George W. and Mrs. Charlotte Chisholm of Norfolk Downs, aged 7 years and 7 months.

WHITE—In Wollaston, Jan. 29, at the residence of Capt. J. F. Lewis on Winthrop avenue, Mrs. Olive T. White of South Yarmouth, aged 73 years.

HILL—In North Weymouth, Feb. 1, Mr. Lavoisier Hill, aged 72 years.

MAY—In Allston, Feb. 2, Mrs. Angeline May, wife of Deacon John May of Randolph, aged 75 years and 1 month.

BODGE—In Bellows Falls, Vt., Jan. 28, Percival N., son of Mrs. James H. Bodge formerly of Wollaston, aged 15 years.

CHASE—In Newport, R. I., Jan. 26, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Herbert W. Lull, in her 82d year, Mrs. Lydia Ann Chase, widow of David G. Chase, of North Weare, N. H.

KING—In Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 23, Miss Josephine M. King, aged 69 years, 10 months.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Jan. 16, 1905, trains will run as follows:

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TO BOSTON Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive at Quincy.
r *5 14	abcdefghi	5 42	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 27	cba	6 46 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 27	cba	8 49 r
r 7 43	abc	8 03	9 25	ihgfedcba	9 54 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 27	cba	10 49 r
r 8 13	abc	8 33	11 25	ihgfedcba	11 54 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 27	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 57	cba	1 19 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	1 27	cba	1 49 r
10 01	Exp.	10 17	1 57	cba	2 19 r
r 10 13	abc	10 33	2 27	cba	2 49 r
r 11 09	abcdefghi	11 37	2 45	Exp.	3 02
r 12 13	abc	12 33	3 27	cba	3 49 r
r 1 13	abc	1 33	4 12	a	4 31 r
r 1 43	abc	2 03	4 27	cba	4 49 r
r 2 13	abc	2 33	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 13	abc	3 33	5 15	a	5 34 r
r 3 43	abc	4 03	5 19	dba	5 40 r
r 4 13	abc	4 33	5 27	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 13	abc	5 33	5 46	ihgfedcba	6 15 r
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 57	cba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 15	dba	6 36 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 27	cba	6 49 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	6 57	fedcba	7 23 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	9 27	cba	9 49 r
r 11 03	abc	11 32	10 27	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
			10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
			11 27	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

TO BOSTON Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive at Quincy.
r 7 43	abc	8 03	6 24	ihgfdcba	6 52 r
8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
r 9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 08	abcdefghi	7 35	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdefghi	8 36	8 43	Exp.	9 00
r 10 15	abc	10 38	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
			10 28	cba	10 49 r

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 10.19 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 10.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.40 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—7.51 8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 10.24 P. M.

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TIME TABLE.

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QUINCY TO NEPONSET.

Via Hancock Street,—5.40 6.05 6.10 6.40 A. M. and every 10 and 40 minutes past hour until 8.40 P. M. and 9.10 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7 30 A. M., and every minutes past the hour until 8.30 P. M., then 9.40 and 10.10 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.05 7.05 A. M., then every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 11.35 P. M.

NEPONSET TO QUINCY.

Via Hancock Street—6.05 6.15 6.40 7 7.10 and 7.45 A. M., then on the even hour and every 30 minutes past the hour until 5.15 P. M., then on the even hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then 10.30 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7.50 and 9 A. M., then on the even hour until 11 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.30 7.30 A.M., then on the even hour and half hour until 12 o'clock midnight.

Cars leaving on the even hour and half hour run through to Brockton and Weymouth Landing.

QUINCY TO NORTH WEYMOUTH.

5.45 6.05 6.20 6.50 7.50 A. M., then every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 11.20 P. M., Wednesdays and Saturdays 11.50 P. M., other nights 11.50 P. M., to Quincy Point only.

NORTH WEYMOUTH TO QUINCY.

6.20 6 50 7.05 7.20 7.50 A. M., then every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 11.50 P. M., Wednesday and Saturdays 12.50 P. M.

QUINCY TO BRAINTREE.

6.20 A. M. and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 10.50 P. M.

QUINCY TO EAST MILTON.

5.40 A. M. and every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 10.35 P. M., then 10.50 P. M.

EAST MILTON TO QUINCY.

6.10 A. M. then on the even hour and half hour until 11.30 P. M.

QUINCY TO WEYMOUTH LANDING.

5.20 5.55 6.30 6.55 A. M., then every 5 of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.55 P. M., then 10.55 P. M.

QUINCY AND HOUGHS NECK.

Leave QUINCY—Week Days—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A. M., 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 5.10, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P. M. Saturday night, 11.50 P. M., as far as there are passengers to go. Sundays—7.00 A. M. then on the even hour until 10.00 P. M., then 10.50 P. M.

Returning, leave HOUGHS NECK—Week Days—5.45, 6.40, 7.40, 8.30, 9.40, 10.40, 11.40 A. M., 12.40, 1.40, 2.10, 3.30, 4.50, 5.40, 6.40, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.30, 11.10 P. M.—Sundays—7.40 A. M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.30 and 11.10 P. M.

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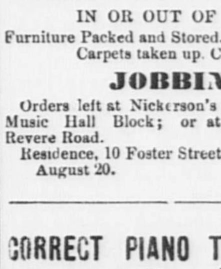

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Poetry.

The Minister's Wife.

Oh, pity the lot of a minister's wife,
It is sinful for her to be fair;
She must not try to seem to sublime for this life,
Yet must still have a heavenly air;
She must never view others with critical eyes,
She is there that the rest may themselves criticise
Whatever she does or may wear.

If she tries to be humble her sisters will say
She poses and isn't sincere;
If she shows that she's proud of her prominence they
Cast looks at each other and sneer,
And talk of the folly of one who believes
She's "too good for this world, while her husband receives
Only four or five thousand a year."

If she seems to be pleased with the sermon the rest
Will think it is all for effect.
Yet she must not pretend to indifference lest
They may talk of her lack of respect;
They call her a frump if her costume is plain,
And accuse her of being extravagant, vain,
If she dares to be handsomely decked.

If she acts like a saint they will say its for show,
If she doesn't there's scandal. Each day
She is under the gaze of the high and the low,
And though she inspires him. they
Regard the poor preacher with pity, they sigh,
And. whispering sadly, go wondering why
He loves her so much, anyway.

Chicago Record-Herald.

Notes and Comments.

—There ought to be some restriction to the pardoning power beyond that which now exists. Where a person has been convicted of murder, and the death sentence commuted to life imprisonment, that person should be beyond the reach of executive clemency. Where an innocent party is suffering, or where there is a reasonable doubt of guilt, notwithstanding the conviction, exception might be made, but the law as it now stands makes pardon all too easy. Friends of the criminal go on the assumption that 20 years is long enough to serve on a life sentence, while the criminal who has no friends is released only by death. Mrs. Robinson, who murdered her own children in order to get the insurance on their lives, escaped the gallows because she was a woman, although no colder blooded murderer was ever imprisoned, and now an effort is in progress for her release. Justice should be even-handed, and the selection of special cases, and great pressure being brought upon the executive, ought to be discouraged by legislative enactment.—Lynn Item.

—South Dakota has become so prosperous in respectable ways that it is beginning to be felt there that the state can afford to abandon such scandalous efforts to draw in wealthy residents as are involved in the loose divorce laws. A bill is pending in the state Legislature providing that no court shall take jurisdiction in a divorce case unless it is shown that the cause for divorce arose while both parties were residents of the state. This would destroy in short order the business of granting divorces to persons coming into the state for that purpose and there is said to be a good chance for the passage of the measure.—Milford Gazette.

—Mrs. Roosevelt thinks gifts which are the handiwork of the giver are more prized than those from shop or counter. She therefore made four sweaters, one for each of her sons, for Christmas gifts.

—A gentleman going into his stable one day found his little son astride of one of the horses, with a slate and pencil in his hand. "Why, Harry," he exclaimed, "What are you doing?" "Writing a composition," was the reply. "Well, why don't you write it in the library?" Because the teacher told me to write a composition on a horse."

—The Rockland Standard says: Tree Warden Shaw has recently visited Reading where the brown tail month is making such havoc with shade and fruit trees, and made observations with a view to destroying the pests, which are fast gaining a foothold in this community. Their favorite tree is the pear. Go into any orchard and you will find a few of their nests and upon the ends of the twigs, which look like a dried up leaf which the frost and wind has failed to dislodge. Examine one of these carefully and you will find a nest filled with eggs ready to hatch with the first breath of spring. They should be cut off and burned. They should all be removed before March as even that early, some of them are liable to hatch. They have proved, by the shedding of their fine, impalpable barbed hairs, one of the most distressing plagues which the people of the infested districts have had to contend with. Do not delay their destruction which should be sure and thorough.

—There is a serious discussion on among the judiciary and others in the state as to the extension of the probation system, but there is need that the reform should go slow. Sympathy and clemency for criminals need to have the brakes upon them, for the sentiment is apt to run away with good judgment.—Stoughton Sentinel.

—In Watertown town meeting Monday evening a voter with the scholarly and euphonious name of Cunniffe objected to a proposed ordinance, principally on the ground, he said, that it was an exact copy of one in effect in Somerville, and Somerville was the last city in the commonwealth to take pattern by. Inasmuch as the ordinance was one prohibiting loitering in the public streets, it might readily be supposed that he had other and more personal reasons for objecting than the reason alleged.—Somerville Journal.

—The public generally seems to be surprised at the verdict in the Tucker case, but it must be remembered that the public generally did not have an opportunity to hear the evidence from beginning to end, and could get only an imperfect idea of it from reading, more or less diligently, the newspaper reports. That the Tucker verdict is just is the opinion of all the officers in the court, and of those who have been accustomed to attend trials in the past, and who have watched this case personally from the beginning to the end. Judge Sherman, in dismissing the jury at the close of the trial, paid its members a high compliment, when he said that in many years of experience the court had never seen a more intelligent or faithful jury. —Somerville Journal.

—To those whom it may concern: Among the most prolific sources of pneumonia are fur collars and openwork hosiery.—Natick Bulletin.

—It is estimated that $3,000,000 worth of fraudulent drugs and foods misbranded and adulterated are sold annually in the United States, according to a recent number of American Medicine. A pure food bill now before the senate aims at a correction of some of these evils. Physicians have long complained of poor results in medication because of the inefficacy of the drugs that are to be had. Drugs are so often found to be virtueless or adulterated that the expected results do not follow their use. A little knowledge on the merits of the thousand and one breakfast foods, advertised to revive all but the dead, would be mighty interesting also, we imagine. —Spencer Leader.

—The 10,000 schoolhouses in Kansas are likely to be equipped with green shades and lace curtains for the windows. The teachers of Kansas advocate this reform in the interest of the eyesight and health of the pupils. Twenty years ago, an old Indian trader built and equipped a schoolhouse near Lawrence. Green shades and clean lace curtains have been supplied each year by his descendants. Now it is proposed to make the lace curtain as much a part of the school apparatus as the desk or text-books.

—The Stoughton Sentinel says: "About the greatest improvement that could be suggested in the way of transportation facilities in this vicinity would be the devising of some method of keeping the switches and tracks in the South station yard in Boston clear of ice and from freezing up and refusing to work.

—For 10 minutes from 3 o'clock Saturday, Jan. 14, the people of the City of Mexico saw snow fall. It was the third happening of the kind in a half a century, and caused a first-class sensation. To the lower order of native folk the strange sight of the whirling white flakes, that melted as soon as the pavements were reached, was a terrifying one. They ran to hide in the doors of houses and under arcades.

—The $2,200,000 worth of Oregon fruit raised in 1904 was distributed as follows:— Apples, $885,000; prunes, $310,000; pears, $160,000; peaches, $170,000; small fruits, $710,000.

—It is said that Swedish doctors never send bills to their patients. Each patient pays what he deems just or is able to give. The rich pay the physician liberally, whether they have need of his services or not, if he has been once retained by them. The poor, if they possibly can, pay him a small sum, and the very poor pay him nothing. Yet he attends the poor as faithfully as he does the rich.

—A clock which will run for two thousand years has been invented by Richard Strutt, son of Lord Rayleigh. The motive power is a small piece of gold-leaf which is electrified by means of a very small quantity of radium salt. It bends away from the metal substance and keeps moving under this influence until it touches the side of the containing vessel. At the moment of contact it loses its electrical charge and then springs back and is again electrified, and the process repeated. Sir William Ramsay considers that this may be made into a very reliable time-piece at an expense of about $1000.—Scientific American.

—Nearly 900,000 passengers rode through the East Boston tunnel during the first thirty days it has been open, ending Jan. 28.

—In Texas there is a statute which prohibits a man from "wilfully and mischievously" injuring or destroying his own real or personal property. Under it a man has been fined for dumping a load of corn into a river. In the circumstances the law appears to be a sensible one, and that it is needed elsewhere in the South than in Texas is sufficiently well proved by the numerous reports recently made of gentlemen who were burning their cotton for no better reason than that they could only get something like seven cents per pound for it when they had hoped to get ten. —Charleston News and and Courier.

—It is the boast of some people that they never go to church, that they don't believe in one creed more than another—as if that attitude and these statements marked them as broad and liberal minded. That there are some people who attend church to help their business and that there are others who use their religion as a cloak to hide their shortcomings we must admit. There are also drunkards in total abstinence societies. Neverthless the total abstinence pledge is a restraining influence of itself; it fortifies against temptation. So with the church; it is a restraining influence against evil in the community and in the individual who attends it regularly. More than that—like the pledge—it has a great influence for good. This would be a queer world with no churches and no public worship. Is it not then an evidence of narrowness, predjudice even, as well as conceit, for people to brag that they attend no church.—Spencer Leader.

The latest thing in hotel bills of fare is stated to be an edible menu card. It is generally made of biscuit, which the guests eats with his cheese.

—Cancer has hitherto been generally considered as an incurable disease, but scientists who have been studying it for several years past at the laboratory of the university of Buffalo claim to have found a cure for the trouble. According to men who have taken part in the work, it has been proved that cancer is a parasite disease, infectious in type; that it has been transplanted and reproduced in perfectly healthly animals; that the reproduction has been true cancer as it exists in the human, and that the disease in animals has been cured by the administration of a serum prepared in the laboratory. What remains now is the application of the results of animal experimentation to the care of the disease as it exists in the human being. —Milford Gazette.

The City Council.

The City Council was in session only a few minutes Jan. 27th, at a special meeting called to expedite work on the Hancock street bridge at Atlantic.

Councilmen Adams, Barry, Chamberlin, Chase, Crane, Hughes and Loud were absent.

President Nichols read the call of the meeting.

The Committee on Streets then offered an order for a public hearing Feb. 6 on taking land near the new Atlantic bridge for slopes.

Councilman Piper wanted to know if there was a contract with the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. to build retaining walls. He did not wish to antagonize but if there was a contract, we could not make any changes without changing the decree of the County Commissioners.

Councilman Gassett. The plans show retaining walls. He had seen no specifications. It would all come out at the public hearing.

The order was adopted. It provides for slopes to conform to the ratio of not less than one-half foot of base to one foot of height. It is proposed to take about 2,250 feet on the easterly side of Hancock street, belonging to the estate of William A. Hodges; about 2,000 feet on Hancock and Madison streets, belonging to Mary Sullivan; about 1,600 feet on Old Colony street, belonging to estate of William Mahoney; and about 4,000 feet on Sagamore and Old Colony streets, supposed to belong to Isaac W. Chick, according to plans on file in the office of the City Clerk.

At 7.46 the Council adjourned to the next regular meeting to be held Feb. 6.

Wollaston Unity Club.

The Unity club held its regular meeting in the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church, Jan. 27th. President Crocker presided, and after the records of the last meeting had been read by the secretary, Mr. H. Y. Follett splendidly rendered two songs, "Sunset" and "Creole Serenade" by Dudley Buck.

The literary program was in charge of Rev. F. W. Pratt who introduced Mr. Charles G. Comins to give the first paper. The subject for the evening was "The Panama Canal" and Mr. Comins gave a very interesting and instructive history of the famous enterprise from the very beginning to the present time.

Ever since Marco Polo returned to Italy, his native land, after twenty-four years spent in travelling in India and other Eastern countries, the necessity for a passage across the Isthmus of Panama has been apparent. The United States government never realized the necessity to such a degree, however, as during the Spanish-American war, when the arrival of the battleship Oregon was so anxiously awaited, while making its long trip from the Pacific coast to strengthen our defences against the Spanish fleet.

The subject of a canal was agitated for many years, and in 1882 the construction of a canal across the isthmus of Panama was finally begun.

The work to be abandoned however, in 1888 owing to lack of funds, although it is said that millions of money had been spent before a shovelful of earth had been removed. In 1898 work was again begun under new management and is being pushed forward as rapidly as possible, although it will take several years and tremendous sums of money, before it is completed.

Mr. Pratt followed Mr. Comins, giving a very interesting talk upon the same subject, showing stereopticon pictures of the canal in construction; also pictures of the Suez canal, that has been in successful operation for many years. Altogether, the evening was a very entertaining and profitable one.

Socialism.

Editors of the Patriot:

Will you kindly allow space to express our thanks and appreciation for the extended and terse report which appeared in your Ledger of the 18th, of Rabbi Schindler's address on Socialism before the Unitarian club of Wollaston. The spirit of fairness you have shown by this generous report will be gratefully remembered by the Quincy Socialist club as well as by its hosts of friends.

Dr. Schindler commands our admiration and esteem, not only because of his conspicuous abilities and honorable station but also for his magnificent devotion to and earnest promotion of a righteous though yet unpopular cause, over which he spreads a mantle of lofty scholarship.

We are not only gratified with such championship, but we also welcome and invite earnest and respectful criticism of the moral and economic basis of the Socialist movement. As citizens, we were mortified and staggered with amazement, to learn that the Unitarian club, on such an occasion, at the close of such an address, by such a personage, did allow such an exhibition of blackguardism, vilification, and buffoonery as you report to have been uttered by a "Prof." who is reported to have confessed that his professional title rests on the bootblack standard.

This exhibition reminds us of the ingrate in the story who invited a talented and refined person to partake of his hospitality, and immediately proceeded to "set a dog on him." A pity it is, that the Unitarian Club should be a party to such a breach of propriety.

Daniel W. Gorman.
Secretary Quincy Social Club.

Jan. 24, 1905.

Educational Association.

This important organization meets in Boston, for the first time, February 12-16. There will be an opening session in the New Old South church, Sunday evening; a visit to Wellesley Monday, leaving Boston 9.32; addresses, tour of buildings and luncheon; Harvard University Monday afternoon; Sanders' theatre, 3 o'clock, address of welcome, and illustrated address by Dr. Shaler; tour of college buildings; reception at Phillips Brooks House; reception at Faneuil Hall, 8 P. M., ex-Secretary, John D. Long presiding.

There will be more than one hundred distinguished speakers at the sessions on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Dr. A. E. Winship of the Journal of Education is chairman of the committee of arrangements; Rev. F. H. Means, Tremont Temple, secretary, and D. C. Heath, the publisher, is treasurer. For programs and tickets, address either Dr. Winship or Mr. Means.

☞Anybody watching the idiotic antics of the southern planters would think cotton would not keep over thirty days.—Chicago Journal.

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From the Braintree Observer.

Reminicences.

I was much interested in your account of the Bates homestead in the Observer of Nov. 19, as that was the house built by my grandfather, Capt. John Hollis and I have heard my father talk much about it. He was thirteen years old when it was built and remembered it well. For more than a year every stick of straight grained oak and hickory wood was saved from the woodpile and fashioned into pins to be used in fastening the frame of the house.

About a year before the raising my grandfather employed a carpenter named Loud to draw a plan of the house and to make out a schedule of the material needed and he engaged a blacksmith to make the nails as only handmade nails were in use at that time. Machine made nails were not in the market until several years later (I think in 1810 or 1811.)

It is not easy for us of the present day to realize the conditions which prevailed in those days, wood was the only fuel, tallow candles the chief illuminants, open fire places and brick ovens were found in every house, friction matches were unknown, houses of worship were unwarmed, public conveyances very few and horseback riding the common mode of travelling.

Rev. R. S. Storrs who was pastor of the First Congregational church travelled from Boston to Savannah, Georgia, and back on horseback going by one route and returning by another, a journey of about 3000 miles and he told me [many years after] that it was the easiest mode of travel for a large part of the way on account of the condition of the roads.

Spinning wheels and looms were found in every farm house and men and women dressed in homespun. I think there was only one store in Boston at that time where a full stock of ready made boots and shoes were kept for sale. That was near the market and kept by Nat Faxon.

Shoemakers went from house to house tarrying at each place long enough to make up the year's supply of footwear for the family. This was known in shoemakers portance as "Whipping the Cat." Planing mills were unknown and "Shoving the foreplane" was the main business of the carpenter's apprentice.

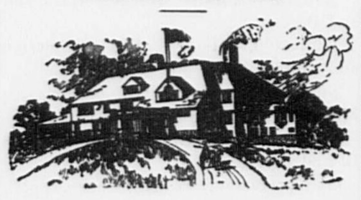
Foreign and domestic liquors were part of the stock of every grocery and were drunk by almost every one, moderate drinking being generally approved, but drunkenness condemned.

Wages were low and strikes and labor unions unknown. Children were plenty, the families generally being large yet no one starved and perhaps the sum of human happiness was not less than at the present day.

B. E. Hollis.

Weare, N. H., Jan. 23, 1905.

Cochato Club Fire.



Sunday morning at 9.45 fire was discovered on the roof of the Cochato club at Braintree. It is thought the roof took fire by a spark which fell from the chimney.

All Souls' church (Universalist-Unitarian) hold services in Cochato hall and the temporary janitor, Morris Willey, was warming the building.

When the fire alarm was pulled in the fire department responded promptly and the fire was extinguished in a few minutes. Considerable damage was caused however by the large amount of water put into the building. The loss is covered by insurance.

The damage is estimated at $2000.

McKinley Day.

Paul Revere W. R. C. observed McKinley day at the residence of Mrs. Annie Grignon on Saturday. The house was decorated with flags and the members present wore red carnations the favorite flower of martyred President. The exercises opened with singing, "Nearer, my God, to Thee." Mrs. Eliza Penniman, patriotic instructor, read portion of Scripture and all joined in the Lord's Prayer.

Selections from the life of President McKinley were read by the following: Mrs. Eliza Penniman, Mrs. Mary A. H. Crane, Mrs. Kate A. Hayden, Mrs. Annie Grignon, Mrs. Jennie Ewell, Mrs. Annie R. Brown, Mrs. Katherine Cotter, Mrs. Mary E. Powers and Miss Fannie Grignon. The program closed with singing "America" and flag salute.

Lincoln day will be observed at the next regular meeting of Corps.

Guilty of Larceny.

John Auer, an employe at the Fore River works, was arrested by Officer Larkin on Saturday for the larceny of brass pipe and junk from the works. Auer was employed in the ship drillers department, and it is alleged he was in the habit of carrying home pieces of piping, couplings, etc.

After his arrest a search warrant was secured and Inspector Bradley and Officer Johnson visited Auer's home at 20 Nelson street, where they recovered two hammers and a quantity of scrap brass.

Auer was arraigned in court for the larceny of brass from the Fore River Shipbuilding Co. He was sentenced to six months in the house of correction.

Large Family.

Another striking instance says the Herald, of the sort of family which meets President Roosevelt's idea of the perpetuation of the race is found in the historic town of Hingham, where resides on Derby street, Mr. and Mrs. John Leary, who have been the parents of 15 children, all living except one, which died in infancy. Mr. Leary was born in Quincy Jan. 6, 1845, being the son of Timothy and Catherine Leary. He married Feb. 12, 1868, at Weymouth Miss Jennie A. Clary a native of Milford. With the products of a farm of sixty acres near the Weymouth line the family has been supported.

☞The regulation of railroad rates has an irresistible fascination for Governor La Follette. That is his serious call to the senate. He will be an interesting and, perhaps, some time a powerful man in the senate, so hospitable to various talents. He is one of the cleverest political bosses in the country. We say, with no disrespectful intention, that he is a demogogue of genius. He is one of the characteristic figures of this period of emphatic personality and amorphous politics. Is he Republican or is he Democrat? Neither, in reality, we think, but an essential, unclassified radical, full of popular breath, surrounded with an enthusiasm which, perhaps, he does not wholly share. Strange colleagues, La Follette and Spooner! The doctrinaire boss and the constitutional lawyer, the man who wants to smash precedents and the man who respects them. Mr. Spooner's term will not end until 1909. Will radicalism be at high tide then, or will the ebb have come?—New York Sun.

School Expenditures.

The State House correspondent of the Patriot sends the following concerning the public schools in Norfolk county:

George H. Martin, the new secretary of the State Board of Education, has just issued his first report in his new capacity, as a part of the annual report of the board, and he discusses some most interesting phases of our public school system. It is a meaty document throughout. But the continuation of former tables is of much interest also to the people of the cities and towns, especially to the taxpayers.

There are three tables in the report which bear directly on the problem of the support of the state policy of aid to the small towns from the state treasury. First come a table which shows the comparative standing of the cities and towns in the money raised per child in the public schools. Then comes a table showing the proportion of taxes per $1,000 of valuation raised for the support of schools, and then there is a table of attendance.

Norfolk county makes a much better showing than most of the counties. Of large interest is the table, one of whose columns shows the amount yielded for each child in the membership of the public schools by the local tax for school support. The previous year is brought into the comparison, so the table shows the variations of policy or taxation.

At the head of all the towns in the state stands Lincoln, in Middlesex county, which pays the enormous comparative sum of $66.16 for each child in its public schools. Next is Weston, and these two towns were the top two last year, only their respective positions were reversed,—with $63.57. Brookline, the wealthiest town in the state, is third, with $51.39,—and that is a big drop from the Lincoln figures, and Hull is fourth with $48.47.

But there are 353 towns and cities in the State, therefore the Norfolk town of Avon which raises least per child stands far from the bottom of the list, and may therefore think itself fortunate to be so blessed with this world's goods.

Now the next table is far more interesting, as a whole, though the good fortune of Norfolk county people prevents the application being quite as forcible as the poorer portions of the state. Now come the table showing the sum per $1,000 of valuation which is appropriated by the towns severally for the support of their public schools. At the head of the list stands the hill town of Huntington in Hampshire county, which pays $8.47 out of every $1,000 of valuation for the support of the public schools. Warren in Worcester county was second, both last year and this and her percentage is $8.45. Now let us look for the Norfolk county towns:

Randolph rises from No. 25 last year to No. 7 this year, and gives $7.96 per $1,000 in school taxes.

Weymouth rises from 28 to 16, and gives $7.24.

Norwood rises from 53 to 20, and gives $7.08.

Wrentham rises from 58 to 32, and gives $6.67.

Foxboro rises from 57 to 53 and gives $6.31.

Holbrook drops from 45 to 58, and gives $6.27.

Bellingham drops from 33 to 65, and gives $6.11.

Braintree rises from 91 to 85, and $5.89.

Medway rises from 126 to 86 and gives $5.89.

Stoughton rises from 141 to 88, and gives $5.86.

Walpole drops from 78 to 93, and gives $5.84.

Avon rises from 162 to 94, and gives $5.83.

Millis rises from 161 to 97, and gives $5.81.

Needham rises from 211 to 154, and gives $5.19.

Franklin drops from 133 to 173, and gives $4.89.

Quincy drops from 170 to 183, and gives $4.81.

Norfolk drops from 117 to 188, and gives $4.77.

Canton drops from 184 to 208, and gives $4.50.

Dedham rises from 237 to 221, and gives $4.36.

Hyde Park rises from 246 to 230, and gives $4.23.

Sharon rises from 279 to 237, and gives $4.10.

Medfield rises from 282 to 277, and gives $3.52.

Dover drops from 178 to 317, and gives $3.17.

Wellesley rises from 311 to 308, and gives $3.12.

Milton rises from 327 to 313, and gives $2.90.

Westwood rises from 326 to 314, and gives $2.99.

Cohasset rises from 340 to 339, and gives $2.42.

Brookline rises from 349 to 343, and gives $1.98. This is the lowest Norfolk town in the list, but it is almost at the bottom for the entire state, showing how enormous is the wealth of the town which can stand so near the head of the amount appropriated for the support of each child and so near the bottom in proportion of school money raised per $1000 of valuation. The bottom of the list is Gosnold, with only 83 cents, but that is an extremely small town and evidently does not do much in education. Most of the rich towns, and a few very poor ones stand at the tail end of the column.

One more table will have interest to the tax-payers, and that is the one which shows the actual payments for the public schools. The first column shows the total expenditure for the public schools and the other the population in 1900. Quincy receives only $204 from other sources than taxation, while some of the towns at the further end of the county get material aid from the state. Brookline, Hyde Park, Milton and Needham raise every cent which their public schools get by direct taxation upon themselves. The table for the entire county follows:

	School Expenditure.	Population.
Avon,	$6,459	1,741
Bellingham,	6,531	1,682
Braintree,	29,011	5,981
Brookline,	172,560	19,935
Canton,	16,718	4,584
Cohasset,	15,764	2,759
Dedham,	47,799	7,457
Dover,	4,635	656
Foxborough,	14,177	3,266
Franklin,	17,658	5,017
Holbrook,	9,154	2,229
Hyde Park,	51,017	13,244
Medfield,	6,669	2,926
Medway,	9,952	2,761
Millis,	5,536	1,053
Milton,	62,782	6,578
Needham,	19,946	4,016
Norfolk,	4,349	980
Norwood,	33,557	5,480
QUINCY,	111,204	23,899
Randolph,	15,232	3,993
Sharon,	9,634	2,060
Stoughton,	19,234	5,442
Walpole,	19,698	3,572
Wellesley,	33,062	5,072
Westwood,	6,991	1,112
Weymouth,	50,011	11,324
Wrentham,	13,185	2,720
Totals,	$812,537	151,539

Odd Fellowship.

In the Lynn Item of Monday appeared the following comments, which have a local interest:

The practical workings of Odd Fellowship, in which such a large number of Lynn citizens are affiliated, was illustrated on Sunday, and it is not surprising that this ancient order continues to be popular and to increase rapidly in membership. A representative of the Item was returning from Boston via Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad, about noon. Shortly before the departure of the ferryboat from Boston, two men came aboard carrying another man in an armchair, who was evidently sick. By the way, this station should have a wheel chair, the same as other terminal stations.

The two men carrying the third were soon recognized as Noble Grand Frank Johnson and Vice Grand Albert Gray, of Kearsarge Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Lynn, and the sick man as B. H. Prescott, 69 Cedar street, a Past Grand of the same lodge. It was learned that the Past Grand had been taken ill at Quincy, where he went to spend the Christmas holiday with his sister, Mrs. F. F. Prescott; he was a guest of an Odd Fellow in the "City of Presidents," and during his sickness had received kind attention from the local lodge, Mt. Wollaston, No. 80.

The officers of Kearsarge Lodge met the sick brother at the South Terminal in Boston, wheeled him in a chair to the hack, escorted him across the city, carried him on to the ferry, and from the ferry to the Lynn train; at the West Lynn station they had a hack in waiting, and they continued with him to his home. Although the brother was very sick they made his journey a very comfortable one, and seemed to take pleasure in helping a member in distress.

G. A. R. Entertain.

In order to show their appreciation of the valuable assistance given them at their recent fair, Paul Revere Post, 88, G. A. R., entertained those who assisted them on Monday evening at Faxon hall, by a supper, entertainment and dance.

An appetizing oyster supper was served in the lower hall at 7 o'clock, after which an adjournment was made to the upper hall. Senior Vice Commander Ring presided and introduced Past Commander I. M. Holt as chairman of the evening.

A pleasing entertainment followed consisting of a drill by the Boys' Brigade of Atlantic and vocal music. This was followed by dancing until midnight music being furnished by Wilson's orchestra.

The refreshments were furnished and served by the proprietor of the Criterion cafe, who has already established quite a reputation.

The Granite Men.

A dispatch from Concord, N. H., shows that the granite manufacturers are uniting to meet the demands of the cutters. The item says, a call issued for the first annual meeting of the National Association of Granite Industries of the United States has been received by granite manufacturers here. The preamble says: "It is the purpose of this organization to associate in a central body all persons, firms or corporations engaged in carrying on any department of the granite industry in any part of the United States, in such manner as will enable them to effectively protect their individual and their mutual business interests, through uniform and common methods of action."

The first meeting will be held on Feb. 7 in the rooms of the Master Builders' Association, 166 Devonshire street, Boston.

On the bottom of the call, printed in heavy black letters, is this: "Do not take final action on any bill of prices, but bring them to this meeting for consideration and approval."

Appropriations Overrun.

A Boston paper says the annual report of City Treasurer Board of Somerville shows a deficit of $45,509.19 for 1904.

The anticipated income of the city for 1904 was considerably curtailed. The water income is gradually being shortened by the introduction of meters and the attendant cost of installation. Appropriations were exceeded by the fire and police departments, the public buildings maintenance, the board of health, the highway department and other departments to a lesser degree.

☞The constitutional liberty enjoyed by the Danes, the Norwegians, and the Swedes is the result of a free and outspoken press. Conversely put, this freedom of speech, as expressed through the numerous Scandinavian newspapers and periodicals, is the logical outcome where the people of the respective countries share completely in the affairs of their government. As a matter of fact, it required not a few hard-fought battles with pen on paper against the powers that were, before Northern journalism attained to its present high estate. More than one editor of the radical school found the prison cell his sole reward for championing the cause of liberty during the period of "reconstruction." But as in Scandinavia legislative halls were compelled to open to farmer, burgher, and aristocrat on equal terms censorial restriction became a dead letter, until today the press of no nation in the world is freer from pernicious interference than that of Denmark and Sweden-Norway. As promoters of education among the masses, the Scandinavian newspapers can teach their European contemporaries more than one lesson.—From "What the People Read in Scandinavia," by Julius Moritzen, in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for February.

Anecdotes.

Husband (at late breakfast, trying to make conversation)—Let me see. The moon was full last night, wasn't it?

Wife—Yes and it didn't have a monopoly of the busines either.

"No, Herbert, I am sorry; but I am sure we could not be happy together. You know I always want my own way in every thing."

"But my dear girl, you could go on wanting it after we were married."—Tit Bits.

Does your father say grace before dinner, Margie?"

Margie — "I don't know. What grace?"

Hostess—"Why, saying grace is returning thanks for what we have to eat."

Margie—"Well, my pa doesn't have to. He always pays cash for everything we have."

Horrified Mistress—Verena, the guests are not eating their oyster pie. What is the matter with it?

New Cook—I dunno, men. I put in half a cupful of sugar for every pint of oysters, Mebby that wasn't enough mem.—Chicago Tribune.

Household Receipts.

Oyster Soup. Half a pint of oysters, half a pint of milk, one teaspoonful of butter, one dessertspoonful of flour, salt to taste. Melt the butter in a saucepan, add the flour, stir to prevent burning, until it is thoroughly blended. Four in the oyster juice gradually, add the milk, and when the mixture boils put in the oysters. Let them cook about two minutes until they are plump and the edges curl.

To Broil Chops. Put them on a broiler as close to the coals or gas broiler as possible, and quickly brown them on both sides. After they are brown move them far enough from the fire to prevent them from burning. Sprinkle them with salt and cook them to the desired degree either rare or well done. Put them on a hot platter, with a little butter on each chop. Garnish with parsley and serve at once.

Salmon Salad. Open a can of salmon carefully, turn out the fish and drain. Have your salad bowl or dish covered with nice fresh lettuce leaves. Remove the bone and skin from the salmon and place the latter over the leaves. Dust it lightly with salt, and pour over it two or three tablespoonfuls of lemon juice. Put on a thick covering of mayonnaise dressing and serve. — Ladies' Home Journal.

Salad Dressing Without Oil. Rub the yolks of three hard-boiled eggs until smooth, add half a teaspoonful each of salt and sugar, and a saltspoonful each of white pepper and mustard, rub well, add three tablespoonfuls of rich cream, mix thoroughly, then slowly add vinegar until the dressing is the consistency of cream.

Law Offices to Close.

The Quincy Bar Association met again on Saturday, Jan. 28, to consider further the proposition to close the law offices three evenings a week. The following agreement was entered into, and it was voted to spread a copy on the records of the association and hand a copy to the press for the information of clients. While Mr. Pattee's name is not signed to the agreement, he sent word to the meeting that he would be bound by it.

AGREEMENT.

We, the undersigned, Attorneys and Counsellors at law, practicing and having offices in Quincy, hereby agree to close our said offices on and after February 1st, 1905, on the evenings of Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and that on the other evenings office hours shall be from seven to nine.

J. W. McAnarney
J. J. McAnarney
F. A. Tirrell
Nowland & Thompson
J. D. Mackay
John McKnight
W. W. Jenness
G. W. Abele
Charles J. Martell
William R. Thomas
George H. Brown
Edward J. Parker.

Quincy, Jan. 30.

Basket Ball Championship.

The rival basket ball teams of the city met on Saturday evening at St. Mary's hall for the first game in the series for the championship of Quincy. The St. Marys defeated the Quincys by a score of 16 to 11. The summary:

ST. MARYS.		QUINCYS.
Morrell, l.f	l.f.,	Townsend
D. Duggan, r.f.	r.f.,	McCullough
Maloney, c.	c.,	Holden
Mullen, l.b.	l.b.,	Burns
Joyce, r.b.	r.b.,	Garey

Score—St. Mary's 16, Quincy 11. Goals from floor D. Duggan 4. Morrell 3, Burns 2, Townsend 2. Goals on fouls—D. Duggan, Morrell, Holden 3. Referee—King. Umpire, Keating. Time—20-minute halves.

The St. Mary's second team also won from the Quincy second team 46 to 11.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Frederick C. Moseley to Lora C. Merrill.
Chas. F. Adams et al trs to Paul L Gunnella.
Ellen R. Galvin to J. Warren Nightingale.
Mary White by tr to Thos. J. Lamb.
Thomas J. Lamb to Jas. A. White et al.
Mary White by tr to Thomas J. Lamb, $7000.
Thomas J. Lamb to Margt. E. C. Hussey gdn.
Lydia Kendall to Wm. R. Dimock et al.
Eva K. Harting to Mary R. Lyons, $2140.
Mary R. Lyons to Charles H. White.
Edward F. Woods to Lora C. Merrill.
Sara A. B. Goldsmith to H. Everett Crane.
Frank P. Partridge to Willard Welsh, $2875.
Willard Welsh to Patk. J. Lyons.
Harlow H. Rogers to Martha S. Blaisdell.
Rachel S. Hewitson to Reginald A. Carmichael.
Edward E. Reynolds to John B. Tuttle.
Josephine E. Newhall to Geo. E. Haskins.
Frank Smith et al to Annie J. Clements.
Virgil W. Fuller to Harlow H. Rogers, $7300.
John J. Kemp to James W. Kemp.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Castle Square Theatre.

The management of the Castle Square Theatre announce as next week's attraction at this play house William Gillette's famous drama of the civil war "Held by the Enemy," which has not been given a performance in this city since it was produced at the Castle Square Theatre some six years ago. It will be remembered that Gillette tells an interesting story in a most original way in this play which has enjoyed a long career of popularity throughout the country since its author made its original production. "Held by the Enemy" is billed for only a single week with the usual free distribution of boxes of choice chocolate bonbons at the Monday matinee.

☞I hope the workingmen will get eight hours a day, not by law, but by gradual growth of public sentiment that eight hours' steady application to one kind of work is enough. But, as to work itself, that should be limited only by the number of hours one is not asleep, and brief intervals for recreation. The healthiest recreation is some kind of work. It is only the idler who gets into mischief.—Rockland Independent.

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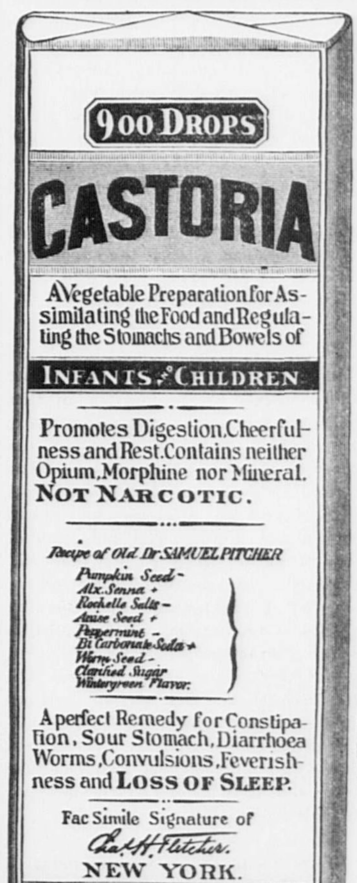

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Losses Paid in 85 Years, $96,328,139.96
JANUARY 1, 1904.

Cash Capital, -	$4,000,000.00
Reserve for Re-insurance (Fire)	4,281,503.60
Reserve for Unpaid Losses (Fire)	596,488 24
Reserve for Other Claims,	252,158 60
Net Surplus, - -	6,060,737.71
Total Assets,	15,190,888.15

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INCORPORATED IN 1851.
COMMENCED BUSINESS IN 1852
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CASH FUND January 1, 1904, **$705,963.30**
SURPLUS over Re-Insurance, **$455,776.74**
LOSSES paid the past year, **$42,201.94**
DIVIDENDS PAID the past year, **$66,032.42**
GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year, **$12,983.04**
GAIN IN CASH FUND the past year, **20,297.34**
AND EVERY LOSS PAID IN FULL.
AMOUNT AT RISK, *$32,586,226.00*
TOTAL LIABILITIES, *$250,186.56*

Dividends Paid on Every Expiring Policy; 60 per cent. on 5 years, 40 per cent. on 3 years and 20 per cent. on all others.
Quincy, Mass., 1904.

DORCHESTER
Mutual Fire Insurance Co.
Boston, Mass.
INCORPORATED 1855.
FIFTIETH ANNUAL STATEMENT
JANUARY 1, 1905.

Amount at Risk - - - -	$37,809,990.00
Cash Assets	507,409 00
Deposit Notes	627,581.17
Available Assets	1,134,990.24
Total Liabilities	338,543.29
Cash Surplus	168,866.78
Gain in Surplus in 1904	7,498.47
Gain in Assets in 1904	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904	103,055 43
Dividends paid in 1904	62,294 25
Receipts in 1904	244,429.85
Disbursements in 1904	228,975.58

This Company now pays the following Dividends:

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Home Office, Neponset, Boston, Mass.

Incorporated 1825.
Norfolk Mutual Fire Ins. Co.
DEDHAM, MASS.
STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1905.

Amount at Risk,	$24,627,979.48
Cash Assets,	668,766.38
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	193,222.23
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$475,544.15
Contingent Assets,	352,120.59
Total Available Assets,	1,020,886.97
Gain in Surplus,	17,211.34

Dividends are now being paid on five-year policies, 70 per cent.; on three-year policies, 50 per cent.; on one and two-year policies, 25 per cent.

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GEORGE H. FIELD, Agent for Quincy.

Incorporated 1837.
Dedham Mutual Fire Ins. Co.
DEDHAM, MASS.
STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1905:

Amount at Risk,	$7,224,426.07
Cash Assets,	169,173.07
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	62,518.78
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$106,654.29
Contingent Assets,	111,131.71
Total Available Assets,	280,304.78
Gain in Surplus,	4,[illegible]59.07

Dividends are now being paid on five-year policies, 70 per cent.; on three-year policies, 50 per cent.; on one and two-year policies, 25 per cent.

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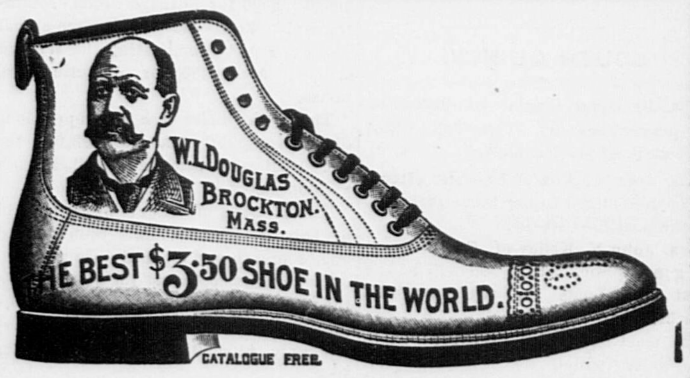
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Quincy Patriot Office
1424 Hancock Street
Quincy, Mass.

Poetry.

Valentines.

Not like the swain of olden days
Doth modern youth his mood incline
To soft guitar and gentle lays
Beneath the lattice-climbing vine,
When he would win his valentine.

Ah, life moved then in joyous ways,
And all was placid and benign;
There lurked no microbe to amaze
And hurt the youth with cough malign
When he would charm his valentine.

But now he simply writes and says,
"My health and bank account are fine;
You'll find that matrimony pays
If we our two estates combine
And you will be my valentine."

— Washington Star.

Miscellany.

CHRISTY'S VALENTINE.

John Parke bounded in at the door so energetically that it slammed behind him with a crash.

"That valentine — only decent one you've got—two-dollar and sixty-cent one," he whispered, cornering the owner of the "toniest" stationery store in town. "I haven't found anything better, and I'll take it."

"All right, Mr. Parke," said the proprietor, good-humoredly, "unless—"

He led the way to the counter whereon valentines were displayed.

"That satin one — pink one — two-sixty?" he queried of the clerk. "Mr. Parke will—ah!" For the satin one, the pink one, the two-dollar and sixty-cent one, was in the process of wrapping up by the clerk's deft hands. "Ah, you've bought it, Mr. Greer?"

"Yes," said Mr. Greer.

He grew quite red all over his queer little face. Some chronic joker had remarked that Mr. Greer's countenance was "out of plumb." His left eyebrow was higher than the other; his mouth quirked to the right. He was short and round and past fifty.

"Well, I trust she'll like it," said the stationer, jocularly.

And Mr. Greer's glow deepened painfully.

Parke did not wait to observe it. He strode out of the shop. The door banged so vigorously that Mr. Greer jumped.

"Greer!" he thought, hotly. "Greer! If it's come to that — his sending her a valentine—his daring too! But I don't know about daring; maybe he knows his business better than I know mine. How do I know she cares anything for me? A look now and then, a word or two. Pshaw! what's that? But he—he's an old friend of the family, and worth nobody knows how much, and—and perfectly respectable, I suppose," said Parke bitterly. "But to think of it! She's eighteen, and sweet and bright and lovely, and Greer—"

Parke bit his lips under his blonde moustache; they were almost quivering.

"But he's after her. I'm certain of it. He's been there every time I've been there lately, and now this valentine!"

Parke smiled grimly. He was passing a window hung full of them, and he half turned toward it.

"No, I won't. That was the only pretty one in town. He'll send it, and his name, probably. No, I'll let it go."

And tunelessly whistling, he went striding round a corner so rapidly as to all but upset a trim little person in a long furry cloak and a big pale-gray hat, from beneath which a freshly pretty face looked forth.

"Oh, Mr. Parke!" Miss Christy Derwent cried, laughing. "Why, you almost tipped me over! But I'm glad I met you. You asked me to go skating, do you remember? And I've been thinking that to-night would be perfect, with the full moon and all. Yes? you can go? I am glad."

Parke stopped for her at an early hour, but not so early, but that another caller was there before him.

He found Mr. Greer standing stiffly near the parlor table, pretending to look at a magazine. His left brow rose a little higher, and his mouth twitched somewhat farther to the right, with the friendly smile he gave Parke.

"He looks like a Chinese idol!" Parke thought, savagely.

But the short response to Mr. Greer's pleasant greeting, which was on his tongue's end, was suppressed by the entrance of Christy, and her mother, and "Miss Hattie," the sweet-faced spinster of uncertain age who sewed for the Derwents two weeks together, sometimes, and whom they made quite one of the family.

"Wear your tippet, Christine" said her mother, "and don't stay too late."

Christy kissed her mother sweetly, and Miss Hattie, too.

"Good night, Mr. Greer!" she said; and Mr. Greer responded placidly.

"He's not going to be disturbed by a little thing like this, since he's sure of her," Parke reflected, as he shouldered her skate-bag.

The moonlight was wide and splendid.

"Shan't we walk?" Christy urged. "It isn't a mile, and that stuffy old street car—"

"Certainly," said Parke.

He looked down at her. She wore a little plush hood, quaintly stylish, and her face was pink and beautiful within it.

Other girls, it seemed to Parke, were too frivolous; Christy had always a gentle underlying seriousness that Parke liked.

"You got your valentine?" he asked, abruptly. "Did you—like it?"

"Oh, so much!" she answered, quickly; and added, brightly and shyly: "What do you know about it?"

Yes, there was an odd shyness in her voice and manner; and Parke felt a chill of wretched certainty. Shy at the mention of Greer's valentine? That could mean, but one thing.

"Oh, I happened to see it!" he answered, crisply. "The moon is almost blinding!"

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

"It was so very pretty," Christy said still with timidity. "I never saw such a lovely one. Those Cupids on the pink satin; and that wreath of sweet peas—"

"The Dawson's new house is up to the second story," Parke observed, vaguely staring at it.

Christy looked up at him. There was timorous surprise in her eyes, blue as a violet in May.

"And—and it was so artistic," she faltered, "and sweet. I was so pleased."

"We'll have to walk faster than this if we want any time to skate," said Parke.

He had heard all he cared to about Mr. Greer's valentine, and his honest heart ached. How had it all happened? Once he had been sure she cared for him. And now—Mr. Greer! He felt dazed. He stalked on fast and silently.

The bay lay icily sparkling in the moonlight. The "rink" was a cleared space near the shore. Beyond it the snow lay in blue-white expanse. And the rink was a scene of gaiety.

Scores of light-hearted, nimble-footed young people were gliding across and around it, the light from the great bonfires at either end flickering on their glowing, laughing faces.

Christy sat down on an evergreen-wreathed bench, and Parke put her skates on. He buckled on his own, and rose to give Christy his hand. Then he sat down again, suddenly and with emphasis.

He winked a few times, and passed his hand over his eyes, without effacing the sight he could not credit.

Christy followed the direction of his gaze.

"Oh!" she said.

And then she hid her face, grown pink with suppressed laughter, in her muff.

The couple nearest them—Parke could with difficulty believe his eyes—but the couple nearest them was Mr. Greer and "Miss Hattie," Mrs. Dervent's attractive, elderly seamstress. And they were skating—that is, they were on skates—and Miss Hattie was keeping her balance admirably, and even taking short and timid, but correct strokes.

But Mr. Greer was an unhappy sight. He was clinging to Miss Hattie desperately—being two inches shorter than she — and merely wobbling on his short legs.

His hat was at a rakish angle, and his round, unsymmetrical face was flushed with his exertions. But he looked happy. A broad smile, which he tried to keep back, broke bounds constantly and illumined his countenance. He looked blissful.

"They must have come by the street-car," Christy said through her soft laughter. "Mr. Greer and Miss Hattie trying to skate! Oh, if mamma were here! But since his engagement, Mr. Greer is young enough for anything. He's rejuvenated."

"Engagement?" Parke echoed, with the idiocy of non-comprehension.

"Engagement — yes," Christy responded. "Look at them! How did he ever persuade her to come? Yes, they've been engaged three weeks and two days. Miss Hattie told me so. They used to know each other in Spruce Falls, where they both used to live—and liked each other, too! And then Mr. Greer went off West and got rich, and poor Miss Hattie's father got killed in a saw-mill, and she had to take to sewing, and if she hadn't come here and bought the woolen mill, and Mr. Greer hadn't come here so as to get more dressmaking to do—I mean just the other way, of course—why, they'd never have met again and got engaged. Papa is glad, because he is such a friend of Mr. Greer, and thinks he ought to get married. And mamma and I are glad because we love Miss Hattie."

"And I am glad," said Parke deliberately, though his voice was not quite steady, "because I love you. There—forgive me! I needn't have blurted it out like that. Tell me, why did you go wild over Greer's valentine? And why, in the name of sense and of Miss Hattie, did he send it to you?"

"Mr. Greer?" Christy gasped, tremulous with the sweet surprise with which his declaration had filled her. "He didn't!"

"But I saw him buying it," Parke cried, half laughing, half exasperated. "I know he bought it, for I was trying to buy it myself. And you've described it exactly—Cupids and sweet peas and all."

"Oh, John," Christy murmured, faintly, gently ignoring the fact that he had slipped two fingers inside her muff to touch her hand, "I thought you sent it! I was so sure! There wasn't any name on it; it was directed to the house. Mr. Greer had done that before, and it's absurd. But I suppose he thinks everybody knows that everything is from him and for Miss Hattie. Poor Miss Hattie! For me to steal her valentine! She shall have it as soon as ever we both get home again. To think of Mr. Greer sending her a valentine! How much in love he must be! Christy breathed, softly.

"He is," said Parke. "It's the only reasonable conclusion, isn't it?" I was going to send it to you, you know, only Greer got ahead of me."

His eyes fell again upon Mr. Greer, patiently and cheerfully and ludicrously laboring along at Miss Hattie's side.

"I have been so very foolish, dear girl," he murmured. "I don't know how I could have believed—"

But with her warm little hand lying trustfully in his, and her tender eyes darting timid, happy looks at him, and his heart beating hard with inexpressible gladness—with the moonlight flooding them, and the far and near sounds of talk and laughter floating to them—with all this, he found further words unnecessary.—Emma A. Opper.

The Dean's Nightshirt.

Hugh Pearson always spoke of Dean Stanley as the most absent minded man in the world. He was driving once with him into Palmero. He complained of feeling cold, and as Stanley had his traveling bag with him he advised him to put something extra on. He did so, and both resumed their papers. A loud laugh from some boys suddenly roused Pearson to the realization that Stanley was driving through the streets in his nightshirt, which he had put on over his coat in pure absence of mind.

For the Patriot.

New York Fashions.

SPRING MILLINERY.

Amid scurrying snow-flakes, the fashionist ventures forth to see the Spring syles, and complete satisfaction is the result, as never before in the history of fashion have fabrics or colors possessed so much charm. Spring millinery discloses many fascinations. Hats are all shapes and sizes. Those who are fond of wide brims will find them with both flat, high, or medium-high crowns, and in many hats the brim is laid over like an envelope, at sides, back or front, admitting of very fanciful trimming. For the young matron or middle-aged person, toques and turbans abound—either of plain straw, of mohair braid or small flowers.

FOR THE GAY YOUNG GIRL

come bewitching little three-cornered hats, or as a variety there is a very large shape in gossamer straw, with maline ruchings at the edge of the brim, and a flat crown, with a wreath of small rose buds and forget-me-nots, finished by bows of colored velvet ribbon, with a very full face trimming at one side, and worn in a slanting position. Taken as a whole, hats are smaller. Toques and turbans of violets, hyacinths, rose-leaves or lilacs, with an intermixture of foliage, make a very pretty showing in the shop windows and it is already a certainty that flowers will be used to a greater extent than any other trimming.

IN DRESS GOODS

and other departments as well, H. O'Neill & Co., give authoritive information as to what will be fashionable. There is always a "fad" regarding some special material, and for the coming season it is mohair. Striped, plain or checked, all are in equal demand. The highest grade is in blue and green checks, showing Tartan colors. Another style has irregular dashes on a plain surface. Black and white checks of several sizes while not in competition with those of mohair, will doubtless have their share of patronage.

FRENCH CREPES

and all fabrics on that order, veilings, voiles, henriettas and eoliennes occupy a good position among spring exhibits. Panne chiffon broadcloths from their beautiful silky finish, make a most tempting display, and trimmed with appliques or embroideries, constitute very attractive costumes.

In silks, checks are very prominent, both on plain or changeable grounds, and hair line stripes, small Oriental designs, or dots of various dimensions are the principal ornamentations.

This pretty walking costume, the illustration of which is supplied by the Royal Pattern Co., of New York City, is of green silk, trimmed with Cluny lace, medallions and insertion. The bolero is to be worn over a lace blouse. Belt of white kid.

IN THE EARLY SPRING MODELS

skirts are still plated, a little distance below the hips remaining plain. Several new broad-cloth suits are made with basques, one, pointed at the front having a fancy vest, fastened with small buttons, and a postilion back. The second has a closed front, and a more pronounced postilion back. The skirt has a border about twelve inches deep of lengthwise rows of silk braid, turned into points at the top, and basque and sleeves are trimmed in harmony. A shepherd check dress is made with an eton and small blouse beneath, both trimmed with black braid.

THE SLEEVES

of cloth dresses are quite moderate in size, and set to cuffs trimmed in keeping with waist and skirt.

In lighter fabrics, sleeves will be very full at the top, and a deep cuff gives opportunity for displaying original ideas in the way of ornamentation. Braid, particularly the soutache varieties, embroideries, appliques, stitching in shapes and laces of all kinds will be lavishing employed on spring and summer costumes. Lucy Carter.

☞Washington's collection of bronze soldiers is to be increased by effigies of General McClellan and Baron Steuben. McClellan is to sit a horse on Connecticut avenue in front of the British embassy, and Steuben will probably occupy a corner of Lafayette square. We are glad McClellan's memory is to receive this tribute. Though differences of opinion about the effectuality of his generalship may continue for another century, history will not deny his right to be ranked high among the defenders of the Union. Moreover, a proper statue of "Little Mac" on horseback will be extra good to look at. Frederick Mac Monnies has made a model for the one that congress has provided for, and a decision about it is looked for early next month. If the bronze horsemen continue to collect in Washington it may be necessary some day to gather them into a troop, led, it may be, by General Jackson on the uneasy charger assigned him by Mills.—Harper's Weekly.

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For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, Feb. 4, 1905.

Barely twenty working days remain for the present Congress. Of course, the next three weeks will be much given to night sessions, and hurried work which, if it were not irreverent as applied to Congress, means "scamped work." Bills will be passed that should not become laws and laws for which there has long been a crying need will be put off it may be for years. It is scarcely possible for much needed postal legislation to be enacted. The railroad rate bill cannot be passed in proper form, although some measure looking to regulation may be enacted. The Appropriations bills will be passed, of course. The Government must have money to pay expenses. It is deplorable that Congress has no superintendent or boss who can make it work. Of course, the country is its boss, but the supervision is so remote, and so indirect that it seems impossible to hold legislators down to their work. To an onlooker up a tree or from another planet, the main duty of Congress and its wife would appear to be of a social rather than of a legislative character. Of all the administrations since George Washington, that of Roosevelt keeps the openest house. Receptions at the Executive Mansion to which invitations are issued by the 5,000; teas given by Mrs. Roosevelt "a little more select" as the saying is, to which there are thousands of invitations; cabinet dinners which, at the request of the President, have been enlarged so as to include others than the cabinet families; entertainments given by multi-millionaire Senators, Members, private citizens, and others make the Congressional session a nocturnal rout —a perpetual Vanity Fair—quite unfitting legislators who assist at its functions for the serious work for which they are chosen.

News comes this morning that the New York Chamber of Commerce opposes the government railroad rate making. There is also intelligence that Mr. Hepburn has been hanged in effigy on account of the bill which he has introduced, and his attitude toward the railways. From other sources—notably Pennsylvania through Congressman Sibley—come notes, and thunders of protest, and friends of the reform have great fear that they will not be able to overcome the coalition of those opposed to any really effective bill. The opposition of the Chamber of Commerce in New York is easily understood for a large portion — perhaps the majority of railroad stock is held in New York, and much of it by members of the Chamber of Commerce, their families, relatives, and clients. It is hoped that the next Congress will be more harmonious, more in accord with the Administration, and more effective in carrying out the promises, platforms and sentiments that made it.

The Agricultural appropriation bill came up this week, and Senator Platt, from that leading agricultural state, Connecticut, intimated that the practical farmers of the country thought the Agricultural Department was rather overdoing itself in the way of experiments, and inventions. He may have had reference to the cultivation of Northern oranges; or perhaps he thought the wooden nutmeg monopoly of his state might be interfered with. Senator Pettus of Alabama, the oldest Senator on the floor made one of those rare impromptu efforts for which he has a reputation. He declared that the Agricultural appropriation was the most valuable one that Congress was called upon to make. "Don't you remember the flowers in front of the cabin door, when you were a boy?" he asked. "Don't you remember the violets growing there, oh Senators?" "We young men remember those things." "Do not forget the time, when you were better, if not wiser then you are now." "I do not believe the Secretary of Agriculture sends cotton seed to Maine, and I do not know whether he has nutmeg seed or not, but he is a farmer, and he knows his business.

The question of another new Cabinet Officer is again under discussion in certain legislative coteries. Since the acquisition of Hawaii, Porto Rico, Panama and the Philippines, and our suzerainty of Cuba. The Secretary of War has more to do in care of our insular interests than with the army proper. There is need for a Secretary of Insular affairs, and it is possible that a new cabinet officer with this title will sooner or later be appointed.

There has always been jealously between religious denominations, and charitable institutions, but especially between the Catholic and Protestant churches with regard to favoritism in appropriations, and the Protestant churches are now claiming that the Catholics during the recent political campaign were given more than their share of the appropriation for Indian schools than they were entitled to and for the purpose of securing the Catholic vote. Mr. Chas. J. Bonaparte of Baltimore is a friend, and admirer of the President, and a very ardent Catholic, and Civil Service reformer. The President's order permitting the Commissioner of Indian affairs to make contracts with Catholic schools has been attributed to the influence of Mr. Bonaparte. In a recent interview Mr. Bonaparte said, "I am ready, and perfectly willing to tell the Senate Committee all I know about this matter, but I do not think it possible that any one of common sense could have believed that Professor Scharf spoke for the Catholic church or for anybody, but himself in what he is alleged to have said. Those who pretend they thought or now think this are simply trying to use a trivial incident to revive those sectarian prejudices and animosities which have died out among all Americans except some small people engaged in small and dirty work." Mr. Bonaparte is a grandson of Jerome Bonaparte, a brother of the great Napoleon. Jerome came to America, and married Miss Patterson, of Baltimore, and Mr. Charles Bonaparte is consequently a grand nephew of the great Napoleon. The latter on the return of Jerome Bonaparte to Europe compelled him to disown his American marriage, marry a princess, and assume the crown of Westphalia. His American wife was offered a residence in Westphalia which she declined saying, "The kingdom, sire is too small for two queens." Adams.

Albert E. Winship.

Known far and wide as one of the most active and versatile men in public life today, Dr. Albert E. Winship takes front rank, not only as one of the "strong men" of Somerville, but also as one of the leaders of New England. In educational, literary, religious, and political circles his influence reaches from one end of the country to the other.

That one individual can engage in so many lines of work and crowd so many things into the 365 days of a year borders on the incredulous.

He is attending church in East Somerville, or spending Christmas with his family one day, and the same afternoon he starts on a two-weeks' lecture trip to Michigan and Wisconsin. Then he is back again in time to change his valise, deliver a few lectures, attend to a heap of business matters, and off he starts on a ten-days' trip to Kansas. Editorials are written and lectures prepared en route. Perhaps the next thing heard from him, he is presiding over a meeting in Boston, attending a convention in Atlanta, or starting on a trip to the Pacific coast.

His present activities cover a range of public service attained by few. For instance, Dr. Winship is a member of the Massachusetts state board of education, having been appointed last year. He is chairman of the committee of arrangements for the Religious educational association, which will meet in Boston February 12-16. He is also trustee of the New England conservatory of music, and a member of the advisory board of the Emerson college of oratory. For the past five years he has been president of the Massachusetts Republican Editorial association; and for the same length of time he has been on the executive committee of the Massachusetts Republican club. He is also vice-president of the National Republican Editorial association.—Somerville Journal.

Civilization.

It is a great thing, this civilization. Look what it has done for the nation of Japan, that sweet, sane and contented little empire set down by itself in the sea. Read in the columns of your daily newspapers how civilized Japan has become! Think, for instance, what civilization has done for the island people of Honolulu. There was as sweet and innocent and lovable a race as ever existed. What more does a white man today get out of life than a native of Honolulu had 100 years or so ago? Peace and content and love and happiness, abundance of all material comforts, physical well-being, mental calm and peacefulness of nerves—what more will money buy him than these? Money will not buy them now in Honolulu.

Those people were savages. We are civilized. Gradually we are civilizing the world. Are we wholly improving the world thereby? What man shall rise and show clearly to humanity the utter hollowness and mockery of what is called success today? What man in the future shall be able to show the absolute failure of city life, the modern strenuous commercial life; to give to laboring, stumbling, hoping humanity the taste of a better fruit than the ashes of the apples of Sodom? And yet under all the struggles lies the old savage, calling out for the west, and for Japan, and for Honolulu, and for the unfound places of the world. There is something back of the cry. A tall pine tree may be worth more to humanity than the whole Flatiron building of New York. Under the one there may be born a soul. Under the other there may be crushed down many souls. As between what was once called savagery and what is now called civilization, it is not ourselves but the ages which will decide.—Field and Stream.

In the Maine Woods.

Although some thousands of tourists flock to the deep woods and charming lakes of Northern Maine every year for their annual vacation, there is yet room in this great natural playground, nearly 15,000 square miles in extent, for many more thousands to hunt, and fish, and canoe, and have the outing time of their lives. It is with the idea of bringing the possible visitor into a more intimate knowledge of the wonderful vacation resources of Maine's immense north country that the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad Company is about to issue the eigth annual edition of its handsome great guide-book, "In the Maine Woods."

This book, which will be ready for distribution early in March will present the vacation attractions of northern Maine in a particularly comprehensive and entertaining manner. It will tell just where the famous fishing grounds are, where big moose and graceful deer abound, what canoe trips are best to take and how to take them, and much other information that is interesting to any reader and invaluable to any person who proposes to visit this vast recreation region.

The book will have 192 pages, with cover and two full-page inserts printed in three colors, and over a hundred half-tone pictures, taken from actual photographs, illustrating the text. A large map, clearly printed, and showing the entire B. & A. region in detail, including the canoe routes, trails, camps, etc., will be bound with the book, and nothing will be left undone to make this forthcoming volume of even greater interest and value than any of its predecessors.

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The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1905.

City Officials in Office.

Monday was Quincy's second inauguration day for 1905. A day when the old department officials walk out, and the new officials walk in. Yet so well regulated have city affairs become that a stranger visiting City Hall would not be aware that any changes had taken place.

At the close of business Saturday night, those officials who were to retire, closed their desks for the last time, and wishing their clerks a fond farewell took their departure.

Monday morning the new officials came in, and the clerks were greeted with a cheery "good morning," just as though nothing had happened.

Commissioner Burke found himself up against a snow storm. He was up betimes, however, and bright and early that morning had the ploughs out, so that by 8 o'clock the sidewalks on the main thoroughfares had been opened up, and the street crossings in City Square swept clean.

James H. Cunningham was behind the rail in the Tax Collector's office as smiling as could be, while in the office in the basement, which he relinquished Editor Green was preparing to look after the city's poor.

City Solicitor Thomas was at his desk in the Mayor's office ready to give legal advice to the Mayor and other officials who desired it.

Down stairs was W. H. Teasdale and Dr. Whiton, two members of the new board of health who were preparing to look after the health of the city. Henry P. Kittredge, the other new member, is in the South.

In the other offices at City Hall there were no changes. The same gentlemen who administered the affairs last year will do the same again this year.

Outside of City Hall the principal change was in the Chief of Police. Chief Hayden remained in charge until midnight when Chief Frank E. Burrell assumed charge of the Police department of the city.

The other new department official outside of City Hall is Dr. Hallowell the City Physician.

On the administrative boards are the following new members:

Park Commissioners,— Dexter E. Wadsworth in place of Luther W. Glover.

Burial Places,— Joseph H. Vogel in place of Cephas Drew who was chairman last year.

There are no changes on the Library board or the Adams Academy board.

Should be Gates.

The accident at the Saville street railroad crossing Feb. 2, has been the topic of conversation in the city since. The general consensus of opinion is that gates should be maintained at this crossing which is admitted to be a most dangerous one.

Many hold to the opinion that had there been gates at the crossing the accident that cost one life and perhaps two would never have happened.

Miss Gustafson, who is at the City Hospital, is doing as well as could be expected. She is, however, in a dangerous condition, and it is about an even chance if she recovers.

When her injuries were dressed at the City hospital on the night of the accident her foot was amputated at the ankle. Feb. 3 it was found that another operation was necessary in order to save her life, and during the day the leg was amputated just below the knee. On Wednesday of this week a third operation was necessary and the leg was amputated above the knee.

Women's Club for Quincy.

A meeting to consider the desirability of forming a women's club is to be held in the chapel of Bethany church on Tuesday afternoon February 14th, at half-past two, which all Quincy women interested are cordially invited to attend. Speakers of ability have been secured, among them Miss Susan C. Richards of the Monday club, Weymouth; Miss Elizabeth F. Merrill, Dorchester club and Mrs. Marion A. MacBride, Cantabrigia club, Cambridge, who will tell of the formation of women's clubs elsewhere and a general discussion open to all will follow. Among those interested in the movement are: Mrs. W. E. Alden, Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney, Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick, Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Mrs. Alice H. Marsh, Mrs. George W. Morton, Miss Annie L. Prescott, Mrs. J. W. Sanborn, Mrs. George G. Saville, Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard, Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, Mrs. John F. Welch and Mrs. Horace M. Willard.

Lost the Last Train.

More than one resident of this city thinks that one of the worst predicaments they have encountered is to become stalled on an elevated train at 11.15 P. M. for half an hour when the last train leaves Boston for Quincy at 11.27, but this was the ill luck of several thousands of passengers on the Boston Elevated trains on Thursday evening by the failure of power, which is supplied through the third rail. The tie-up occurred about 11.10 P. M. and the entire system of elevated trains was affected. Every train was suddenly stopped and the hundreds of anxious passengers who were eager to reach their homes could only fume or resign themselves stoically to their situation.

—The safety of Minot's Ledge lighthouse, the world famous light built 45 years ago off Cohasset shore, to replace the one destroyed in the storm of 1851, was in turn threatened during the great gale of Jan. 25. So violently did the light sway and rock, the keepers declare that they were frequently thrown down and that the water came in through the ventilators on the top of the light 100 feet above the sea for the first time in its history, and altogether the keepers had an exceedingly exciting experience.

—After nearly four days of discussion the House on Thursday, by a vote of 326 to 17, passed the Esch-Townsend bill, providing for the regulation of freight rates. The negative vote was made up of 11 Republicans and six Democrats. One of the Republicans was Mr. McCall of Massachusetts.

—The Dorchester Company is one of the largest of the mutual fire insurance companies in the state. During the past year the company has written risks to over thirteen million dollars; and the amount of premiums received was $223,038. Double what most of the mutual companies have done.

The Odd Fellows' building on High street, Dedham, was damaged by fire on Thursday, and the loss is estimated at $10,000. It was a two and one-half story building occupied by Samuel Dexter lodge, I. O. O. F., the Grand Army and the Royal Arcanum.

[illegible] trial of Mrs. Cassie L. Chad[illegible] the U. S. district court at [illegible] been set for Monday,

CITY BRIEFS.

J. C. Smith, who is located at Stonington, Vt., is in town for a few days.

Miss Minnie Hardwick is confined to her home on Revere road a victim of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter E. Wadsworth have returned from their flying trip to Jamaica.

Emery L. Crane has been confined to his home on Whitney road the past two weeks by illness.

Bethany church was prettily decorated with C. E. bunting on Sunday for Christian Endeavor day.

Miss Jessie Webb resumed her duties at the Co-operative Bank this week after an illness of ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Hayward of Coddington boulevard entertained their whist club on Wednesday evening.

The Board of Health has organized with William H. Teasdale as chairman and Dr. Ross K. Whiton as clerk.

Mrs. Ellen M. Miller and her mother Mrs. Edwin N. Willett are both quite ill at their home on High school avenue.

W. B. Rice spoke at the State House hearing on Monday in favor of reciprocity with Canada and Newfoundland.

The extremes of February noon temperature last year were 60 and 10, and for the last eight Februaries 60 and 5.

City Clerk Keith has been having a struggle with the grip for several days, but does not propose that it shall keep him away from City Hall.

Mrs. Charles Jones of South street, who has been seriously ill the past four weeks with pneumonia, is reported out of danger, and slowly improving.

President Nichols of the City Council is confined to the house by a severe cold and an attack of the grip with which he has been suffering for ten days.

The C. E. society of the United Presbyterian church carried away the banner, at the meeting of the East Norfolk bi-monthly meeting at East Milton last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley T. Perry, who were married at St. Johns, N. B., Jan. 24, have returned from their wedding trip and are now residing on Spear street, this city.

Charles A. Gragg, the letter carrier, and Mrs. Gragg have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in the loss of their daughter Elizabeth who died Monday in her second year.

Mrs. James Purington announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Jeannette B. Purington of Topsham, Me., to George O. Peverley of Livermore Falls, Me., formerly of Quincy.

Rev. E. N. Hardy of Bethany church will be the principal speaker Wednesday, Feb. 15, at the 42d annual meeting of the Central New Hampshire Congregational club at Manchester, N. H.

Miss Florence Newcomb has returned to her home on Newcomb street from Greenfield, for a two months' vacation. Owing to the severe cold weather and snow her school had to be closed.

Quite a number of people mistake the box on a pole in front of the Faxon block, used by the street railway employes to deposit their slips, as a letter box. Several letters are posted there every day.

G. W. Abele, attorney, has given a bond as Trustee in bankruptcy of the estate of Carl G. Winquist and others. The bond was given by the American Surety Company of New York, through George H. Brown, its attorney.

Mr. Avard Sproul gave a largely attended subscription dance at Colonial hall, Feb. 3, matronized by Mrs. A. E. Sproul and Miss Georgiana Lane. Young people were present from Braintree and Boston some twenty-five couples in all.

Gentlemen's night of the Woman's Press club is to be observed Wednesday, February fifteeth at hotel Vendome, Boston, by a reception at six o'clock followed by dinner at half past six. Some fine after dinner speakers have accepted invitations to be present.

Chief of Police Burrell relinquished his duty as a patrolman Saturday morning, and Chief Hayden immediately assigned Officer Goodhue to the night beat in City Square. Officer Goodhue formerly had this beat but a year ago by orders from the Mayor's office he was transferred to the extreme southerly beat.

It is with real regret that the friends of Miss Carrie Barnes hear of her illness in New York. She was to have sailed from New York, Feb. 3, on a trip to the Mediterranean but was taken suddenly ill the day before. Her friends sympathize with her disappointment in having to give up so delightful a trip.

An important duty devolves upon Lieut. Col. Henry L. Kincaide, the new assistant inspector general on the staff of Gov. Douglas, but few young men are better qualified. He will inspect the Second regiment infantry, officers as well as enlisted men. Companies will be given ten days' notice.

Mrs. Waldo E. Barney, formerly Miss Emma Veazie of this city, has the sympathy of Quincy friends in the death of her husband at Bridgewater, last week. They were married less than three years ago, and have a child, five months old. The body was brought to Quincy, Monday for interment at Mt. Wollaston.

A meeting of the Quincy Branch Alliance will be held Monday, February 13, at three o'clock in the parlor of First church. This will be the Home Science meeting and Mr. Josef Sandberg of Boston will speak on "What manual training does for boys." A cordial invitation is extended to all women to attend these meetings.

The funeral of Julius Nelsón, the victim of Thursday night's railroad accident at the Saville street crossing, was held Sunday afternoon from the Swedish Lutheran church. The services which were very largely attended and were conducted by Rev. John A. Bernhard, pastor of the church. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

G. H. Jacques of this city is owner of the dandy little Yorkshire terrier Endcliffe Master illustrated in Kenneldom last week. He was imported in 1901 by George S. Thomas of Hamilton. He is a royally bred Yorkshire, and possesses all of the qualities necessary for a successful bench show career. Among Endcliffe Master's recent winnings are a first at Brockton and a second at Lynn. He has a fine record in the stud.

The Junior Endeavorers of Bethany church enjoyed a special treat at their missionary meeting on Friday, Feb. 3. The subject was Japan, and the chairman of the missionary committee, N. Phillips Hardy, read a paper on Japan which was beautifully illustrated by colored stereopticon views. Thomas Dewhurst, president of the society, took charge of the meeting. There were one hundred and thirty-five children present.

There will be a box lunch meeting of the Fragment Society in the Unitarian chapel next Wednesday from 10 to 3.

The Quincy basket ball team was defeated by the Danvers A. A. on Tuesday evening, 29 to 13.

The list of those who passed the recent examination for the bar does not contain any Quincy names.

The grand fair of Camp Boyd and the Sons of Veterans Auxiliary will open in Hancock hall next Wednesday.

The annual meeting of the trustees of the Quincy Hospital will be held at the hospital on Monday afternoon, Feb. 13.

The Mayor and City Council should request the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. to place gates at the Saville street crossing.

Tax Collector James H. Cunningham assumed the duties of office Thursday morning, the delay having been caused in filing bonds.

The annual meeting and supper of the King's Daughters will be held Tuesday evening, Feb. 14. It will be gentlemen's night.

The street railway had a gang of men at work Wednesday evening carting away the big bank of snow that buried its tracks on Depot street.

Miss Georgiana Cushing Lane of Goffe street is hostess on Monday afternoon for the Junior Friday club, which meets at her home at three o'clock.

A Valentine social is announced as the next event in the Manet club series, to be held on the evening of the fourteenth at Faxon hall.

W. W. Osborne of Wellesley Hills, formerly of Quincy, is slowly improving after a severe illness being able to go out if weather is favorable.

A verdict was given the defendant with an award of $10 in the suit of George H. Field, deputy sheriff, vs. Calvin G. Fletcher, to recover machinery attached.

Another effort will be made this year to have Maple place extended to City Square and at the same time widened. The necessity is every day more apparent.

A gold watch stolen from Mrs. W. H. Noterman at the Great Hill house, Houghs Neck, last July, was recovered Wednesday, by Inspector McKay, in a Boston pawnshop.

As the date for the next whist party in the series being given by ladies of the Cochato club, Braintree, comes on St. Valentine's day an unusually pleasant afternoon is anticipated.

The cases of Bates vs. the City of Quincy, and King vs. City of Quincy are in order for trial at the Norfolk Superior court; also the case of Abbott vs. Litchfield, and other Quincy cases.

John A. Boyd camp, L. S. W. V., have added four more honorary members, all of whom have accepted, viz: Gen. Nelson A. Miles, Joseph W. Dennen, Arthur W. Stetson and Charles F. Pettengill.

The crack Elite bowling team of the Elite alleys, Boston, rolled a match game here on Wednesday evening with the local champion team at the Granite street alleys, winning the first two games and losing the third.

The Thomes A. Whicher house on Adams street has been leased through the agency of C. H. Burgess to W. H. Binnian of Peoria, Ill. Mr. Binnian will stop at The Greenleaf until the house is put in repair.

At the whist party held in G. A. R. hall Wednesday evening there were twelve tables in play. The highest score was 48 by Charles Cummings. The other lucky ones were Mrs. A. C. Merritt, Mrs. Benjamin Bishop and D. McLellan.

Louis A. Cook of Weymouth, the popular clerk of courts for Norfolk County, was on Wednesday elected grand senior warden of the Grand encampment, I. O. O. F., of Massachusetts. Joseph Johnson of Lynn is the new grand patriarch.

Considerable interest is being taken by the women of Quincy in the proposed Woman's club and it is hoped that all interested will attend the meeting Tuesday afternoon and bring their friends. The meeting is called for half past two in Bethany chapel.

The prospective members of John Adams Commandery, Knights of Malta, held a meeting Wednesday night at Greenleaf hall. Quite a number signed the charter list and success is assured. A smoke talk will be held next Thursday evening at the same place and a large attendance is expected.

A Quincy constable was robbed while standing in a crowded street car in Boston on Tuesday. He rode only a short distance—between Pleasant street and Castle Square theatre—and says he could recognize the fellow if he should see him. The amount was small; only a little change which he put in his outside coat pocket.

The surgeon at the City Hospital found it necessary to perform an operation on Miss Signa Gustafson, the young woman injured in the railroad accident at the Saville street crossing Feb. 2. The operation was performed Wednesday when the leg was amputated above the knee. The shock to the system by this operation was a severe one and the young woman is in a precarious condition.

There was a good number present Tuesday evening, at the entertainment given at Masonic hall under the auspices of Rural lodge, and a pleasant evening was enjoyed. The entertainment opened with selections by Cuff's orchestra, and the program included readings by Miss Beatrice R. Walker, and Arthur Kachel, and selections by the Harvard quartette. A social dance followed.

The Monday Night whist club met at Mrs. Pineo's home Tuesday evening. Four new members joined, one of whom carried away one of the beautiful presents offered by Mrs. Pineo as second prize. An hour's enjoyment followed the playing. A bountiful treat was prepared by the hostess and there was singing and music. Mr. Murphy and his booby rattle amused many.

Dr. William J. Dawson of London is announced to speak in Bethany church on Wednesday evening, March 1. Dr. Dawson has a national reputation as scholar, writer and preacher, and he champions "Evangelism plus Culture." God has wonderfully blest him in his great London church, in reaching all classes and conditions of men. He comes with a special message to Christians.

Sidney A. Brigham, whose death took place at Hingham on Saturday, was recently a resident of this city, having lived on Washington street and Faxon avenue. He was a dealer in electrical supplies in Boston. He leaves a widow and one son, Melville F. Brigham. The funeral will be held at his old home in Marlboro on Wednesday and will be attended by John Rawlins Post 43, G. A. R. Mr. Brigham served in the 13th Massachusetts Volunteers, Co. F.

Hon. and Mrs. William B. Rice of Adams street are at The Ericson, 373 Commonwealth avenue, Boston, for the rest of the winter.

The Woman Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. for the February meeting will meet at the home of Mrs. Theophilus King, Adams street, on Monday, the twentieth.

Quincy Council Knights of Columbus will attend requiem mass for deceased members at the Sacred Heart church, Atlantic, on the morning of Feb. 22.

The case of Eric G. Berfors vs. Edward Caron, both of Quincy, is on trial in the Norfolk Superior court. It is a petition to enforce a mechanic's lien.

The Quincy branch of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees will hold its third annual ball at Quincy Music hall, Friday evening, April 28.

The Globe reports that funds are being raised among the pupils and teachers of the high school at Millbury under the direction of John O. Hall Jr. principal, to buy a new flag for the staff at the school.

The General Society of the Daughters of the Revolution give a reception to members on Tuesday afternoon, February the twenty-first from three to six, in the Astor gallery of the Waldorf-Astoria, New York City.

Mrs. Florence W. Starr of Dorchester announces this week the engagement of her daughter, Miss Florence Edna Cowling, to Mr. Charles W. Hall, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Whitney Hall of Hancock street, Quincy.

Dr. and Mrs. George B. Rice of Pleasant street, Brookline, will observe Lincoln's birthday on Monday, February thirteenth, by an at home from four until six. Several of their Quincy friends are going over to participate in the observance.

The Managers of Public Burial Places organized on Thursday with Albert W. Fay as chairman and George T. Magee as clerk. James Nicol was reelected as superintendent. Regular meetings of the board are held the second Tuesday of each month.

The annual meeting of the National Society of the Daughters of the Revolution is to be held the last of April at Asheville, N. C. Arrangements are being made for a large party of delegates. After the convention several days will be spent at Washington, Mount Vernon, Philadelphia and New York.

The bowling tournament of the neighboring lodges of the I. O. O. F. was held on Wednesday evening at the Kenwood alleys, Braintree, between Mt. Wollaston and Puritan lodges, with the following score: Mt. Wollaston 1156 points, and Puritan 1198 points. The highest string of the evening, 114 points, was rolled by H. A. Simonds.

The next meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club will be held February 14, at 6.30 P. M. Hon. H. Heustis Mewton, Mayor of Everett, will address the club on "Municipal Government," and Hon. W. H. Lewis of Cambridge, Assisant United States District Attorney, will speak on "Citizenship."

Paul Jones Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, through its regent Miss Marion H. Brazier, has extended an invitation to members of Adams Chapter of this city, to attend a meeting and entertainment on Tuesday afternoon, February fourteenth, at three o'clock, in the banquet hall of Exeter Chambers.

The Woman's Press club is arranging a novel entertainment to be held at Copley hall, Boston on Saturday March fourth. It is called a "Celtic Holiday" and everything will be as the name signifies typical of the Irish nation; with dances on the green in costume, an Irish play in the evening, rustic booths for the sale of Irish products and a restaurant with typical dishes.

Mr. Sykes, who will deliver an able address at the Universalist church tomorrow evening is a clergyman who has done a great deal of aggressive work in behalf of Universalism in Denver, Colorado. He is an able preacher, and always has something to say. Since his return east he has been very much in demand. His spirit is that of a consecrated clergyman, anxious to "be about his Father's business."

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stetson of School street leave on Tuesday for the south to be gone five or six weeks. They are to join friends at Wilmington and go directly to Augusta and later will visit other places further south. As Mrs. Stetson has quite recovered from her recent illness and takes with her trunks full of beautiful summer clothes there is no doubt but what the next few weeks will be one round of pleasure for her.

The Forget-Me-Not club met at the home of Mrs. W. T. Babcock Wednesday afternoon. There were present the president Miss Harriet Waldron, the secretary and treasurer Miss Louise Dunn also Miss Catherine McDonald, Miss Marguerite McCarthy and Miss Mary Faxon. Miss Roberta Smith and Miss Maud Dyer were absent, the latter being kept at home by illness. These young misses are planning to have a musicale the first week in April. Mrs. Paul Blackmur has kindly consented to give some solos and Mr. Dwyer of Boston may lend his assistance.

Entre Nous Club.

The Entre Nous club, which has been holding weekly afternoon sessions of whist throughout the winter, wound up its season Wednesday evening with a gentlemen's night.

The gathering on this occasion was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Spooner on Revere road. Mr. and Mrs. Spooner proved delightful entertainers, and the five tables at play passed a thoroughly enjoyable evening. At the conclusion of the evening's diversion there was an impromptu musical entertainment by several of the ladies. A buffet lunch was served and souvenirs for the best scores were given to Mrs. Benjamin Blanchard, Mrs. J. J. Burke, Mrs. P. F. Talbot, George F. Spooner and Maynard C. King.

Pilgrim Memorial.

A start will probably be made this year on the $50,000 Pilgrim monument at Provincetown. The fund of $25,000 necessary to be raised by the Pilgrim Memorial Association of Cape Cod in order to secure a like amount from the state for the erection of a monument at Provincetown in commemoration of the landing of the Pilgrims at the end of Cape Cod, has been completed by an appropriation of $500 by the town of Wellfleet for this purpose. The largest contribution to the fund was $5000 from the town of Provincetown. According to a bill passed by the Legislature, the sum of $25,000 will now be appropriated from the state treasury to assist in the erection of the memorial.

The temperature was above the freezing point at sunrise yesterday, the first time for weeks.

WOLLASTON.

The Gleaners' Circle of King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. Record of Newport avenue, Monday, Feb. 13, at half past two o'clock.

Anna Ellis Dexter is to be the soprano at the concert given by Rosabelle C. Temple in the Congregational church Monday evening, February 27th. She is the possessor of a strong, rich, cultured voice of wide compass and sweet in tone.

Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 the Wollaston W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. E. R. Johnson, 289, Newport avenue. The program for the afternoon will be Miss Willard's work and our outlook. Leader Mrs. Ida S. Brown.

The Ladies' Musical Club will meet with Mrs. James J. Lord, 293 Fayette street, Monday evening, Feb. 13, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. David Phelan announce the engagement of their daughter Lulu Ethel to Mr. Edward Stanley Wales of Dorchester.

Saturday evening a Greek society of young ladies, almost all of whom are juniors in the High school, gave a game party at the home of Miss Dorothy Fay of Marlboro street, Wollaston. Each member invited a gentleman and the company spent a very enjoyable evening. Among those present were: Misses Grace Farrington, Mila Bates, Ruth Ferguson, Louisa Ross, Olive Huston, Ella Packard, Marian Corey, Dorothy Fay, and Messrs. Carl Prescott, Harold Farrington, Robert Hardwick, Charles Somers, Stanley Ferguson, Eugene Saunders and Theodore Marceau.

William H. Bennett of Safford street who has been a victim of the grip for the past three weeks, resumed his business duties this week.

Commodore Wiley of the Wollaston Yacht club, who has not been on his sea legs since December, is convalescent and gets out on pleasant days.

The Wollaston Auxiliary of the Woman's Board of Missions met Tuesday at three o'clock with Mrs. A. A. Lincoln, Grand View avenue.

Funeral services for Mrs. Maria P. Lathrop were held at her home on Winthrop avenue at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The body was taken to Forest Hills cemetery for cremation.

A valentine and candy sale, the proceeds of which are to be given to the Floating Hospital, will be held in the vestry of the Wollaston Congregational church from 3.00 to 4.30 this afternoon.

The committee in charge of the minstrel show to be given at the Wollaston Unitarian church next month has been fortunate enough to be able to get Mr. Spaulding of Wollaston, to drill the chorus. Mr. Spaulding has done much in this line in both amateur and professional shows, and between him and Ray F. Weston of Wollaston, who has charge of the music, it is hoped that much progress will be made.

The regular meeting of the Wollaston Ladies' Alliance was held in the vestry of the Unitarian church Wednesday afternoon. At the business meeting committees were appointed to take charge of the dances to be given under the auspices of the Alliance at Wollaston hall, Washington's Birthday. The dance in the evening is to be for the older ones and there is to be a masquerade for the children in the afternoon. Mrs. Wilson Marsh of Quincy read a very interesting and instructing paper on "Zoroaster and Mohammed."

"Music" was the subject of the meeting of the Young People's Religious Union of the Wollaston Unitarian church, Sunday evening. The evening was in charge of William Weston. The program consisted of piano solos by Mr. Weston, piano duets by Miss Gertrude Jones and Miss Marion West, and very pleasing vocal solos by Mrs. May Hastings Slade.

There is excellent tobogganing at "the pines," Wollaston. The rain the other day followed by a freeze has formed a crust of ice just suited to this sport.

A sketch of the life of the late Robert S. Jones will appear in the Saturday Daily Ledger.

Commissioner Burke was in Ward Five on Friday with the snow scraper leveling the snow on the side of the streets.

WEST QUINCY.

The St. Mary's basket ball team won a great victory at Dorchester on Saturday evening, defeating Dorchester A. A. 22 to 14. The St. Mary's second team also defeated the Dorchester seconds 23 to 10.

The alarm from Box 49 at 3.49 Tuesday afternoon was for a chimney fire in a house on Bunker Hill avenue owned by Mr. Williams.

Capt. Stephen Hall, a retired sea captain, died Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Samuel Ames on Cross street, aged 76 years. Capt. Hall was born in Dennis and followed the sea from boyhood up to a few years ago, and was engaged in the coastwise trade. During his career as a sea captain he owned several vessels. He has been ailing for a year, but it was not until two weeks ago that he took to his bed.

L'Union-Franco-American held a whist party Wednesday evening in Farnums hall, West Quincy, with a very large attendance. The first prize for ladies was won by Mrs. Desjardin. the second by Miss Emma Rouleau and the third by Mrs. Mary Brault. The first for gentlemen went to L. Bouchard; the second to M. Cohen and the third to E. Landry. After the playing refreshments were served and music and dancing were enjoyed.

Again on Thursday evening the St. Marys defeated the Dorchesters at basket ball by the score of 19 to 3. The second team of the St. Marys also won 40 to 6.

Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Leavitt of Somerville, who were married in Quincy Feb. 7, 1855, by Rev. Nilson Clarke, celebrated their golden wedding on Tuesday evening at 12 Sunnyside avenue Somerville. Mrs. Leavitt (Mary T. Carter) was born at Prospect, Me., May 26, 1833. Her husband was born in Pembroke, that state March 3, 1833.

Mr. Leavitt when a young man was employed in a boot and shoe manufactory at Whitman. After his marriage he engaged in the teaming business, transporting granite from the quarries in Quincy to Boston.

He moved to Dorchester about 45 years ago, and was employed for eight years as a conductor on a street car line running from Dorchester to Boston. He went to work for the old Eastern express company 33 years ago. The company was absorbed by the American express company, and later by the National Wells Fargo express company. His work for this company has been continuous ever since.

They have one daughter and two grandchildren.

The gold watch to be voted to the most popular person at the Camp Boyd fair is on exhibition at the jewelry store of C. F. Pettengill.

QUINCY POINT AND NECK.

The Washington Social club has been organized at Quincy Point with C. C. Foster, president; C. E. Ford, treasurer; F. W. Russell, secretary; A. B. Foster, financial secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Blenkhorn of Hersey place are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Oxford of River Street have the sympathy of their many friends and acquaintances, their only daughter Mrs. Bates being seriously ill at her home at Waltham.

The funeral services of the late Hugh McCafferty of Howard street were held from Hall's undertaking rooms, Sunday afternoon. Mr. McCafferty had been ill with consumption for some months. His home was in Scotland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Beckford observed the 23d anniversary of their marriage by a family gathering at their home on Washington street on the evening of Feb. 4.

Miss Elsie C. Phillips of Washington street is home on a visit. Miss Phillips is a teacher in one of the schools at Milton, N. H.

B. P. Sturtevant spent Sunday with his sister in Whitman.

T. J. H. Thayer, of Wendell road continues seriously ill.

A number of men worked overtime at the shipyard Monday night.

C. W. Carter is on a week's business trip through the western part of the state.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shannon of Quincy Point is quite seriously ill.

The ladies of the Point church will hold their annual fair sometime during this month instead of March as has been the custom in past years. It is said that the entertainments this year will be unusually good. Some fine talent has been secured for each evening.

There will be a vesper service Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Quincy Point church. Selections from the Oratorio of Elijah will be rendered by an enlarged choir, assisted by soloists of recognized ability. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present at this service.

Considerable night work is being done in the pattern and machine shops at the Fore River Works this week.

Mrs. Percy Holman has returned from a brief trip to Pennsylvania, where she was called by the sudden death of her mother.

Some of the business men of Quincy Point met Tuesday evening to organize a new club. Judging from the names of men interested in the movement, the club will be an all round success.

The fifteenth birthday anniversary of Albert Leary, the son of the proprietor of the Crescent house, was observed on Monday evening. There were games and other amusements, vocal and instrumental music and refreshments. The young man was presented by the guests with a gold signet ring and other gifts, and his mother gave him a gold watch and chain.

It is proposed to change the name of Park street at Quincy Point to Hanna street, after the late Senator Hanna. As it is a private street action by the City Council will not be necessary, only the consent of the abutting property owners.

C. C. Chapman has resigned his position at the shipyard.

Mr. Eggleston has resigned his position as draftsmen at the shipyard.

It is said that the steamer Providence will leave the docks in a few weeks.

James Crowley of North street has gone west for his health.

Walter McConnell has resigned his position as assistant chief draftsman of the hull department of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company.

A cellar is being dug on Quincy avenue, near Hayward street. This is a very pleasant location for a house.

Rev. Mr. Heath of the Wollaston Methodist church will exchange pulpits with Rev. L. H. Austin Sunday morning.

Mrs. Timothy Allman of South street passed away Friday morning. Her age was 74 years.

Mr. Small and family of Stanley avenue are moving into their pleasant new home on Edison street.

Mrs. Atkinson, of the Rhode Island house, East Howard street, is seriously ill. She is attended by Dr. Bushnell.

The union prayer-meeting which was held Thursday at the Point church was largely attended. Bethany church was well represented. A large number of those present took an active part in the the meeting. It is hoped that this will not be the last meeting of the kind; but that many more may follow in the near future.

Men were busy Thursday surveying the land off Des Moines road, owned by the Fore River Shipbuilding company.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Rev. Dr. John Sinclair of Brookline led prayer meeting Thursday night in First Presbyterian church.

Mrs. John A. Fox of Franklin street, has been confined to her home seriously ill, the past four weeks.

Mrs. John N. Kelley of Centre street has gone to Somerville, and will be the guest of friends for two or three months.

The meeting of the Pine Tree State association, which was to have been held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Yeaton, Pearl street, on Thursday evening has been postponed to Thursday evening, Feb. 23.

The Christian Endeavor society of the United Presbyterian church was awarded the banner for attendance at the union meeting at East Milton on Monday evening.

The Nelson Manufacturing Co., which was recently incorporated with a capital of $20,000, is to build a large factory building on Centre street, for the manufacture of ball cocks, tanks and other plumbing supplies. The officers and promoters are Albert Nelson president; Julius Johnson treasurer, and G. B. Bates.

Friends of Letter Carrier Copland, who has been confined to the house for several weeks, are to give him a testimonial at Clan McGregor hall, Feb. 16.

At the matinee whist held at the home of Mrs. Beatrice Porterfield Thursday afternoon, seven tables were in play, and souvenirs were awarded to Mrs. M. Donahue, Mrs. E. Higgs, Mrs. J. M. Driscoll, Mrs. MacLennan, Mrs. C. Nelson and Mrs. J. Hector.

—Representative Ferber's bill in the Legislature to require collectors of taxes in cities and towns to collate information concerning all assessments on property, sewer, water, sidewalks, street and other betterments—is urged as a crying need by leading conveyancers, who say that under present conditions it is so difficult to get accurate information that many purchasers of property "get stuck." Each and every department of the municipality, even to paving, has to be visited, and even then no records are available; it is often simply the "say-so" of an incompetent department employe.

Public Works Statistics.

Charles F. Knowlton, in his annual report for 1904 as Commissioner of Public Works, says in part. The City Council passed 59 orders, carrying appropriations aggregating $149,264.93, all of which have been faithfully carried out as specified. They were as follows, there being balances unexpended on all except clerical services and street watering:

Bridges, culverts and drains	$2,500.00
Removal of snow	8,300.00
Street lighting	21,600.00
Advertising and printing	150.00
Clerical services	780.00
Repair of Public Buildings	6,500.00
Highway Maintenance	23,500.00
Highway Receipts	2,771.24
Street watering	6,800.00
Water maintenance	11,000.00
Water construction	15,000.00
Receipts from water services	11,616.75
Sewer maintenance	1,500

The special appropriations amounted to $37,246.95, of which $33,738.85 was expended leaving a balance of $3,508.-10.

The special appropriations of 1903 expended in 1904 amounted to $7,800.93 leaving a balance of $433.19.

All brooks and waterways have been cleaned at a cost of $400; repairs to Fore River bridge $300; replanking of Neponset bridges $1,069.01.

New basins and drains have been constructed on Willard, Goffe, Sea, Granite, Phipps, Whitwell and Sagamore streets, Sea avenue and High School avenue.

It would be of great advantage to join with the Metropolitan Park Commission in laying the Furnace Brook culvert while they are building the boulevard across Willard street.

We now have 35 snow ploughs to take care of the 125 miles of street.

The street lighting has been very satisfactory as the police officers report daily any lights that are not satisfactory. We now have 164 arc lights, 579 incandescent, and 16 gas lamps. This is gain of two arc and 51 incandescent lights, and a loss of 51 gas lamps.

The expenditures for repair of school buildings were $2,827.37 as follows:

Old High	$67.45
Adams	451.22
Coddington	467.00
Cranch	144.21
Gridley Bryant	213.75
High	282.23
John Hancock	111.13
Lincoln	130.04
Massachusetts Fields	134.54
Quincy	192.76
Washington	142.72
Willard	117.54
Wollaston	372.78
Repair for fire stations	749.35
Care of City Hall including light, fuel, janitor, telephone and miscellaneous	2,473.74
City stables	217.98
Almshouse	43.13
Police station	57.07

In addition there was a special appropriation of $1,500 for heating plants at the Massachusetts Fields and John Hancock school buildings and slating roof of City Hall.

The appropriation for highways was $23,500. In 1900 with a valuation of $20,193,689 and 72 miles of streets the appropriation equaled $3.48 per mile. In 1904 with a valuation of $20,748,078 and 75 miles of streets the appropriation equaled $3.12 per mile. This was less than six cents per lineal foot for cleaning streets and gutters, repairs, sidewalks and edgestones, etc.

Extensive repairs have been made on Willard, Goffe, Centre, Liberty, Hancock, School, Sea, Franklin, Beach, Bigelow, Bennington, Adams, Water and Copeland streets. 4,875 tons of broken stone have been quarried and broken at the South street crusher, and 1700 tons have been purchased. The $1,500 allowed by the Metropolitan Sewer board toward resurfacing Sea street was expended principally on the lower end from the Willows to the steamboat landing.

The streets accepted during the year were Sea avenue, Edison Park road, and Channing street, a total of 4050 feet, making 75.5 miles of public streets. During the year, 47 permits were issued for street openings, etc., 30 new street signs were erected, and old ones repaired. An effort should be made to induce the Massachusetts Highway Commission to extend the State highway on Quincy avenue as far as Scammell street.

Of the special appropriations, $6,000 was expended in paving Willard street; $1,500 for edgestones and gravel sidewalk on the east side of Willard street from Robertson street to the Milton line; $2,700 for edgestones and gravel sidewalk on Whitwell street; $3,000 for widening the easterly end of Goffe street; $1,500 on Sea avenue; $300 on Edison Park road; $400 on Edwin street; $400 for Furnace brook retaining wall; $1,115 for three police signal boxes; $10,000 for heating the Willard school; and $400 for Atlantic hose house.

The work under the appropriations of $600 for public scales and $3,000 for Mt. Wollaston cemetery wall are not yet completed.

The 22 miles of sewer under control of this department have been flooded once a month and cleaned once a year.

The amount collected for water during the year was $96,819.39 of which $3,-018.19 was on the 1903 assessment, leaving only $106.50 uncollected Dec. 31, 1904.

The number of feet of pipe laid was 33,773 of which 16,309 was for street mains, making the total length of street mains 516,759 feet or 97.87 miles.

During the year 237 taps were made for services at a cost of $11,712.17, of which the cost to consumer was $8,966.26 and to the city $2,704.94.

Sixteen meters were set and 27 hydrants put in, and seven renewed, making the total number of hydrants 661.

Fifty gates were set and five renewed, making the total number in use 1,199.

Thirty-seven old services were renewed, 49 leaks repaired in the main pipe, and 22 in the service pipes.

The total amount of bonds issued from year to year for water is $1,032,-000. The amount paid $326,500 leaving outstanding $705,500.

Sewer Bill.

A hearing was held at the State house on Wednesday on the bill of Mayor Thompson for authority to borrow $200,000 for extending the system of sewerage, in addition to the amount authorized under the authority of chapters 279 and 225 of the acts of 1897.

The city was represented at the hearing by Mayor Thompson, City Solicitor Thomas and Councilman Loud, chairman of the Committee on Sewers of the City Council. The necessity of the bill was outlined by City Solicitor Thomas.

There was no opposition to the bill at the hearing.

The sidewalks in front of all the up-to-date business houses have been cleared of snow, the high temperature yesterday offering a good opportunity.

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ATLANTIC.

Miss Alice Appleneo is a guest of Miss Corrina Wilde of Billings street this week.

The pleasure of taking advantage of the perfect skating on the bay last Saturday and Sunday was shared by hundreds of people from Quincy, Wollaston and Atlantic. Some speared eels through the ice, some walked out to the danger line for the sake of telling their city friends about it the next day, but the majority glided over the smooth surface in the good old-fashioned way for very love of the sport. No storm this year has been more unwelcome than that of Monday on account of spoiling this pastime.

The last of a series of weekly meetings of the Entre Nous whist club was held at the home of Mrs. Herbert D. Gearwar of Madison street, Atlantic, on Friday, Feb. 3. Mrs. A. H. Hall and Mrs. M. C. King received souvenirs for highest scores. Lunch was served. The club held a gentlemen's night on Wednesday evening with Mrs. George F. Spooner of Revere road.

The west side of the new Atlantic bridge is being used by light teams.

The grocery clerks' ball given in Music Hall, Atlantic, Tuesday evening, was not as well attended as it has been in the years past. However those present had a jolly time.

The Indomitable whist club, who who played their little game in costume a few weeks ago, are to make Valentine's day gala by impersonating the natty figures that make valentines artistic. In the very field where reporters would luxuriate there is an unwritten law, "Keep off the grass."

A Shakesperian club has been formed by some of the literary women of Atlantic, and the meetings bid fair to be instructive and interesting. The first study will be the Merchant of Venice.

Miss Lena Crane of Ashmont has decided to yield to the numerous appeals for a second term of dancing school for adults and give Wednesday evening lessons as she did formerly, provided the class be large enough to justify the undertaking.

It is with great rejoicing that the long suffering residents of Atlantic learn that the Hancock street bridge bids fair to be in its present condition or worse all summer and probably next fall. Patience may be a virtue, but even virtue gets rusty if tried too long.

A few fearless ones wandered out over the frozen bay Thursday and their figures stood out against the gray sky like sign-posts. With what trepidation they ventured out only they themselves know, but it was noticed when they put their feet on land again that they did not appear loath to do so.

About three o'clock Friday morning the play of electricity in the southeast was vivid and wonderful. The colored points of light that shot up into the sky sparkled over the frozen snow like gems. While the world slept, nature was having a jolly celebration of fireworks.

Dr. Thomas F. Padula.

Dr. Thomas F. Padula died suddenly Thursday at his home on School street. Dr. Padula retired in apparent good health Wednesday night. He was taken suddenly ill about 4 A. M. Dr. Jones and Dr. Hunting were hastily summoned, but he had passed away when they arrived. Heart disease was the probable cause of his death.

Dr. Padula was born in Naples, Italy, Dec. 9, 1859. He came to this country when but a young boy, making his home with his uncle, the late Rev. Francis. A. Friguglietti.

He received his early education in the public schools of Quincy. He then entered Boston College and later Holy Cross College at Worcester, from which he was graduated in 1884. He then entered Harvard Medical school graduating in the class of 1887.

Shortly after he opened an office at Neponset where he built up a large practice. In 1893 he removed to Quincy opening an office in this city where he has since resided. He was unmarried.

Hotel Liquor Bill.

Miss Eva Brown represented Henry H. Faxon on Tuesday at the State House hearing relative to the bills before the Committee on Liquor Laws, one making the closing hour for sales hotels 10 P. M. and the other 12 P. M. instead of 11 o'clock as at present.

The hotel men opposed the former and argued for the latter. They were opposed by Guy Ham who spoke against the midnight hour. Ex-Mayor Johnson of Waltham, Rev. Herbert I. Johnson, Mrs. Kate L. Stevenson of the W. C. T. U., Mrs. Mary H. Hunt and others also opposed extension of time.

The January thaw is some weeks late this year.

MILTON.

Arrangements have been made by the Milton Woman's club for Miss Beatrice Herford to give some of her delightful monologues at the Milton Town hall on Friday the seventeenth. A large attendance of members and friends is anticipated.

The Milton public library is doing much to interest old and young in the library and its benefits to the public at large. On Wednesday afternoon, the 15th, at four o'clock, Dr. William H. van Allen, rector of the Church of the Advent, Boston, is to tell stories to the children at the library. All children under ten years are invited to attend.

In Milton last year there were 128 births, 110 deaths, and 59 marriages.

Frank S. White of Milton has successfully passed the examinations for admission to the Massachusetts bar.

Although the annual town meeting is but a few weeks off but little has been heard about local politics. It is probable that the citizens' caucus will be held next week.

C. C. Harriman of Harvard gave an interesting talk before the Thursday Evening club this week.

Rev. W. E. Gardner of Quincy gave an illustrated lecture at the East Milton Congregational church on Wednesday evening.

Hartnel & Mullen, grocers, have dissolved partnership. Charles Mullen will carry on the business.

The alarm from Box 24 at 8.25 last Saturday morning was for a fire in the bath room at Albert Ferry's house on Brush Hill road caused by an oil stove. The loss was slight.

Miss Bertha Jaquith of the Belcher school, who has been confined to her home by illness, has recovered.

The family of Mr. Seaver of Edge Hill road have gone to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doherty entertained the whist club Tuesday evening.

The choir boys of the Mission of Our Saviour church have formed a social club. Rev. Theodore I. Reese is president, George Ellis vice president and Harry Brierley secretary.

A quarterly meeting of Y. P. S. E. was held at the Baptist church Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Wellman entertained the ladies' whist party Monday afternoon.

Teacher's Convention.

The following officers were elected at the 53d annual convention of the Sabbath School teachers of the Boston South Baptist Association on Wednesday:

President,—Amos D. Albee, Wollaston.

Vice President,—Ernest R. Benson, Dorchester.

Cor. Secretary,—Charles L. Ludden, Brookville.

Rec. Secretary,—Fred M. French, Randolph,

Treasurer,—Robert Farquhar, Quincy.

Auditor,—Frank W. Crane, Avon.

Executive Committee,— Charles T. Ellis, Dorchester; L. T. Hughson, Dorchester; L. B. Jackson, Boston; M. R. Wright, Weymouth; H. W. Colton, Stoughton.

Director of State Association,—L. R. Marston, Boston.

The convention was held at Randolph and was addressed by several clergymen.

Metropolitan County.

Hon. William B. Rice was a speaker at the annual banquet of the Boston Real Estate Exchange on Saturday and urged the extension of Boston's commerce, trade and manufactures. In closing he heartily commended to the support of the members of the exchange, and all other progressive citizens, house bill 711, by Representative March J. Bennett, which provides for the creation of a metropolitan district and a district council, by taking in the cities and towns included in the metropolitan water, park and sewer district, and making the mayors and chairmen of the boards of selectmen a district council, all legislation involving expenditures by the commissions above referred to be approved by two-thirds of the above described council before it shall take effect.

Machinists' State lodge has begun its organizing campaign in earnest, and every one of the forty-eight Machinists' lodges throughout Massachusetts will be requested to hold open meetings under the auspices of the State lodge, for organizing work in their jurisdictions. Tuesday night there was a meeting in French's hall, this city, at which time Walter Ames of Kansas City and State President John J. Connolly of Boston addressed the meeting.

Keating's block on Washington street that was partly destroyed by fire is being repaired.

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COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4, 1905.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The National Granite Bank of Quincy," located in the City of Quincy in the County of Norfolk and State of Massachusetts, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882, as amended by the Act, approved April 12, 1902:

Now, therefore, I, THOMAS P. KANE, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The National Granite Bank of Quincy," located in the City of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and State of Massachusetts, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association: namely, until close of business on Feb. 4, 1925.

Currency Bureau
Seal
of the
Comptroller of the
Currency,
Treasury Department.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and Seal of office this fourth day of February, 1905.

T. P. KANE,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller
of the Currency.

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Quincy, Feb. 11, 1905. 5w

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The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1905.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn	Full Sea. Eve	Moon Sets.
Saturday, Feb. 11,	6.46	5.11	3.45	4.00	12.01 A.M
Sunday, " 12	6 45	5 12	4 30	4 45	12.10 "
Monday, " 13,	6.44	5.14	5 15	5 45	1.08 "
Tuesday, " 14,	6.42	5.15	6 15	6 45	2.06 "
Wednesday, " 15,	6.41	5 16	7.15	7.45	3 04 "
Thursday, " 16,	6.40	5.17	8.15	8 45	3.59 "
Friday, " 17,	6.38	5.18	9.00	9.30	4 51 "

First Quarter, Feb 12, 11.20 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of month for three years:

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1904.	In 1903.	In 1902.
Sunday,	19	24	27	38	39
Monday,	35	27	33	35	33
Tuesday,	30	19	46	32	37
Wednesday,	30	28	32	32	45
Thursday,	32	19	20	30	43
Friday,	44	22	24	33	41
Saturday,	—	19	23	51	37

Notes and Comments.

In the list of 100 largest cities in the United States there are eight with a population of less than 40,000, and 22 with less than 50,000. Massachusetts has ten cities in this list of which Brockton is the smallest.

Quincy should awake to the importance of the gypsy moth bill before the Legislature which provides that cities may be assessed 1-25th of one per cent. of their taxable property to aid in carrying on the work. It would lay Quincy liable to an assessment of $9,000 to $10,000, perhaps annually for several years.

The Philadelphia Record offered Governor Pennypacker its entire plant and equipment if he would run the paper for one day according to his own views. Governor Pennypacker declined, for while everyone knows how a newspaper should be run there are few courageous enough to try to do it.

Congratulations to the Wollaston Yacht club on having weathered the storm. To relocate and remodel its clubhouse was an expensive undertaking for a small club, but now they have quarters of which they may be proud and where they may enjoy themselves, and it will not be many years before they are free from debt.

Within three months enumerators will begin to take the State census. It is very important for Quincy that careful enumerators be selected and that they realize the importance of enrolling every resident. The population of the city was probably larger in 1900 than the census showed. Citizens at the same time can greatly aid the enumerators.

The fumigation of Panama has been so vigorously pursued that not only the deadly microbe has flown but the citizens are meditating following him. An able bodied corps determined to clean up the most respectable part of the city drove the citizens from their beds and their meals with the intolerable fumes of formaldehyde and sulphate of copper. The natives probably thought that the infernal regions had broken loose.

We see no reason why gates should not be maintained at the Saville street grade crossing, the same as at all the other grade crossings between Boston and Braintree. The section west of the railroad has grown considerably since the opening of Upland road and Presidents hill, and gates are necessary. It is impossible for a flagman to be on both sides of a train, and two flagmen would not be as good protection as gates.

To place an inexperienced man in the chair of President of the City Council, without time for any preparation, would be a trying ordeal for anyone. It was a busy and lengthy meeting Monday evening with an important hearing, numerous communications, many reports and several new orders and Councilman Stone did remarkably well under the circumstances. Clerk Spear was a valuable assistant, his years of experience making it much easier for all presiding officers of the City Council.

How is it that this new plan for intersecting streets near the new Hancock street bridge at Atlantic was not thought of before! Most everybody now thinks the new layout of Sagamore street would be just the thing, but they fear the expense will devolve upon the city, while most of it belongs to the railroad. Hancock street is over 100 years old, and was in existence about forty years before the railroad was built. In all these sixty years the railroad has never maintained a bridge anywhere near the width of Hancock street, and the approach to the bridge from the Quincy side has been very sharp. Evidently Quincy officials did not make as careful a study of the bridge question as they should have for the benefit of the city.

The letter of John Q. A. Field, an ex-Councilman and ex-County Commissioner, in Monday's Daily Ledger, enlightened the public considerably, and has been generally endorsed. The public hearing by the City Council strengthened materially the views of Mr. Field.

The progress of Oklahoma, which the Senate has voted to admit to the union together with Indian Territory as a State, has been more rapid that many people are aware. By the United State census of 1900, Oklahoma alone had 398,331 population and Indian Territory had 392,060. Each had a larger population than Vermont, North Dakota, Utah, Montana, Delaware, Idaho and other states. Together they have a population in excess of Maine, Colorado, Florida, Washington, Rhode Island, Oregon, New Hampshire and South Dakota. Oklahoma will take rank at the start as No. 30 in the list of 52 states and territories, and is certain to move up higher.

A few more facts about Oklahoma territory. It was organized but fifteen years ago. It has an area equal to the combined area of New Hampshire, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Maryland and Delaware. It has 79 National banks with deposits of over $10,000,000. About 250 weekly newspapers and 18 dailies. Over 2,500 miles of railroad. Over $1,000,000 invested in public school buildings, etc.

Oklahoma raised in 1903 over 60,000,000 bushels of corn, over 40,000,000 bushels of wheat, over 6,000,000 bushels of oats, and also in large quantities sorghum, broom corn, cotton, potatoes, apples, etc.

Congratulations to Oklahoma. The National Editorial convention will meet in Oklahoma in May, and is assured a good time.

The Braintree High School basket ball team was outclassed on Tuesday, by Weymouth High, the latter winning 41 to 4.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, Feb. 8, 1905.

Anxiety has clearly overtaken the high protective wing of the republicans at the front presented at the state house by the tariff reform men, and this anxiety is seen in the remonstrances which have just begun to be presented. They have a common form and come from different parts of the state. That is a sure sign, as every state house newspaper man and clerk knows, that there is somewhere a central body which is conducting a campaign and canvassing the state for signatures. These signatures are those of the protected interests. Following the remonstrance last week of J. A. Faulkner of Lowell, comes this week that of large manufacturing and other protected concerns. There are the large Atlantic Works in Boston and others in this part of the state. Berkshire county is represented by the Smith Paper Company of Lee and others of that town, by the Glendale Elastic Fabric Company, William Plunkett and Sons and other concerns in the western part of the state. These indications point to further remonstrances. The remonstrants say that they are engaged in important industries in the state and they respectfully remonstrate against action upon the tariff or reciprocity, but want the matter left to Congress, "where it was placed by the constitution of the United States." Thus the cleavage is beginning to show itself between the two forces which are trying to control the republican party in the state. It is evident to the observer, or some observers think it is evident, that the committee will be divided as to their report, some being strong stand-patters and others, including representatives of both parties, favoring tariff revision and reciprocity. The hearings have been protracted and animated in the extreme.

Today the gypsy moth fight has been on, and the committee room has been crowded with men and women both. The matter has now got where the friends of action believe that something will be done because the politicians have taken hold of it, that is, men who are interested in public affairs and have standing before the people generally, such as ex-President Jones of the senate, who was one of the men at the hearing. The friends of legislation have agreed upon a bill which asks for the appointment of a commission of three, to be appointed by the governor, the cities and towns to pay a tax of 1-25th of 1 per cent. of their taxable property in helping to stand the expense. There is no longer any doubt of the serious nature of the evil, of the impossibility of meeting it by private opposition, and of the need of action by the state. It is also pretty clear that if the places not now infested do not turn in and help pay for the suppression of the pest, their own share of destruction will be much larger than their share of the taxes. The committee has given attention today to the question of parasites, as well as to other means of destroying the insect, and the prospect of a satisfactory outcome is brighter than at any stage since the unfortunate stoppage of the work of extermination.

At the hands of the people of Massachusetts George F. Hoar is likely to fare a great deal better than Benjamin F. Butler. The friends of the latter have put forth their extreme strength, year after year, to secure an appropriation for a statue for the general on the state house grounds, and they have been beaten every time on the argument that the man was unworthy of such honor by Massachusetts. Direct and damaging testimony has been enforced by the intense feelings which Butler inspired so that they live long after his death, and he cannot outlive his bad reputation. On the other hand, Hoar stands so high that Gov. Douglas's suggestion that the state erect some memorial to him is promptly accorded favorable consideration, and there has been reported in the senate a resolve for the appointment of a commission to investigate and to report to the next legislature concerning the character and cost, as well as the desirability, of such a memorial. This is as much as could be expected the first year, when it is remembered that neither of the Adamses, presidents of the United States from Massachusetts, has any memorial erected by the state. Neither has John Hancock, our first constitutional governor, and president of the national constitutional convention.

Great interest attaches to the proposal to let hotels sell liquor to their guests till midnight, instead of 11 o'clock. The opposite side was represented by a petition to shut off the sales at 10 o'clock, and so the prospect is that the law will remain as it is. But this would be so, if there were no 10 o'clock bill pending, for the disposition of the legislature, for the last dozen years and more, has been to tighten the screws on the liquor business and never to relax a particle. The liquor men have never won an inch in the legislature for many years.

It looks as if an end had been reached, for a few years, at least, to the agitation for raising the age of compulsory education. The matter has been before the legislature repeatedly and been thrashed out, always ending in defeat for the friends of an advanced age, but only to see them come again. Last year the legislature had the happy thought to have the question thoroughly investigated by the state board of education. The report of the board shows that a large number of the children between 14 and 15 years, who would be affected by putting on another year to the age requirements, are in the schools already, that most of the others have secured a fair education already; that a material proportion are of the class who do not take kindly to schooling; that in many cases the labor of the child is needed for the family and could not be taken away without hardship, and that it would make the enforcement of the school law much more difficult to put on another year. The board is unanimous, and so the matter is likely to stay fixed for a while.

Messrs. Skerrett of Worcester and Sheehan of Holyoke and some others are interested to secure a change in the Foxboro inebriate asylum. The charge, which seems to be based upon statements of men who have been there, is that the place has come to be a retreat for loafers and that it would be much better for this class of men if they were put at work somewhere. It is urged that the probation system, as it is now enforced in the different courts, has marked advantages over this institution in way of promoting reform and that the state would gain if the institution were abolished. The other side of the story has not been told yet. Rule.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following sales of real estate are reported from the office of Herbert T. Whitman.

A house and 8511 feet of land on Newcomb place to Frank Lanning.

A house and 11,000 feet of land on South Central avenue to Mrs. A. M. Whitman.

Killed at Atlantic Depot.

James Sears of 4 Newbury street, Atlantic, was almost instantly killed on Feb. 3, by being struck by an outward train at the Atlantic depot.

Mr. Sears had been to the village on the east side of the track to attend to some business and was on his way home on the west side.

Since the blockade on Hancock street caused by the building of the new bridge, people have been in the habit of using a short cut from the depot to Hancock street. Mr. Sears started across the track to take this path when he was struck by the outward train, leaving Boston at 6.15 P. M., and due to pass through Atlantic about 6.30.

The train makes a stop at Neponset and runs express from there to Wollaston. Mr. Sears evidently did not see or hear the approaching train, and the the engineer did not see the man in time to avert the accident.

The train threw him some distance. When he was taken up it was at first thought he was alive and he was taken to Walsh's drug store. His life had departed, however, before he reached the store.

Medical Examiner Jones viewed the remains and they were taken in charge by Undertaker Fay.

Mr. Sears, who was 76 years of age, was born in Pawtucket, R. I., but has resided during the greater part of his life at South Boston. He moved to Quincy eighteen months ago, and has since resided in Atlantic.

He leaves a widow, and two sons, William F. and Walter L. Sears. The latter son has served as a member of the Boston city council from Ward 17, and has been chairman of the Republican committee of that ward.

An Injustice.

Editors of the Patriot:

I have read with mingled feelings of sympathy and shame the article in Wednesday's Ledger from an "Old Iceman."

Can it be possible that here, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and in this year of grace, 1905, men who are already working from 12 to 18 hours daily and 4th of July are to be asked to make the Sabbath, too, a day of toil? Here is an impending grievance, which justice calls for the people of Quincy to avert. Surely the christian sentiment of this community will not allow these hard worked men to be robbed of their Sabbath. There is no need for it. We can all secure sufficient ice on Saturday to tide us over the Sabbath.

Let me protest, too, against a similar wrong which is being done our letter-carriers and other members of the mail service of Quincy. Why keep these men away from their families and churches on the Lord's day and in all kinds of weather collecting mails and distributing it? Why not say to these men who are faithful and obliging servants of the public six days a week, "rest and worship with us and with your families on that day which was given by God to man for these purposes."

N. J. Sproul.

Hot Time at Randolph.

Hugh F. McDonald of Randolph appeared in court this morning with a black eye, a bad bruise under the eye, and a cut on the top of the head. McDonald alleged that he received his decoration at the hands of John Powers.

McDonald told the court that Thursday afternoon he made a friendly call upon Powers at his home in Randolph. Powers did the honors of the occasion and the two had a drink. In fact they had several of them. Then Powers to still further show his friendly feeling hit him a clip under the eye with a stove shaker, and on the top of the head with the bottle which they had just empted.

Officer John Heany placed them both under arrest. Powers was arraigned in court for assault and drunkenness and McDonald for drunkenness.

The court sent Powers to the house of correction for thirty days for the assault and imposed a fine of $3 for drunkenness. McDonald, the court said, might contribute $15 for his share of the fun.

Presentation.

Chief of Police Hayden parted with the members of the police department at roll call Sunday night. Shortly before the officers were about to start out on their night beats Chief Hayden was requested to come to the guard room.

As he made his appearance Capt. Mark E. Hanson in a few words spoke of the good feeling that had always existed between the chief and patrolmen and then in behalf of the latter presented Chief Hayden with a handsomely carved meerschaum pipe and a silver cut glass smoking set.

The presentation came as a complete surprise to Chief Hayden. He was visibly affected by this token, and for a few minutes at a loss for words. He then thanked the officers for their gift and wished them all future success. Chief Hayden then went down the line and shook hands with each.

High School Enlargement.

The Committee on Public Buildings of the City Council held a long session Thursday evening. The subject under discussion was the order offered early in the year calling for an appropriation of $65,000 for building the north wing to the High school.

Mayor Thompson and Chairman Hallowell of the School Committee were present and the subject was thoroughly discussed.

The committee while not unanimous will probably report a substitute order for $120,000 for building the additions to the High school according to plans of Aaron H. Gould.

High School Masters' Club.

Charles F. Harper, head master of the Quincy High School, was on Saturday elected vice president of the High School Masters' club of Massachusetts at its annual banquet at the Quincy house. C. H. Howe of Wakefield is the new president and J. H. Whitney of Watertown, the new secretary-treasurer.

Previous to the election, Mr. Howe spoke on "The High School as a Sifter;" Mr. Harper on "The City High School;" Harry W. Porter, formerly of Quincy, on "Some Problems of the High School," and C. M. Eaton of Weston on "The Suburban High School."

Master Builders' Association.

The annual meeting of the Master Builders' Association was held Tuesday evening and these officers were elected:

President,—Edward J. Sandberg.

Vice President,—William H. Teasdale.

Clerk,—Arthur W. Stetson.

Treasurer,—John O. Hall.

Directors,—Julius Johnson, J. W. Pratt and T. L. Williams.

Five new members were admitted.

Wollaston Yacht Club.

The annual meeting of the Wollaston Yacht club was held Tuesday evening at the club house on Wollaston beach. Although the weather was cold and there was a high wind that swept across the run leading to the club house that almost took one off his feet, there was a good attendance, and everything was cheerful.

Commodore Wiley presided, and the first business was to hear the reports of the several officers and committees. The secretary's report showed the present membership of the club to be 217 members, of which 195 were regular, 16 junior and six honorary.

The treasurer's report showed the cost and changes caused by moving and rebuilding the club house to have been $5,847.65. The total receipts of the year, including a loan of $1,800, were $7,677.86, and the expenditures $7,616.68 leaving a balance on hand of $61.18.

The expenses of the regatta committee were $90.60, and the receipts $75, making the cost to the club for races only $15.60.

The entertainment committee reported its total receipts to have been $915.76 and expenses $514.98 a profit of $400.78.

The auditor's statement showed the total liabilities of the club to be about $7,000, and that the assets of the club above all liabilities to be $1676.18.

The officers elected for the ensuing year were as follows:

Commodore,—S. B. Wiley, Jr.

Vice Commodore,—W. M. Chase.

Secretary,—C. W. Dill.

Treasurer,—John B. Given.

Member of governing board for three years,—Franklin E. Dawes.

Thanks were voted to the retiring officers, and the meeting adjourned for two weeks.

Monday Evening Club.

The Monday Evening club of Atlantic held its third regular meeting of the season February 6.

John Woodbury, secretary of the Metropolitan Park Commission, gave a lecture, beautifully illustrated by stereopticon views, on the plans of the commission and results already obtained. The club was greatly interested in the lecture, the beautiful views being especially appreciated.

After the fifteen-minute intermission the following program was announced by Mr. Gill who, assisted by Miss Coles, provided the music for the evening:

Soprano solo, "Bid Me to Love"	Miss McClean
Violin solo, "Berceuse,"	Miss Beaudry
Reading, "Laska,"	Mrs. Vickers
Soprano solo, "Azure Eyes,"	Miss McClean
Violin solo, Intermesso from "Cavalleria Rusticana,"	Miss Beaudry
Reading, "Aunt Melissy on Boys,"	Mrs. Vickers

Miss Smith accompanied.

The attendance was not as large as usual on account of inclement weather.

February 20, Miss Emily Fisher, of Norwood will address the club; subject—"In Belief." Mr. Chas. R. Safford will give a paper on "Our Neighbor, Canada, and our relations to her." Miss Florence Gray, and Mr. William Gassett have the music in charge.

Operetta and Coffee Party.

There was a large attendance at St. Mary's hall Tuesday evening at the operetta and coffee party given under the auspices of St. Mary's church. The operetta "Red Riding Hood" was presented under the direction of Miss Emma Ecker by the junior choir, the cast being as follows:

Red Riding Hood,	Annie Morrissette
Buttercup,	Maria McGee
Rose,	Catherine Hussey
Robin,	Richard Hussey
Woodman,	Robert J. Teasdale
Wolf,	John A. McGowan

Blue Bells: Marion Teasdale (leader), Winifred Hart, Julia Falvey, Blanche Dorhan, Lina Bizzozzero, Eugenie LeClair, Annie Sullivan, Teresa Corcoran and Helen Knight.

The accompanist was Rena Mannix. Between the acts there were piano selections by Rena Bizzozzero.

Following the operetta there was a dance. Thomas Shortle was in charge, assisted by the young men of the parish as aids. Refreshments were served in the lower hall by the following ladies:

Mrs. J. C. Ballou, Mrs. Edward Bryan, Mrs. D. N. Farrell, Mrs. James Fennessey, Mrs. Cornelius Collins, Mrs. J. Falvey, Mrs. McDonnell, Mrs. Philip Garrity, Mrs. P. Buckley, Mrs. Arthur Murphy, Mrs. James Kelley, Mrs. William McKenna, Mrs. John Moynihan, Mrs. Edward Buckley, Mrs. A. Howley and Mrs. D. Scanlon, assisted by James Ogle and Napoleon B. Grignon.

Among the clergy present were Rev. Ambrose F. Roche, Rev. J. J. Powers and Rev. J. L. Callahan of St. Mary's church and Rev. Walter Sweeny of Hingham.

West Quincy Mystery.

Was he shot or was he stabbed, and who did it are the questions that Chief of Police Burrell and his officers are endeavoring to solve. The affair, as near as can be learned, took place on Willard street near the Milton line late Thursday night.

The victim was Charles Johnson who boards at 370 Granite street. Johnson's injuries consist of a wound on the finger and two wounds on the head. He knows who did it but will not tell.

To the physician who was called to dress the wounds about midnight Johnson said he had been shot twice, cut with a knife and struck with the butt of a revolver. The physicans said the wounds might have been caused by a bullet.

After rendering first aid he ordered the man to the City Hospital and notified the police. The man did not go to the Hospital, however, but remained at home.

From what can be learned Johnson went off in company with Peter Hendrickson and Eric Paatikaainen. A row ensued, and one of the two parties is thought to have been responsible for Johnson's injuries. It is not believed that the man was shot but that the wounds were made with a knife.

Arrested for Larceny.

Daniel McDevitt was arrested by Inspector Bradley on Monday upon a warrant charging him with larceny. It is alleged that on July 20, 1904, McDevitt presented an order to the City Treasurer porporting to have been signed by Nicholas Carey, for $6 due the latter, which McDevitt collected.

He then made himself scarce and has been wandering from place to place. He has visited Quincy once or twice but managed to get away again.

Saturday he again turned up, and Monday Inspector Bradley went after him. He did not find McDevitt at his home on Willard street. He had an idea, however, that McDevitt was at a neighbor's house. Upon visiting this house, the occupants denied having seen the man wanted. Inspector Bradley thought differently and upon opening a closet door saw his man trying to hide himself in a dark corner.

McDevitt was arraigned in court for larceny and was held in $200 until Friday for hearing.

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Historical Society Lecture.

Monday's storm was a great disappointment to those who were anticipating attending the lecture to be given in the evening at First church chapel by Rev. Daniel Munro Wilson, under the auspices of the Quincy Historical society. Owing to the small gathering the lecture was given in the parlor which seats fifty comfortably.

Fred B. Rice presided, and told briefly the objects of the Quincy Historical society, its line of work and that the lectures were given to keep up and create a new interest in historical Quincy.

He introduced Mr. Wilson, who was warmly greeted. His address was on "Scots in early Quincy History and other Historical Thrums."

It was an exceedingly interesting paper sympathetically given, showing the study and love of the writer for his subject. There were many new facts brought out, and it was a surprise to many to know of the large settlement of sturdy Scots in Quincy at such an early date.

After the lecture there was an informal talk about old landmarks, history, etc.; also more facts concerning the work of the Historical society. Everyone was urged to become a member and all Quincy people are welcome to attend the public meetings, lectures, etc.

A rising vote of thanks was given Mr. Wilson for his fine lecture, and he was asked to repeat it at some future date when the society would guarantee pleasant weather and a large audience.

Daughters of the Revolution.

Monday was a very unpleasant day for the February meeting of Adams chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, at the home of Miss Annie L. Prescott, and only the Quincy members were present. Mrs. Titus, regent, presided during the brief business meeting.

It was announced that the Adams family were to make extensive repairs on the birth place of President John Adams.

As the necessary repairs made since the Daughters took charge of the house have been a constant drain on the chapter's treasury it was pleasant news to know that for a few years at least there would be no call for money for this purpose.

Adams chapter is in good financial condition, having fifty dollars in the Savings bank, besides cash in the national bank. In March the annual dues will swell the amount.

During the social hour there were cornet solos by Miss Harriet B. Pierce, and a very interesting paper was read by Miss Edith Randall on "Florence, the Home of Americus Vespucius," illustrated with photographs and souvenirs.

The hostesses for the afternoon were Miss Pierce, Mrs. Francis Guild Mayo, Mrs. Frank F. Prescott and Miss Prescott, and they dispensed hospitality in the dining room, serving dainty refreshments.

The annual meeting, the first Monday in March, will be held at the old Adams house, and will be a business and social meeting for members only.

For the Children.

Charles H. Johnson and A. H. Gilson entertained the children of First church Sunday school, Feb. 3, in the chapel from seven to eight with stereopticon pictures. Mr. Gilson worked the lantern and Mr. Johnson described the pictures.

The chapel was filled with children, teachers and parents. Beautiful colored pictures reproduced from old paintings, illustrating the life of Christ were first shown, after which followed views of the Capitol and White House at Washington, Niagara Falls, Wall street and other places of interest, also fine pictures of Washington, Lincoln, Grant, McKinley and Roosevelt. The comic pictures were much enjoyed by the little ones, some of which were described by story and verse read by Miss Minnie Packard and Mr. Johnson.

The evening's entertainment closed with a series of surprise pictures of Rev. E. C. Butler, Rev. E. N. Hardy, Rev. Edward Norton, E. W. Branch, Henry H. Faxon, Emery L. Crane and Miss Lane, teacher of the kindergarten class, and as a surprise to Chas. H. Johnson his own picture, all of which were greeted with applause. Two verses of "America" were thrown upon the screen, all uniting in singing, after which the salute to the flag was given.

The Sunday school appreciates the thoughtfulness of Mr. Johnson in giving them such a pleasant evening.

Vaudeville at Wollaston.

The popularity of a vaudeville show was proved Thursday night when, with every seat taken, and all standing room occupied, an entertainment which would do credit to Keith's was given at the Wollaston Unitarian church. The program was long and varied and every number was excellent and well applauded.

The program included specialties of all kinds—dancing, singing, impersonations, etc. The music was catchy, the jokes new. In one of the numbers two living pictures were illuminated by colored lights and the electrical effect was beautiful.

During the evening there were several changes of scenery, but there was not a single wait. Much credit is due those in charge of the entertainment which was a great success in every way. The program was as follows:

Mandolin Club,	Bros. Armstrong and Brigham
Mrs. Follett	Solo
Misses Stevenson and Loud, Mr. Arnold and chorus in,	"Over the Garden Wall"
Nellie Bernice Leavitt,	Child Entertainer
Mrs. Crane,	Chafing Dish Monologue
The Cards,	Comedy Sketch
James Chandler,	Impersonator
Baker and Simmons,	"Two Gentlemen in a Fix"
Nellie Bernice Leavitt	
Miss Hubbard and Mr. Loring in	"The Gainsborough Lady"
Dr. Dinkumspiel,	German Comedian
Miss Florence Barker,	Fancy Dancer
Bridget Flannigan,	Soloist

Close Finish.

It would be almost impossible for a greater change to take place in the standing of a bowling league than the shake up Thursday evening in the Old Colony league. The Quincy and East Weymouth teams were in first place both having won 25 and lost 20, but neither was able to win one game and today they are tied with the Weymouths for the third place.

The new leaders are the South Braintrees and Holbrooks who moved up from third and fourth places and are now neck and neck. It is the closest kind of a race between the first five clubs.

	Won	Lost	Per cent.
South Braintrees	26	22	.54
Holbrooks	26	22	.54
Quincys	25	23	.52
East Weymouths	25	23	.52
Weymouths	25	23	.52
Quincy Points	17	31	.36

Principal Boyden of the Bridgewater Normal school observed his 78th birthday on Sunday. For 44 years he has been at the head of this school from which he was graduated in 1849.

The Atlantic Bridge.

Editors of the Patriot:

In your issue of Jan. 19, I see, quoting your words, "Who is to blame for hold up at the Atlantic bridge?"

After reading the same, and having been discommoded by not having the use of that bridge for teaming, etc., also learning that the grade approaching the bridge was to be 4 per cent for 380 feet on the southerly approach, I was led to look into the matter to see if anything could be done to change the grade.

I find the facts to be as follows,—viz: The City Council voted to petition the County Commissioners, with the approval of the Mayor, to widen the Atlantic bridge and its approaches to full width of street, namely 64 feet.

It seems by the decree of the County Commissioners that the petition was received by them March 17, 1901. A hearing was ordered July 2, 1902.

That hearing was adjourned to Sept. 20, 1902. Second hearing adjourned to Oct. 25, 1902. This hearing was held, a view of premises taken, adjourned to Oct. 28, 1902, at Dedham, at which meeting, as no one appeared to object, the County Commissioners ordered the petition to be granted.

That decree of Oct. 28, 1902, orders the bridge and approaches to be widened to full width of street, 64 feet; also orders walls to hold bank on Sagamore street. Grade on Sagamore street to be 6 88 feet; the grade on Old Colony street to be 10.67 feet; and grade on Madison street to be 8 feet to 100.

The decree recites that the time be limited to six months from date of the decree to finish the work as ordered. The decree was signed March 17, 1903, sent to Quincy April 6, 1903, the receipt for same being on file at clerk's office at Dedham.

It seems to me that practically the only person to blame for the delay from time of receipt of County Commissioner's order in April 1903, to date of beginning work, viz: Sept. 1904, was our Commissioner of Public Works, as it can be seen that under our City Charter the Commissioner has sole authority over all streets, ways and bridges, except what is contained in Sect. 15 of the charter, regarding laying out, widening, etc., and I find nothing to show that he tried to exercise any authority over this particular bridge or to expedite matters in any way. I have been quoted as saying that the city of Quincy ought not to bear any expense for the widening of that bridge and approaches, as petitioned for. It seems to me to be clearly an expense of the railroad, under Chap. 111 of the Revised Laws, Sec. 133.

It would seem to me that the Special Commissioners made the award under Sect. 134 of Chap. 111, which award should have been appealed from within 14 days, for the reason that our petition does not ask for a bridge long enough to cover four tracks of the steam railroad, thereby causing a great expense for an approach 380 feet long, for expense on Madison, Old Colony and Sagamore streets. Also the damages to Mahoney and such other estates as will be damaged for taking land for approaches and grade damages.

Having had some experience in these matters, it looks as though the City of Quincy had been humbugged.

First, by having to pay a large part of the expense, for the sole benefit will accrue to the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.

Second, if this work is carried out as now planned we shall have our main outlet from Quincy at a grade of 4 per cent. where it need not have been over 2 per cent. and such grades of Old Colony, Madison and Sagamore streets ought not to have been allowed, being so near a depot, and taking traffic to same, when they might have been different.

And as I have read in your paper that our proportion of expense would be about ten thousand dollars, it seems very likely that we are liable to have an expense of, perhaps, double that amount before we are through.

Now, Mr. Editor, I understand it is easier to criticise than to formulate plans which are satisfactory, but my opinion is, that Sagamore street should have been changed and run from the depot to Madison street or beyond. If that had been done it would have been an easy radius for the electric cars, from Hancock street to the depot and Squantum with moderate grade. Old Colony street could have joined Sagamore street with practically an easy grade.

The Mahoney house and barn could have been moved across Sagamore street when built, thereby causing less liability of damage on that property.

The land on which these buildings stand and part of Sagamore street could have been used for slopes for the approaches. A flight of steps could have been built, starting at the south east corner of the new bridge down to intersect the new Sagamore street.

The grade of south approach on Hancock street should be 2 per cent, starting at bridge and running to where it would intersect the present street.

This plan of mine might cause a grade on Madison street of less than 3 per cent for a short distance.

It seems to me that if this idea had been carried out, we should have something to show for money expended, but under plan now being executed there will be no one satisfied except the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., and possibly somebody indirectly benefitted.

John Q. A. Field.

Bowling Tournament.

The five-men teams bowling tournament club has been finished. The winning team is composed of F. L. White, E. S. Taylor, C. T. Baker, Edward Mitchell and F. A. Neff. The high man was C. V. Starrett, whose average was 87.

The two men team, Boston pin bowling tournament, commenced Monday evening and was won by Team A, defeating Team B by a score of 172 to 168.

Thirty entries have been received for the pool tournament which will start next week.

A holiday a week from next Wednesday.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Charles H. Emmons, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The Decisive Moments of Life." Sunday School at 11.45. International lessons. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Preaching by the Rev. Richard E. Sykes of Malden. Subject: "Cooperating with God." Mr. Delmar E. Trout of Tufts College Divinity School will give selections on the violin in the evening. The public is cordially invited to attend services.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Leon H. Austin, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the Rev. W. J. Heath of the Methodist church, Wollaston. Sunday School at 12 M. Vesper service at 4 o'clock. Friday evening prayer meeting at 7 30. All cordially invited.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street,—Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching at 7.30 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. All welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Water and Quincy streets.—Rev. Nathaniel J. Sproule, pastor. Morning service at 10.30 o'clock. Preaching by Rev. A. D. McKinnon both morning and evening. Sunday School and Bible class at 12 M. Junior Y. P. S. C. E. at 3 o'clock. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Good music. Strangers are invited to these services and all seats are free.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by the pastor. Men's Bible class and Sabbath School at 11.45. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Have Faith in God." Sunday School at 12.10. Boys' meeting at 4 P. M. Young People's service at 6.30. Union service with Congregational church at 7.30. All not worshipping elsewhere are invited.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Lord, Teach Us to Pray." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 o'clock. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "The End is not Yet." You are cordially invited.

METHODIST CHURCH ATLANTIC, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "An Oratorio of the Choir Invisible." Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30 P. M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "The Condition of Christian Fellowship."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue.—Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Mind." Golden Text: "Shall any teach knowledge? seeing he judgeth those that are high." Job 21:22. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings with gentlemen in attendance. All are welcome.

The District Court.

William Brown was arraigned for assault on Josephine Brown at Braintree. He was fined $10 and put under bonds to keep the peace.

Daniel A. Porter was sent to the house of correction for thirty days for drunkenness at Quincy.

The liquor seized from Helen Davies at Braintree was forfeited.

William McPhail, Bernard Conroy, Charles Bradley and James Datzell were fined $3 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

Jesse A Case was arraigned for violation of the liquor law at Randolph. Case continued until Feb. 21.

Michael Forest was fined $5 for drunkenness at Randolph.

Benjamin C. Bannon was sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Braintree.

Joseph H. Mariner was arraigned for assault at Quincy. Case continued until March 1.

Frank Vanmarter was sent to the State farm for being a tramp at Quincy.

Malachi Collins was fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Joseph Lasante was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Feb. 13.

John Powers of Randolph was sentenced to thirty days in the house of correction for assault on Hugh McDonald, and fined $3 for drunkenness.

Hugh F. McDonald was fined $15 for drunkenness at Randolph.

Robert R. Hamilton was arraigned for drunkenness at Randolph. Case continued until March 10

Michael Forest was sent to the house of correction for thirty days for drunkenness at Randolph.

Nathan V. Goodrich, a retired Hanover shoe manufacturer, was struck by a train at a grade crossing in Hanover on Saturday and badly injured. The crossing has a flagman but no gates.

The Thayer Academy basket ball team defeated Brookline High on Saturday 13 to 9.

"The Yellow Holly."

Births.

GOURD—In Quincy, Jan. 31, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest D. Gourd of Goffe street.

CROOKER—In Quincy, Jan. 8, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Crooker.

TRASK—In West Quincy, Feb. 2, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Trask.

JONES—In South Braintree, Feb. 7, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jones.

Deaths.

CAMERON—In Quincy, Feb. 9, Mrs. Hannah H., widow of Mr. George W. Cameron of 28 Wollaston avenue, aged 65 years.

ALLMAN—In Quincy, Feb. 10, Mrs. Mary, widow of Mr. Timothy Allman, of 158 South street, aged 74 years.

HALL—In Quincy, Feb. 8, Capt. Stephen Hall aged 75 years, 8 months.

PADULA—In Quincy, Feb. 9, Dr. Thomas F. Padula, of School street, aged 45 years and 1 month.

McCAFFERTY—In Quincy, Feb. 3, Mr. Hugh McCafferty of West Howard street, aged 50 years.

BLAKE—In Quincy, Feb. 5, Mrs. Nellie F., wife of Mr. Welcome J. Blake, aged 45 years, and 16 days.

MAHONEY—In Quincy, Feb. 6, Mr. Thomas Mahoney of South street, aged 38 years.

GRAGG—In Quincy, Feb 6, Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. Charles A. and Mrs Eva M. Gragg, of 225 Whitwell street, aged 1 year, 3 months and 2 days.

HORTON—In Quincy, Feb. 6, Mrs. Laura A., wife of Darius C. Horton, aged 66 years.

AMES—In Winthrop, Feb. 6, Mr. William P. Ames, formerly of Quincy, aged 56 years.

DOUGLASS—In East Braintree, Feb. 5, Mr. Henry E Douglass.

SHUMWAY—In Holbrook, Feb. 6, Mr. Gilbert H. Shumway, aged 65 years, 7 months.

ALLEN—In Weymouth, Feb. 3, Mrs L. M. Allen of Richmond street.

PRATT—In Weymouth, Feb. 3, Mr. Martin K. Pratt, aged 90 years.

REED—In South Weymouth, Feb. 6, Mrs. Jane A. Reed, widow of Ezra Reed.

NICHOLLS—In East Weymouth, Feb. 8, Mr. Thomas B. Nicholls of Pleasant street, in his 70th year.

CUSHING—In South Hingham, Feb. 6, Mr. Alonzo Cushing, in his 78th year.

BRIGHAM—In Hingham, Feb. 4, Mr. Sidney A. Brigham, in his 65th year.

BARNEY—In Bridgewater, Feb. 3, Mr. Waldo E. Barney, aged 30 years.

LANGLEY—In Randolph, Feb 4, Mr. Frank H. Langley, aged 52 years, 4 months

MacKINNON—In Milton, Feb. 3, Mr. John MacKinnon of Reedsdale road, aged 77 years, 6 months.

GORDON—In Hyde Park, Feb 5, Mrs. Mary A., widow of Lewis Gordon, formerly of Milton, aged 52 years, 8 months.

MAY—In Allston, Feb. 5, Deacon John May of Randolph, aged 78 years, 10 months.

KINSLEY—In Canton, Feb. 6, Mrs. Sally F. Kinsley, in her 84th year.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Jan. 16, 1905, trains will run as follows:

(Subject to change without notice.)

TO BOSTON — FROM BOSTON

	Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.	
r	*5 14	abcdefghi	5 42	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19	r
r	6 13	abc	6 33	6 27	cba	6 46	r
r	6 43	abc	7 03	6 57	cba	7 19	r
r	7 13	abc	7 33	7 27	cba	7 49	r
r	7 26	ad	7 45	8 27	cba	8 49	r
r	7 43	abc	8 03	9 25	ihgfedcba	9 54	r
r	7 54	abcde	8 15	10 27	cba	10 49	r
r	8 13	abc	8 33	11 25	ihgfedcba	11 54	r
r	8 26	abd	8 45	12 27	cba	12 49	r
r	8 46	abcd	9 05	12 57	cba	1 19	r
r	9 13	abc	9 33	1 27	cba	1 49	r
	10 01	Exp.	10 17	1 57	cba	2 19	r
r	10 13	abc	10 33	2 27	cba	2 49	r
r	11 09	abcdefghi	11 37	2 45	Exp.	3 02	
r	12 13	abc	12 33	3 27	cba	3 49	r
r	1 13	abc	1 33	4 12	a	4 31	r
r	1 43	abc	2 03	4 27	cba	4 49	r
r	2 13	abc	2 33	4 50	edcba	5 16	r
r	3 13	abc	3 33	5 15	a	5 34	r
r	3 43	abc	4 03	5 19	dba	5 40	r
r	4 13	abc	4 33	5 27	cba	5 49	r
	4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06	r
r	5 13	abc	5 33	5 46	ihgfedcba	6 15	r
r	5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 57	cba	6 19	r
r	6 13	abc	6 33	6 15	dba	6 36	r
r	6 43	abc	7 03	6 27	cba	6 49	r
r	7 13	abc	7 33	6 57	fedcba	7 23	r
r	8 08	abcdef	8 32	7 27	cba	7 49	r
r	9 13	abc	9 33	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53	r
r	10 08	abcdef	10 32	9 27	cba	9 49	r
r	11 03	abc	11 32	10 27	ihgfedcba	10 57	r
				10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19	r
				11 27	cba	11 49	r

SUNDAYS.

	Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.	
r	7 43	abc	8 03	6 24	ihgfdcba	6 52	r
	8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19	r
r	9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45	r
r	9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49	r
r	11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45	r
r	1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45	r
r	4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49	r
r	5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49	r
r	6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 57	cba	7 19	r
r	7 08	abcdefghi	7 35	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53	r
r	8 08	abcdefghi	8 36	8 43	Exp.	9 00	
r	10 13	abc	10 38	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57	r
				10 28	cba	10 49	r

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,
b Norfolk Downs,
c Atlantic,
d Neponset,
e Pope's Hill.
f, Harrison Square.
g, Savin Hill.
h, Crescent Avenue.
i, South Boston.
r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 10.19 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 10.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.40 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—7.51 8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 10.24 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 8.16 10.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

Old Colony Street Railway Company

DIVISION 1.

TIME TABLE.

In effect Jan. 1st, 1905.

(Subject to change without notice.)

QUINCY TO NEPONSET.

Via Hancock Street,—5.40 6.05 6.10 6.40 A. M. and every 10 and 40 minutes past hour until 8.40 P. M. and 9.10 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7 30 A. M., and every minutes past the hour until 8.30 P. M., then 9.40 and 10.10 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.05 7.05 A. M., then every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 11.35 P. M.

NEPONSET TO QUINCY.

Via Hancock Street—6.05 6.15 6.40 7 7.10 and 7.45 A. M., then on the even hour and every 30 minutes past the hour until 5.15 P. M., then on the even hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then 10.30 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7.50 and 9 A. M., then on the even hour until 11 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.30 7.30 A. M., then on the even hour and half hour until 12 o'clock midnight.

Cars leaving on the even hour and half hour run through to Brockton and Weymouth Landing.

QUINCY TO NORTH WEYMOUTH.

5.15 6 05 6.20 6.50 7.50 A. M., then every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 11.20 P. M., Wednesdays and Saturdays 11.50 P. M., other nights 11.50 P. M., to Quincy Point only.

NORTH WEYMOUTH TO QUINCY.

6.20 6 50 7.05 7.20 7.50 A. M., then every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 11.50 P. M., Wednesday and Saturdays 12.50 P. M.

QUINCY TO BRAINTREE.

6.20 A. M. and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 10.50 P. M.

QUINCY TO EAST MILTON.

5.40 A. M. and every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 10.35 P. M., then 10.50 P. M.

EAST MILTON TO QUINCY.

6.10 A. M. then on the even hour and half hour until 11.30 P. M.

QUINCY TO WEYMOUTH LANDING.

5.20 5.55 6.30 6.55 A. M., then every 5 of and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.55 P. M., then 10.55 P. M.

QUINCY AND HOUGHS NECK.

Leave QUINCY—Week Days—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A. M., 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 5.10, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P. M. Saturday night, 11.50 P. M., as far as there are passengers to go. Sundays—7.00 A. M. then on the even hour until 10.00 P. M., then 10.50 P. M.

Returning, leave HOUGHS NECK—Week Days—5.45, 6.40, 7.40, 8.30, 9.40, 10.40, 11.40 A. M., 12.40, 1.40, 2.40, 3.30, 4.50, 5.40, 6.40, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.20, 11.10 P. M.—Sundays—7.40 A. M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M., then 10.30 and 11.10 P. M.

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Poetry.

On Valentine's Day.

FRANK DEMPSTER SHERMAN.

Lock your heart up well today,
There's a rascal thief about;
Throw the precious key away
If you'd keep him out.

He's a master of deceit,
He's a flatterer and so
He will call you all that's sweet—
Which you are, I know.

All his tricks and wiles he'll try,
Tempting you as best he can,
He is such a shrewd and sly,
Clever little man.

Hidden in his burglar's kit,
Well he knows that safe in there
Is the very key to fit—
Sweetheart, have a care!

Yet I may as well confess;
Love is what he calls this key,
And his name is Cupid—yes,
And he comes from me.

Notes and Comments.

—John F. Spencer, of Grand Junction, Colorado, has succeeded, after several years' experimental research, in producing five trees that bare seedless, coreless, and wormless apples; and from this little group he has budded two thousand more trees; which at the present time constitute the entire seedless apple stock of the world. The tree is blossomless; and while there is a stamen and a very small quantity of pollen, exactly as in the blossom of the ordinary apple tree, yet the blossom or flower itself is missing. The apples, which are of a beautiful dark-red color with yellow strawberry dots, are of a goodly size and have a flavor similar to the Wine Sap.

—The ancient city Adab has been discovered. It was the home of a rich and refined people. The city that archaeologist for years have searched for, the city of King Naram Sin, that in all of the book-lore of archaic known mention of it appears but once, and then merely to state that such a city once existed. The city was unearthed by the expedition of the Oriental Exploration company of the university of Chicago while working on the supposed site of Bismya, and news of the value of the discovery has only recently reached Chicago. Adab has proved to be the oldest Babylonian city of the world yet unearthed, and by the brick inscriptions, the code of symbols and dates, is supposed to date back further than 5000 years B. C. The city is situated on a desert in the Turkish domain about 30 miles from Nippur and 50 from Babylon. It tells it own story of a high civilization, of art and wealth, but why it was deserted and not rebuilt as were all other ancient cities yet unearthed is not yet known.

—With this week the war between Russia and Japan will have continued for a year. In all this time the Russian arms have not won a single victory, either on land or on the sea. What earthly reason has Russia for continuing the war?—Somerville Journal.

—With its new $17,000,000 union passenger terminal, under way, Washington is about to add yet one more to the splendid examples of modern architecture that proud city proposes to take unto itself, year by year. The prophecy of Washington's nigh forgotten French architect and surveyor that upon its site might rise one of the most brilliant cities, architecturally, in the world, shall probably be consummated, ere long.—Boston Courier.

—The intelligent member of the Legislature who has introduced a bill to prevent gas and electric light companies from shutting off the supply of gas or electricity without 30 days' notice, is probably another of those self-appointed "friends of the people," who thinks he is doing a public service in helping dead beats to get rid of paying their honest debts. Such an act, if passed, would amount to nothing, for the lighting companies would unquestionably require a guarantee of payment of bills before beginning to serve a customer.—Banker and Tradesman.

—A writer in the Independent says that a sober estimate places the total annual outlay for advertising in the United States alone at $500,000,000, and of this enormous sum no less than 75 per cent. is in payment for space in newspapers, magazines and trade journals. And there's no doubt that those who use their advertising appropriations judiciously always get their money back, and more.—Boston Globe.

—It is evident that the people are numerous who are not afraid of the climatic condition connected with the Panama canal construction. There are 4862 applicants who have taken the civil service examination for positions as clerks, time-keepers, engineers, physicians, surgeons, etc.—Weymouth Transcript.

—The town of Raynham with nearly $12,000 in the treasury and all bills paid, is a financial position to be envied. The town borrowed no money during the year, and in no department was the appropriation exceeded. The only liability of the town is one amounting to $100, deposited for the care of the soldiers' monument. The taxes for 1902 have been collected to the last cent, and only $82 remains to be collected of the taxes of 1903. The unpaid taxes of 1904 amount to about $942. —Hingham Journal.

—It was a sad necessity which compelled Henry F. Barry of Boston to shoot a burglar with whom he came in contact last Monday night, but our sympathies are always with the officers who take their lives in their hands to meet all manner of desperadoes at all times of the night, and killing of human beings is not a pleasant theme to contemplate, but with a carnival of crime abroad in the land a little judicious killing may be a relief to those who wish to pursue their lives in a peaceful manner--Weymouth Transcript.

—Nathaniel T. Kidder, tree warden of Milton says: "During the last week at least a hundred nests of the Browntail moth have been gathered and destroyed by my men, chiefly in East Milton. This is the time to fight these caterpillars; the time of year and this year. Do not let them get so secure a foothold that they will think Milton belongs to them. Do not leave all the work for the Tree Warden to do, for it is impossible for him to do it all. Wherever you find a nest cut it off and burn it at once. Leaving it on the ground will do no good and tramping on it is liable to allow some worms to escape. As many as 250 are frequently found in a single nest."

—The Hyde Park Gazette says: "We notice with pleasure that some of our valued contemporaries in Norfolk county are coming to the front and receiving well merited recognition. Editor Standish of the Stoughton Sentinel has been appointed deputy collector of internal revenue for his district, and Fred F. Green of the Quincy Advertiser, under the new Republican administration of the only city in Norfolk county, has been appointed overseer of the poor. Both are worthy and well qualified and we congratulate them on their appointment."

—The three-cent fare proposition has been tried on the Cleveland Street Railroad and proved a failure. The three-cent cars were plainly placarded, but poorly patronized. In the case of the payment of the three-cent fare no transfers were given. A total of $21.20 three cent fares were collected the first day, or less than one-half the number of fares of five cents each that the same cars ordinarily earned. This will probably settle the three-cent fare agitation in Cleveland, at least for some time to come.—Banker and Tradesman.

—It would now appear that Gen. Miles will withdraw from all connection with the Massachusetts Volunteer Militia, much to the regret of Gov. Douglas, but as the amendment just passed to the Dick bill does not go into effect until July 1, the general may be prevailed upon to remain until that time and give to the state the benefit of his experience and advice. This forcing out of Gen. Miles will be a great disappointment to the officers of the State Militia, who were all looking forward to a profitable season under the guidance of such an eminent officer, and much regret will be felt throughout the service at his withdrawal.—Boston Globe.

—Have you got the "grip?" Have you had it? This insiduous and most unpleasant malady is more widely prevalent hereabouts than on any preceding season of its visitation. It may be said that the entire community has had it, has it now, or expects to have it. It is omnipresent. Those of us who are not at this moment "down with the grip" have either just "got up from the grip" or "feel it coming on." In this situation, the Post offers some pertinent suggestions. To those who are down with it, says the Post, there is a word of cheer. Let them take care of themselves and they will be all right in a few days. To those who have met and suffered and conquered, congratulations. It is to those who feel it coming on that the advice of wisdom is important if cheerfully accepted and acted upon. And the first and most weighty item of advice is to close the mind to imagination. Many a one has been prostrated by the grip because he let himself think he was a victim, when there was really nothing at all the matter with him except a passing chill or a cold in the head.—Boston Courier.

—The present Chief Engineer of the Panama Canal, speaking recently of our acquisition of the holdings of the French company, gave it as his opinion that "the trade was certainly a good one;" and in proof of this he briefly enumerated some of the leading elements embraced in the transaction. In the first place, we are now in possession of a strip of land 10 miles wide and 47 miles long; we hold the franchise; we have 99 per cent of the stock of the Panama railroad, including the Panama Steamship Line; all the elaborate and very valuable results of the surveys of the French Engineers, and the vast amount of excavation done during a period of twenty-four years; the machinery and supplies, for which $29,000,000 was paid in cash, not a little of which machinery can still be used; about 3,500 ten-yard steel dump cars, of which 2,500 are serviceable; and between two and three hundred locomotives, which, according to the Chief Engineer, are "a great deal better than the average locomotive that an ordinary railroad contractor uses." Furthermore, Mr. Wallace says that we have steel enough for 150 to 200 miles of construction track, and considerable heavy excavating machinery, which has been kept under cover, and is in very good condition. The "trade" was certainly an exceedingly good one.—Scientific American.

Probate Court.

Judge Flint held probate court for Norfolk county at Quincy, Wednesday, and transacted the following business:

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Honoria A. McGillicuddy, late of Hyde Park, Mary G. McGillicuddy executrix; bond $3,290.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Alfred A. Webster, on estate of Mary A. Webster late of Weymouth; bond $5,000.

George F. Blanchard, on estate of Henry Blanchard late of Weymouth; bond $5,000.

Richard D. Chase on estate of James Bisson late of Quincy.

Charles Zickendrath, on estate of Christina Zickendrath late of Dedham; bond $5000.

Charles M. Jeness, de bonis non on will of Thomas H. Plumer late of Quincy; bond $6000.

Mary Hoefer was appointed conservator of Bernhard Hoefer of Hyde Park; bond $500.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First of Richard D. Chase, trustee under the will of Jonathan Pratt, late of Quincy for the benefit of S. Addie Winneberger, for $747.84.

First and final of Bertha L. Trepanier, administratrix of estate of Maria Trepanier, late of Quincy, for $600.

First and final of John C. Rafter, administrator of estate of Annie C. Rafter late of Hyde Park, for $655.37.

First and final of William M. Marden, executor of will of Mary Jane Marden late of Weymouth, for $1,439.50.

GUARDIANSHIP.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Sayward was appointed guardian of Helen A., Elizabeth W., Mildred H. and Lyman W. Sayward, minors of Quincy; bond $600.

Burns Memorial Association.

The Burns Memorial Association held their first annual entertainment and dance in Quincy Music hall, Feb. 3. There was a large and appreciative audience and the program was what might in theatrical parlance be termed an "All star bill."

The concert was opened by Miss Ogelore, with "Ye banks and braes of Bonnie Doon," which she rendered in a pleasing way that at once showed her familiarity with the Scottish tongue, and although it is only recently since Miss Ogelore appeared in Quincy, the audience was not slow to demand an encore. But it was in her third song, "Kiss Waltz," that Miss Ogelore showed the richness and flexibility of her voice. Her higher notes were well sustained and the cadenzas taken in a manner that showed at once the cultured artiste. Her last song, "My Joe Janet," a quaint old Scottish song, must have appealed to the older generation, as one of the real "auld Scotch songs." We are sure Miss Ogelore left even a greater favorite than before.

Miss Helen Kennedy a juvenile singer and Highland dancer, acquitted herself splendidly. Her first song "Make a fuss over me," fairly took the audience and she was twice recalled. There is a noticeable absence of the childishness so often apparent in one so young; her voice is sweet and of good carrying power, and her gesture easy and natural. Miss Kennedy also contributed two dances, the "Highland Fling" and "Sword Dance," which was executed in a finished style both creditable to herself and her teacher.

Miss A. Hyde's recitation of the "Cotter's Saturday Night" (generally acknowledged to be the poet's masterpiece) was admirably delivered. She seemed to grasp the poet's idea and have the power of conveying her feelings to her audience. Miss Hyde's imitation of the exercises at a school exhibition simply overpowered the audience and kept them in a fit of laughter all the time.

Mr. Wallace was in good voice and gave two songs which were well received, especially so his first song, "Hurrah for the Highlands," where he had a good opportunity for the power and range of his voice.

The program was concluded with a very amusing farce entitled "Oor Geordie." It would be invidious to mention particularly any artist, when each part was so well sustained.

It was under the management of Alex W. Russell, who has long taken the comedian's part in the heavy plays produced by this society.

Mayor Thompson was present and addressed the audience, making some very good and wise suggestions as to the form the memorial might take if proper parties were only once interested.

Quincy Yacht Club.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Yacht club was held Saturday evening at the Council chamber, City Hall. Commodore Sheppard presided and 75 members were present.

Reports of the various officers were read and accepted. The treasurer's report showed a good balance.

John P. Bainbridge, Joseph L. Whiton, Jr., and Edwin W. Newcomb were appointed to receive and count ballots. While this was in progress the other articles in the call were acted upon.

It was voted that the treasurer shall take all money received from locker rents, all profits from the pool table and the sale of cigars, and after paying interest on the mortgage, pay the balance into the sinking fund, for the retirement of said mortgage.

The article to change the date of the annual meeting from the first Saturday in February to the last Wednesday in August was voted down after considerable discussion.

The executive committee was instructed to establish a plant for the storage and distribution of gasolene, to be sold to members and friends. All profits to revert to the club treasury.

The house committee was appointed to consider the feasibility of establishing a search light for the protection of yachts anchored within a half mile of the club house, and report at the club on the evening of the opening entertainment, or at a meeting called for the purpose, as to probable expense of and cost of operation.

It was voted to place the treasurer under not less than $1,000 bonds, and the secretary was instructed to procure the necessary blanks and attend to the same, the expense to be paid by the club.

It was voted to give one open race for power and auto boats for cash prizes.

Commodore Sheppard reported that the hearing at the State House on the dredging at Houghs Neck would be held Feb. 16. Commodore Sheppard, Commodore-elect Crane and the executive committee were requested to attend.

Thanks were voted to George E. Urand for a brass door plate for the club house; to the Mayor and City Council for use of the Council chamber; to Commodore Sheppard for his untiring efforts in behalf of the club, and his gift of land; also to all the retiring officers.

The balloting resulted in the election of the following officers:

Commodore,—Frank Fessenden Crane.
Vice Commodore,—Herbert W. Robbins.
Secretary,—John H. Wyeth.
Treasurer,—Ira M. Whittemore.
Measurer,—Ralph E. Winslow.
Executive Committee,—Charles W. Hall, George W. Jones, Eben W. Sheppard and George H. Wilkins.
House Committee,—Ernest L. Adams, Herbert A. Billings, W. Henry Dean, Arthur W. Harris, Elmer E. Ricker, Joel F. Sheppard, 2d, and Harry E. Winslow.

Commodore Crane, in taking the chair, thanked the club for his election. He hoped the club would help him to keep up the standard of the club, that they would each bring in a new member and that they would keep up their interest in yachting.

Commodore Crane is one of the best known yachtsmen on the South Shore. It has been his principal sport and he has been engaged in racing since 1875 when he commenced to sail the Celeste in races. Since that time he has sailed many boats, his present yacht being the Dorothy III. He was also one of crew of the club boat that sailed in the Q. Y. C. challenge cup races.

—How the presidency of the United States does broaden the incumbent! President Roosevelt was an able man when he took his office, but the addresses that he has been making lately are those of a statesman whose mind has grown with the tremendous responsibility that he carries on his shoulders. —Somerville Journal.

Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

The City Council.

Monday night's meeting of the City Council was largely attended. The interest centered in the public hearing on taking slopes for the grade near the new Atlantic bridge.

Councilmen Adams, Loud and Nichols were absent.

Councilman Spargo called the meeting to order and upon roll call Councilman Stone was elected president pro tem.

Councilman Chamberlin was present for the first time and was sworn in by Clerk Spear.

The Mayor appointed Christopher A. Spear, City Clerk pro tem, and together, assisted by Councilman Gearwar they drew the following jurors:

For the supreme judicial court,—John J. Dugan, William J. Leslie, Malcolm McKenzie, Frank W. Nightingale, Frank X. Fruth, John Dugan, 2d.

For the superior court,—John S. Odom, Peter Moran, Michael Mularky, John Heatherson and Robert J. Hayes.

SCHOOL BUDGET.

The School Committee sent in the following budget for the current year:

Salaries,	$88,632
Janitors	7,390
Books and Supplies	10,000
Fuel	7,000
Transportation	1,000
Rentals	810
Evening schools	1,500
Total	$116,332

To Finance Committee.

A public hearing was held on taking slopes for the Atlantic bridge.

Ex-City Solicitor Blackmur said: When the railroad attempted to carry out the decree of the County Commissioners, attention was called to the city authorities that it would be cheaper to put in slopes. The railroad had no authority to take land for slopes and the city was asked to take easements sufficient for the slopes.

An expert of the city saw the property owners to see how much saving would be made. We were to make the taking and the railroad to pay the bills and charge it up in the general cost of the bridge. After hearing the report of the expert it was concluded inadvisable to take land for slopes, except possibly one piece of land. He would not advise taking land. The difference in damages would perhaps be greater in slopes, the appearance of the work would not be as good as if walls were built.

Councilman Gassett asked if it was legal for the city to take easements.

Mr. Blackmur—There is some question about it. If an agreement cannot be made with the property owners he would advise going ahead with walls.

In reply to other questions Mr. Blackmur said the cost of land taken would become part of the entire cost and each party will have to pay its proportionate part. If land was taken the city would be primarily liable. He would advise doing nothing without an agreement with the railroad.

Councilman Hughes asked if the County Commission decreed a four or a two track bridge.

Mr. Blackmur—We wanted the bridge widened and they wanted it lengthened as well, and after the plans were made to widen, they asked to have it lengthened. In reply to further questions Mr Blackmur said the question of damages will have to be dealt with later. There was a question if any damage could be claimed as the grade had not been changed. The minute you build a new highway you change the relations between the City and railroad.

Continuing, he said there was no particular hurry as far as retaining walls were concerned, as it was impossible to do any excavating or filling at the present time.

John E. Galvin, representing the Mahoney estate, objected to the plan as it not only destroyed the estate but destroyed the approaches to it. The whole question is, can the city take easements? I hold it cannot. Under this plan you leave the land not worth anything.

We ask you to leave the land so that it is good for something. He understood there was a plan that eliminates these grades and at about the same expense. The fills on the side streets are also eliminated by this new plan.

When asked if he would sign off if this plan was adopted, he replied, we will sign off if the land is left in shape to use, the city to pay for what it takes. Under this new plan there would be no grade damages.

Mr. Sullivan objected as it took 2000 feet of his land and left balance good for nothing.

Nathan G. Nickerson hoped that whatever plan was adopted the Council will have an idea for the looks of the location. It was important that the appearance of the place when finished should be considered.

Hearing closed and order recommited.

The Mayor forwarded a communication from the trustees of the Edward Cunningham estate in Milton, setting forth that by an error in engineering a part of their land had been included in Hillside park and illegally assessed to Swithin Bros. and John Evans, and sold for taxes. They asked that the land be released to the rightful owner. To Finance Committee.

The Mayor forwarded his correspondence with the Sewer Commissioners, asking them to hold over until Feb. 20. Placed on file.

The Mayor announced the following appointments: Frank E. Burrell as constable, Frank E. Burrell as keeper of lockup, Frederick J. Peirce as inspector of milk.

The Mayor forwarded a list of twenty names as census enumerators from which ten are to be selected by the State. The names were as follows: John Q. Bent, Edward J. Sheldon, William H. Flynn, John S. Gay, John W. Burke, Miss Margaret J. Reilley, Henry W. French, Albert Keating, Charles P. Sheldon, John S. Odom, Mrs. C. W. Dickerson, David C. Nelson, Frederick E. Goss, George T. Westland, Waldo B. Fay, Benjamin King, John W. Haley, Harry O. Parker, Frank Tinney and Abel Nutting.

The registrars of voters forwarded the jury list for 1905 which was read and accepted.

The following petitions were received:

For six lights on Sea avenue to burn from April 15 to Nov. 1.

For two lights on Quarry street.

For the acceptance of Vershire and Montclair streets.

From the Electric Light company for location for their poles on Park street.

From the Telephone company to attach wires to poles on River street Highland avenue, North Central, avenue South Central avenue, Cross street and Brook road.

All the above referred to the Committee on Streets.

From Fred E. Goss for an auctioneer's license. To License Committee.

The Finance committee reported a substitute order borrowing $3,000 instead of $1,000 to pay deficit bills of the Poor department of 1904. Order took its second reading.

The Committee on Licenses reported an order granting John H. Dinegan an auctioneer's license. Adopted and bond approved.

The Committee on Streets reported an order for a public hearing on petitions of the Telephone company to attach wires to poles on Whitney road, North street, Scammell street and Central avenue. Adopted.

The Committee on Streets reported an order relocating one pole of the Telephone company on Elm street, and one pole on Water street. Ordered to a second reading.

The Committee on Streets reported for a public hearing on petition of the Electric Light Co. for location of poles on Clive, Field, Hancock and Temple streets. Adopted.

The Committee on Streets reported reference to the executive on the order relative to repairing private ways opened by the Water and Sewer departments. Accepted.

The Committee on Streets reported reference to the executive on the petition to coast on Quarry, Granite and School streets. Accepted.

The Committee on Streets reported an order authorizing the Telephone Company to remove two poles on Temple street. Ordered to a second reading.

The Committee on Printing reported ought to pass on the order for printing the calendars. Passed.

Councilman Gassett offered an order changing the incandescent light at the corner of Federal avenue and Goddard street to an arc light. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Barry offered an order for two incandescent lights on Willard street. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Bass offered the following transfer orders which were passed:

Any balances in the Fire Department of 1904 to any other appropriation in that department for 1904.

The sum of $53 from Miscellaneous City 1903 to Miscellaneous City 1904.

The sum of $7.90 from printing 1904 to contingent fund 1904.

Councilman Bass offered an order transferring $437.91 from heating Willard school, to repairs of Public Buildings 1904. To Finance Committee.

Adjourned at 9.30 to meet Monday, Feb. 20.

Washington Street Gymnasium.

The gymnasium in the new Y. M. C. A. building is now practically completed. Regular classes are busily at work and this feature of the Y. M. C. A. work is destined to become popular. The gymnasium is for body building work, hygenic and recreative nature. Not the fancy and circus work that sometimes characterizes gymnasium work.

Several classes have been formed and are being trained in body building under the direction of a competent physical director, Mr. Bugbee. The classes that have already been formed are the business men's, which meets Monday and Thursday evening from 5 to 6 o'clock, senior class, on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings, from 7.45 to 8.45; student's class on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, from 3.30 to 4.30; the working boys, Monday and Wednesday evenings from 7.45 to 8.45; and the juniors which meets Wednesday afternoon from 4.30 to 5.30 and Saturday morning from 10 to 11.30.

The gymnasium proper is situated in the basement at the rear of the building. Its dimensions are 45 by 65 feet. It is sheathed up the sides and end and finished in natural wood, while the floor is of maple. Particular attention has been given to the lighting and ventilating of the room. In the day time numerous windows that are protected from breakage by wire screens furnish ample light. In the evening the room is lighted by eight 50-candle power lights suspended over the gym, and eight 25-candle power lamps that are arranged under the gallery. The ventilation is obtained through the roof. The heating is by steam coils suspended beneath the gallery.

The gallery which surrounds the gymnasium affords an excellent opportunity for viewing the work upon the floor. This gallery when completed, will be used as a running track of 32 laps to the mile.

In the front or Washington street side of the gymnasium, is a door leading to the locker and shower-bath room. The main entrance to this room, however, is by a broad stairway leading from the main floor.

At the right of the locker room is the shower bath room. This is provided with four ring showers and two special shampoo showers fitted with attachments for hot and cold water. The use of the shower is free to members of the gymnasium classes.

The fee for the gymnasium classes is $8 per year for a senior full membership, which includes the use of the reading room and all association privileges.

For the High school boys, the rate is $5, and for juniors, $3.50 per year. The High school boys and juniors are restricted to certain hours of the day.

There are two alleys. They are the regulation Narragansett alleys and so popular has this sport become that the alleys are almost in constant use afternoons and evenings. The fee for bowling is merely nominal, namely, five cents a string. They are, however, for the exclusive use of Association members.

—A Negro hack driver in Washington was hastening to reach his destination with his passenger, when he encountered a funeral moving at rapid speed. He was superstitiously opposed to crossing between the long line of carriages, so he tried to out-speed the hearse, but failed. Ranging alongside the hearse he shouted to the driver: "Say boss hold up and let me go past. My passenger is in a hurry, and yours isn't."

Anecdotes.

First Shop girl—What a tiresome customer that woman is!

Second Shop girl—Yes, for she always knows just what she wants and won't take anything else.

"Where does leather come from?"

"From the hide of the ox."

"What animal, then, supplies you with shoes and gives you meat to eat?"

"My father."

First Little Girl—Has your sister begun taking music lessons yet?

Second Little Girl—She's takin' somefin on the piano, but can't tell yet whether it's music or typewritin'.—New York Observer.

"Isn't it strange," remarked Mrs. Billins to her husband, "that I can never get a good bargain in shoes?"

"You did once," said her husband.

"When was that?"

"When you got me." — Chicago Record-Herald.

Mr. Brown is outside." said the new office boy. "Shall I show him in?"

"Not on your life," exclaimed the junior partner. "I owe him $10."

"Show him in," calmly said the senior member of the firm. "He owes me $25.—Chicago News.

Lewis and Clark Centennial.

Editors of the Patriot:

The beginning of 1905 sees the work on the buildings and grounds for the Lewis and Clark Centennial at Portland, Oregon, so far advanced that there is no longer any question as to the fair being completed long before the opening day, June 1, while the demand for exhibit space has been so large that it is necessary to erect another building. The new exhibition palace, which will bear the name Palace of Manufactures, Liberal Arts and Varied Industries, will be located just east of the Agricultural Palace, the largest building on the grounds, and will equal it in size. The construction of the building will provide an additional 90,000 feet of floor space, and make it possible for all desirable exhibitors to be accommodated. The readjustment made necessary by the construction of the new building includes turning over the former Liberal Arts Building to exhibitors from Europe, and giving over the entire space in the former Foreign Exhibits building to Oriental exhibitors.

Foreign participation will be on a scale not dreamed of when the exposition project was conceived, almost every nation on the globe being represented, while the majority of the states in the union will make official state participation, several erecting state pavilions. Eight exposition structures are now completed and have been turned over to the contractors. These are: Oriental Exhibits, European Exhibits, Agriculture, Fire Department, Public Comfort, Administration, Shelter Pavilion and Colonnade Entrance.

The exposition will represent an expenditure approximating $5,000,000. The site, by all odds the most beautiful ever utilized for such a purpose, occupies 402 acres, and adjoins the principal residential district of Portland. The site comprises a natural park, and the principal exhibition palaces, nestling among the trees, overlook a beautiful little lake, called Guild's lake, and the Williamette river. In the center of the lake is a peninsula which looks from the mainland like a verdure-covered island, while in the distance rise four mighty snow-capped mountains—Mount Hood, Mount Ranier, Mount Adams, and Mount St. Helens.

While our own government will be the largest national participant, nearly every nation that arises to the dignity of a place on the map will be represented at the exposition. England will maintain her dignity against Germany, and Germany against France, while Japan and Russia will struggle for supremacy in a battle of peace. Great interest will center about the exhibits from Japan and Russia, both nations having been attracted by the oriental aspect of the fair. The Japanese are planning for a big national pavilion, in which will be shown their products, manufactures, educational conditions and displays of fine and liberal arts. Russian participation will be on much the same lines, particular attention being given to silk weaving and other manufacturing industries.

State participation from every part of the union is now assured and a number of the wealthier commonwealths will erect pavilions which will serve as club houses for their citizens visiting the fair. The Oregon appropriation, $450,000, is the largest ever made by a state of so small a population. The Atlantic seaboard states have shown an interest in the exposition that is a source of great gratification to the management.

The Lewis and Clark fair will be unique among international expositions in that it is built with a view to compactness without crowding. It can be seen and studied within the time and means which the average person has at his disposal. The exposition will contain the cream of earlier fairs, supplemented by valuable exhibits collected especially for the fair, and there will be many things to be seen that will be well worth seeing, and that could not be found elsewhere. A specialty will be made of live exhibits, and the things to be seen will be for the most part of interest to the general public. In keeping with the intention of making the fair truly representative of western life and western resources, the Forestry display will be one of the most interesting exhibits at the fair.

Those from New England who contemplate a visit to this World's Fair and the Pacific coast will find it to their advantage to travel via. the New York Central and connections either to St. Louis or Chicago; thence to Kansas City or Omaha, and then by the Union Pacific lines direct to Portland. Through daily train service is operated by these big railroad systems, with luxurious cars, and they are several hours quicker than by any other route. Illustrated folders of the Union Pacific lines may be obtained of W. Massey, the New England agent, at 176 Washington street, Boston; and New York Central folders may be obtained of the Boston & Albany Railroad at the South station, Boston. These will interest you, if you don't take the trip.

The railroad rates already established offer a round trip of $56.50 from Chicago, and one fare for the round trip for points farther east. All of the roads have agreed to allow liberal stopover privileges, and the chance to see the great Northwest will be so notable that thousands of people from the Mississippi river valley and the Atlantic Seaboard states are expected. The Exposition authorities, while not wishing to seem to sanguine, have no fears of small attendance, nor of the fair not being completed in every detail long before the opening day.

Frank L. Merrick.

Portland, Oregon, Jan. 20, 1905.

—Women living in Abyssinia, so report says, are not tempted to buy wild birds' plumage, for the very finest white ostrich feathers may be bought there for $2.31 a dozen, the best black for $1.93, and gray ones from 48 to 97 cents a dozen.

Household Receipts.

Stewed Codfish. Take a thick piece of the salt fish; lay it in cold water for a few minutes. Shred it in very small bits, put over the fire in a stewpan with cold water, let it come to a boil, turn off the water and add a pint of rich milk to the fish. Place again over the fire and boil slowly five minutes, add a piece of butter, a little pepper and a thickening of flour in a little cold milk. Stew a little longer and stir in a well-beaten egg. Nice for breakfast.

Spinach Balls. Put a slightly heaping tablespoonful of butter, a tablespoonful of cream and half a teaspoonful of sugar into a saucepan on the stove, mix well, and when it boils add a heaping tablespoonful of flour—as much as will stay on the spoon—let it come to a boil, and then add three-quarters of a cup of cooked and finely chopped spinach, beat well and remove from the fire. When cold add two eggs, one at a time, season with salt and pepper to taste and half a saltspoonful of powdered mace. Have a saucepan of boiling water, slightly salted, on the stove; dip a tablespoon in cold water, and then take up enough of the spinach mixture to make an oblong cake, in shape like an egg cut in half lengthwise, then dip the spoon in the boiling water and let the cake float off. Use all the mixture in this way. The balls will cook in four or five minutes, and they must not boil too fast or they will break. Let them drain in a colander while making a cream sauce, and when the sauce is made put the balls into it and let them come to a boil, turn out on a platter and garnish with parsley.

Chicken Fritters. Cut cold chicken into small pieces, put into a large dish and season with salt, pepper and lemon juice. Let stand one hour. Make a batter of two eggs, one pint of milk, a little salt and sufficient flour. It should not be too stiff. Stir the chicken into this and fry brown by dropping it by spoonfuls into boiling fat. Drain and serve hot.

Plain French Dressing. To three tablespoonfuls of oil add one saltspoonful of salt, half as much white pepper, and beat until thoroughly blended; then slowly add one tablespoonful of sharp vinegar and beat until the dressing is foamy and a little thickened. One tablespoonful of tarragon, celery or onion vinegar may be substituted for plain vinegar, and finely chopped parsley, cress, chives or olives are a pleasing change.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Charles C. Barton et al trs to John C. Raynes.
Charles C. Barton et al trs to Jos. F. Raynes.
Climena H. Drake to Patrick J. Lyons.
Charles E. French to Josephine E. Newhall.
Rose O'Hara to Annie M. Kelley, 79.
Margaret M. Tower to Fore River Shipbuilding Co.
William Allison to Mary A. Allison, 14.
George E. Rogers to John D. Clapp.
Jane Smith to Annie E. Youngquist.
Clifford S. Drake to Unknown owners est.
Paul L. Gunella to Henry Kavanagh et al.
Walter T. Fuller to Jeremiah McAuliffe.
Anna J. McGrath to Walter T. Fuller tax deeds (2).
Fred G. Drake to Julia E. Fuller.
Endicott Land Co. to Julia E. Fuller tax deeds (2).
Samuel H. Hockaday to John H. Dinegan.
Charles King to John H. Dinegan, (14).
John H. Storer, et al trs to Annie E. Youngquist.
Andrew A. Meyer to Clifford S. Drake,
— — Savage et al trs to Climena H. Drake.
Oskar E Djerf et al to Nathaniel M Safford $900.
Lottie Curtis to Ernest E. Hubbard.
Henry Kavanagh et al to Kavanagh Bros. Co.
Matilda Bolton to James J. Naughton.
Elizabeth H. Clarke to James J. Naughton, 32
Lavinia Campbell to James J. Naughton.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

Lew Dockstader's great minstrel company, which will appear at the Tremont Theatre for two weeks, beginning Monday, Feb. 13, is one of the largest and most expensive organizations of the kind ever gathered together in the history of minstrelsy. The contrast is striking between the old-time minstrel show, whose company numbered from six to ten men, and this organization, with its two sixty-foot baggage cars crowded with scenery and mechanical and electrical effects, its three full quartets and its ten solo singers, and its twenty-piece orchestra and its dozen comedians, who are not only genuinely funny, but who portray the real darkies, of course, Lew Dockstader is the star of his company, as he is recognized as filling a unique position in minstrelsy, there being no one who even approaches him in magnetism, in comedy or reputation. Notwithstanding this he surrounds himself with the best minstrel talent he can secure. Although Mr. Dockstader has provided for the minstrel end of his performance, he has not neglected the spectacular. In addition to really artistic setting for the first part, and in this particular, surpassing even the more pretentious of his rivals in the business, he has made his second part largely a series of beautiful and sumptuous stage pictures which are appropriate to the various musical or comedy features presented. In brief, his show of this season is a splendid spectacle, which, in addition to its beauty, has the merit of always being thoroughly apropos of what the company is presenting.

Castle Square Theatre.

The enterprise of the Castle Square Theatre management is again shown in the announcement of a dramatic novelty for next week which gives promise of much that is interesting for the patrons of this play house. The play is the work of Percy Seymour Sharpe of Chicago, who, by his experience as an actor, had a preparation for his dramatic writing which proved valuable in the construction of "The Sixth Commandment," the name finally given the drama now announced for production by the Castle Square Company. Mr. Sharpe has made his plot to turn upon the experiences of a cultivated woman of Russia who is supposed to have murdered the man who has tortured her brother to death. Through a misunderstanding of the facts of her case she becomes the tool of the Russian secret police and is made the central figure in a most remarkably well planned series of exciting scenes and situations.

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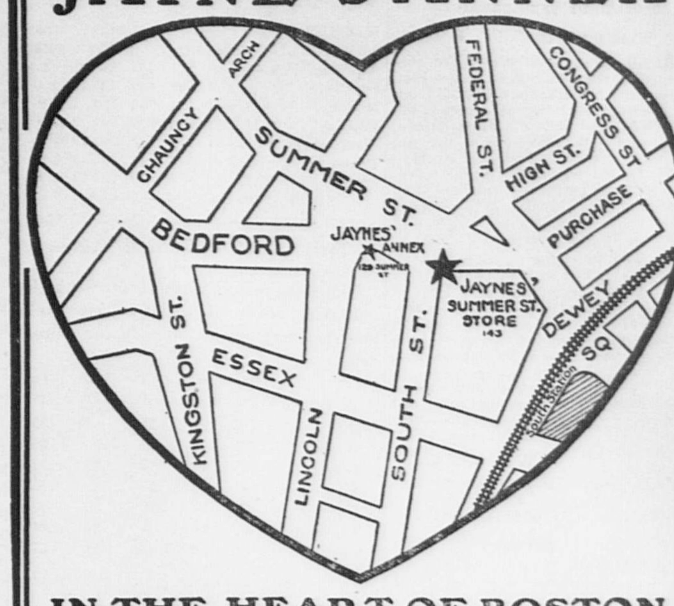

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Cash Capital,	$4,000,000.00
Reserve for Re-insurance (Fire)	4,281,503.60
Reserve for Unpaid Losses (Fire)	596,488 24
Reserve for Other Claims,	252,158 60
Net Surplus,	6,060,737.71
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CASH FUND January 1, 1904.
$705,963.30
SURPLUS over Re-Insurance,
$455,776.74
LOSSES paid the past year,
$42,201.94
DIVIDENDS PAID the past year,
$66,032 42
GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year.
$12,983.04
GAIN IN CASH FUND the past year,
20,297.34

AND EVERY LOSS PAID IN FULL.

AMOUNT AT RISK, *$32,586,226.00*
TOTAL LIABILITIES, *$250,186.56*

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Quincy, Mass., 1904

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FIFTIETH ANNUAL STATEMENT
JANUARY 1, 1905.

Amount at Risk	$37,809,990.00
Cash Assets	507,409 00
Deposit Notes	627,581.17
Available Assets	1,134,990.24
Total Liabilities	338,543.29
Cash Surplus	168,86 578
Gain in Surplus in 1904	7,458.47
Gain in Assets in 1904	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904	103,055.43
Dividends paid in 1904	68,294.25
Receipts in 1904	244,429.85
Disbursements in 1904	228,975.58

This Company now pays the following Dividends:

On five-year Policies	60 per cent
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DEDHAM, MASS.
STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1905.

Amount at Risk,	$24,627,979.48
Cash Assets,	668,766.38
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance.	193,222.23
Amount of Cash Surplus.	$475,544.15
Contingent Assets,	352,120.59
Total Available Assets,	1,020,886.97
Gain in Surplus,	17,211.31

Dividends are now being paid on five-year policies, 70 per cent.; on three-year policies, 50 per cent.; on one and two-year policies, 25 per cent.
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GEORGE H. FIELD, Agent for Quincy.

Incorporated 1837.
Dedham Mutual Fire Ins. Co.
DEDHAM, MASS.
STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1905:

Amount at Risk,	$7,224,426.07
Cash Assets,	169,173.07
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	62,518.78
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$106,654.29
Contingent Assets,	111,131.71
Total Available Assets,	280,304.78
Gain in Surplus,	4,[illegible]59.07

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George Washington's Birthday.

INEZ C. PARKER

You all is wrong! 'Twuz summeh when
Gawge Washin'ton wuz bohn;
Dey wuz birds a-singin' in de trees,
Dey wuz tossels on de cohn;
An' I recommembeh well and good
Dat de flowehs wuz blooming gay—
Yit heah you comes a makin' out
Dat de winteh's his buthday!

Don' tell me 'bout yo' h'st'ry books!
How came da history,
In speakin' 'bout Gawge Washin'ton,
Knows so much mo' dan me?
Ain't I done nuss, an' feed, an' love,
An' raise him all dis while?
An' spank him when he need it too?
An' ain't he my own child?

You'n's argifies lak eejits 'bout
His buthday bein' col'!
Why, I tuck 'im out widout no wrap
When 'e want but fo' weeks ol'!
An would I dahed done sech a thing
In time uv sleets an' snows?
De summeh wuz dat chile's buthday!
I te'l you 'twas! I knows.

You youngstehs—kaze you's been to school—
Jes thinks you knows it all!
'Spect you'll be telling me, fo' long,
I ain't got no sense atall!
Huh! P'raps I ain't—it's hahd to tell,
But dis I sho' kin say
P'int blank about Gawge Washin'ton—
De summeh's his buthday.

Miscellany.

Mrs. Brownlee's Mission Society.

"Guess who's in town?" said Hiram Brownlee to his wife, on his return from the village. "Cynthia Andrews! She looks almost as young as ever, and she's an up-to-date woman. She knows more about what's going on in the world than any man in this town. It's invigorating to meet a woman like her."

Martha Brownlee's face flushed. Years ago she and Cynthia Andrews had been rivals.

"Probably she studied up the encyclopaedia before she came," replied Mrs. Brownlee.

"Well, she's the smartest woman I've seen lately. There isn't a thing going on that she doesn't keep track of."

"She always used to want to know everybody's business," was the curt reply.

"Now, Martha, it isn't that; it's the doings of the world; the kings, the governments, the people, the evils and how to right them. She knows heaps about Russia and Turkey, and when it comes to the Philippines, our editor was glad to get pointers from her. What she doesn't know about missionary doings could be written on a postage stamp, and she talks of Bulgaria and those places as if they weren't more'n twenty miles away. She's coming out to-morrow. I told her you'd be glad to see her. I'll happen round myself. I want to ask her some more about that trouble in the Balkan peninsula."

"I haven't time to waste on the Turks and Philippines; I'm kept busy looking after the house and food and clothes," was the reply. "A woman who attends to her house as she ought to hasn't time to give pointers to editors and other men."

Hiram laughed good-naturedly.

"You may laugh if you want to; I do believe that the woman who slaves for her family till she's worn out isn't appreciated like the woman who can make a show."

"Some women can do both, and I guess Cynthia has. Jim hasn't been over successful, and she must have had a hard row to hoe, but her brains haven't gone to seed," said Mr. Brownlee, buttoning his blue blouse and starting for the barn.

His wife sat down by the window and looked out wearily over the hills. Her cheeks were flushed with anger, and her eyes moist with tears. Her thoughts ran back into the past.

"She can't hold a candle to you," Hiram had said of Cynthia then; and now he called her "the smartest woman I've seen lately."

There was a pitiful tugging at Martha Brownlee's heart-strings.

The next day brought the visitor, and Mrs. Brownlee was glad that her husband had been called away on business.

As the two women talked of old days, Martha felt the influence of the strong purposeful nature, and Cynthia's words awakened ambitions and interests long dormant.

"Now, Cynthia," she asked confidentially, "tell me how you keep so cheery and know so much, with all your hard work?"

"Yes, Martha, I have had hard work. The Lord never forsook us, but I didn't think of praising him; I just fretted because things didn't go my way. Disappointments came, and I got bitter and hard in heart. I fretted while Jim and the boys were at work, and I fretted when they came home. I felt as if there wasn't a thing to live for. I was just standing on a corner of life all alone, while the procession and music had gone away ahead. I coddled my misery. Don't you know, Martha, that there are lots of women who like to be martyrs? They take solid comfort in letting folks know how wretched they are. They are always twitting their husbands and children about how hard they work, and that they aren't appreciated. In the end they aren't, and it's their own fault."

Martha winced at this.

"Well, I went to our minister's wife; I just wanted to tell somebody how miserable I was. It had got to be such an old story to Jim and the boys that they didn't mind it any more. She heard me through, and then she said: 'You've got to live your life, Mrs. Andrews; you can't get out of it honorably, and worry never lightens a burden. Now, why don't you live in the parlor of faith, where there's books and pictures and sunshine, instead of staying down in the cellar of discouragement, where your mind will get moldy and your heart all musty?' 'How can I,' I asked, 'with every day crowded with drudgery that I hate, and worry that is killing me?'

"'My dear,' she said, 'you are at a critical point. You are training your mind to think discontent. Stop short. When you are tempted, sing praises. The worry habit has to be treated like the drink habit—take the pledge, trust in God, and let the poison alone. You know worry is soul poison. Then you need something better as a substitute for the old habit, and the very best thing is the missionary work.' I gave her my name then and there, and they set me to work."

"It seems to me," said Mrs. Brownlee, "that that was adding to your burdens."

"Not a bit of it. The time I had spent in worry I devoted to missions, and soon, instead of railing at life, I felt that it was grand to live and be in touch with the noble workers in Christ's kingdom; and when I saw the needs of the world my own woes shrank away in my love for others."

"Do you know, Cynthia," said Mrs. Brownlee, in an outburst of confidence, "that I've been pretty near as bad myself? I've worked year in and year out, and worried myself and all the family over it. I don't take time to read, and I only think of house-cleaning, sewing, and cooking."

"Martha, a woman has no more business to starve her mind than to starve her body, and there isn't any better mental food than the missionary diet. Do you know there are lots of women in this country who need the missionary society just as much as the heathen women do? The women to whom life is a pitiful struggle need the missionary hour for rest and companionship; it helps them forget; and the women who are almost mental mummies, they have so few thoughts, and they only talk about their diseases and trials, or their neighbors' trials. If they would only put this wasted energy into purposeful work for Christ, what they could accomplish, not only for Him, but for the richness of their own lives! The missionary work will broaden your vision. It gave to me, a despondent woman, a new ambition, a new grasp on life. The reason some faith-healers succeed is because they fill the disheartened invalid with hope and expectancy, and that means new vitality and energy. That's what missions did for me."

After her visitor had departed, Mrs. Brownlee sat quietly thinking over her friend's words.

"Some men do like women who think," she said to herself, "and Hiram is one. I wonder, after all, if purposes and ideas and a cheery way of looking at things don't count for more with your family than wearing yourself out scrubbing a floor twice when it only needs it once, and then scolding till you're tired for fear someone will track it all up. Cynthia's got the right of it. If missions will do that for her—well, Hiram used to say she couldn't hold a candle to me. Now, we'll see."

Much to her relief, her husband made no comments when, a few days later, she asked for the buggy to drive to the missionary meeting. The trips were made regularly, and one day Mr. Brownlee laid some money on the table.

"There, Martha, that's for papers and magazines. Do your missionarying in proper shape. I've read those leaflets about women having to raise a calf for missions, or steal away eggs, or plant squash vines; but don't you do it. We own the largest and, if I do say it, the best-managed farm in this township; we're both church-members, and I don't want you to give to missions as if you were haggling over a bargain counter."

"Hiram, you're the best man in the world!" she cried.

From that time there was a closer companionship between them. Many of the long winter evenings were spent in reading together, or in earnest conversation. The missionary periodicals were the forerunners of books and pictures which meant much for the intellectual life of the home, and family prayer grew out of this common interest in a great cause. The children talked of the various missionaries as if they were relatives.

"Mother," said Nellie, "our principal complimented me today on my knowledge of current topics. I didn't tell him 'twas part of our diet."

"I'd have told him," spoke up Tom. "I told the boys that my mother knows more than all the teachers in our building, more than anybody else except father. Fred Jones is teasing the life out of his mother to join the missionary. Mrs. Jones is just like mother was before she joined."

"Why, Tom Brownlee, aren't you ashamed!" reproved Nellie.

Tom went over to his mother and put his arm around her neck.

"It's true, it is," he persisted. Mother used to complain all the time about how big the farm was and how awfully she had to work; it always made me feel as if I was in the way. Of course, mother was always the best in the world, but there's a lot of difference now isn't there, Mothery?"

She drew his head down upon her shoulder and pressed her cheek against his.

"Now your mother thinks the whole world isn't too big for her to work in," added Mr. Brownlee, with a smile.

When the annual missionary meeting was held, Mrs. Brownlee read a paper on "What Missions can do for our own homes."

An unusual hush settled over the audience as the sweet voice, with now and then a note of pathos in it, plead for a unity of Christian purpose and prayer in the home life, and told how no other topic was comprehensive enough so deeply to interest both the old and young; that it could gratify every taste, for it meant history, literature, art, current topics, and best of all, the culture of the gospel. She told how it changed selfishness to selflessness, and gave the ideal family life—all the members working together for that larger family, the world, whose Father is God.—Ida Buxton Cole.

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But Then.

It was a queer name for a little girl, and it was not her real name,—that was Lizzie; but everybody called her "But Then."

"My real name is prettier; but, then, I like the other very well," she said, nodding her brown curls merrily. And that sentence shows how she came by her name.

If Willie complained that it was a miserable rainy day, and they couldn't play out of doors, Lizzie assented brightly, "Yes; but then, it's a nice day to make our scrap-books."

When Rob fretted because they had so far to walk to school, his little sister reminded him, "But, then, it's all the way through the woods, you know; and that's ever so much nicer than walking on the hard pavements of a town."

When even patient Aunt Barbara pined a little because the rooms in the new house were so few and small compared with their old home, a rosy face was quietly lifted to hers with the suggestion, "But, then, little rooms are best to cuddle up all together in,—don't you think so, Auntie?"

"Better call her 'Little But Then' and have done with it," declared Bob, half vexed, half laughing. "No matter how bad anything is, she is always ready with her 'but then,' and some kind of consolation on the end of it."

"Just look at all the snow going to waste without our having a chance to enjoy it!" said Will, one day; "and the ice, too,—all because we couldn't bring our sleds with us when we moved."

"But, then, you might make one yourself, you know. It wouldn't be quite so pretty, but it would be just as good," said little "But Then."

Exactly what I mean to do when I get money enough to buy two or three boards; but I haven't even that yet, and the winter is nearly half gone."

"If we only had a sled today sister could ride, and we could go on the river," said Bob. "It's just as near that way, and we could go faster."

"It's a pity," admitted the little girl. "But, then, I've thought of something; that old chair in the shed! If we turn it down its back would be almost like runners."

"Hurrah! that's the very thing!" interrupted the boys.

The old chair was dragged out, carried down to the river, and away went the merry party.

"What is that? It looks like a great bundle of clothes," said Will, pointing to a dark spot a little way out on the ice.

It was a bundle that moved and moaned as they drew near, and proved to be a little girl.

"I slipped and fell on the ice," she exclaimed, "and I've broken my leg."

The poor girl was borne safely home; and the children lingered long enough to bring the surgeon, and hear his verdict that "young bones do not mind being broken: she will soon be out again as well as ever."

"Wasn't it good that it was only the old chair we had today? asked little "But then," as she told the story at home. "O auntie, I had the nicest time!"

"I believe you had," answered Aunt Barbara, smiling; for a brave sunny spirit that never frets over what it has not, but always makes the best of what it has, is sure to have a good time. It doesn't need to wait for it to come; it has a faculty for making it."

Let the Weather Alone.

Let the weather alone and attend to your own business.

If you must observe the weather, then observe, that whatever befalls, it always attends strictly to its own business.

Incessant chatter about the weather is one of the silliest weaknesses of the American people. Europeans say that we are the only civilized people who make the weather a stock topic of conversation.

If it is cold we complain; if it is hot, we complain; if it rains we complain; if it happens to be just right for a little while, we get offensively gay about it.

All this is extremely foolish.

The weather never varied a millionth part of a degree because of our approval or disapproval, and it never will.

Don't abuse the present weather. It may not precisely suit your own little purposes and ideas, but the real Weather Man is long-headed and knows His business.

So observe the weather only to learn the lesson of attending to your own business.—Beverly Times.

Another Irish Bull.

In the lobby of the House two members of Parliament was discussing the honor being paid to Ireland and Irish troops.

One was a Scotchman, the other an Irishman.

The man from Scotland said, condescendingly:

"It's a' very weel to praise the Irish soldiers," and he proceeded to explain that while he was glad they were to wear the shamrock on St. Patrick's day, it must not be forgotten that the Highlanders had been fighting bravely, too; "they expected no special mark of favor for their services, they were always ready to brave death for their queen, and their loyalty was beyond reproach."

The Irishman interrupted indignantly:

"I would have ye know, sorr," he cried, "there's as true a heart beats under an Irish soldier's tunic as beneath any Highlander's kilt!"

In less than ten minutes the story had gone round the House.—Spare Moments.

His View of It.

"No, sur!" exclaimed Cassidy. "It's no aisy job t' be a millionaire."

"Is it just crazy talk ye're making asked Mulligan.

"No, sur; I mane it. Shure, if ye're a millionaire an' don't give all yer money away they call ye a sthingy ould, thafe, an' if ye do they'll say ye had t' do it t' square yersel' wid the Lord. No, sur; I'd not be a millionaire fur a thousn' dollars!"—Philadelphia Press.

An Illustrated Sermon.

"I don't know what to make of that boy of mine," sighed a well known minister of the gospel. "I have tried to bring him up in the way he should go, but he is always coming back at me in a way that destroys the value of the lessons that I try to teach him. The other day his mother informed me that he had been throwing stones at one of the neighbor's little boys, and I called him into my study to question him about it.

"'My son,' said I sadly, 'what is this I hear about your misconduct?'

"'Why, papa,' said he, 'I haven't been doing anything that I ought not to.'

Your mother reports that you have been throwing stones at the little Jones boy.'

"'And so I did,' he shouted defiantly.

"'Do you think that is the proper thing for a little Christian boy to do?'

"'Why, papa,' he answered, 'you said yourself that a little boy could preach sermons more powerful than those delivered from the pulpit; sermons that would sink deep into the heart and remain there forever, and that I should be constantly on the outlook for a chance to teach such lessons to my little friends.'

"'I remember saying something like that,' I answered gravely, 'but throwing stones can hardly be classed as a sermon.'

"'Why, papa,' he flashed, 'I've heard you say time and time again that there were sermons in stones, and if there was ever a kid that needed a sermon, that Jones boy does!"—Detroit Free Press.

Be Charitable Today.

By far too many people keep the flowers they have plucked for you until the day of your funeral. Their songs of praise are not heard until your procession is passing their door. The mantle of charity does not become public property until put in use by the preacher who conducts the "last sad rites." If a man has flowers for me I want them while I am on earth and can smell their fragrance. They will do me no good sitting at the head of my coffin. The grass that is kept green about my last resting place will be of little avail to me on the other shore. Here is where I need the flowers and the smiles and the praise, not over there. If the fellow who is going to go around to the house after I am gone to see "if he can be of any help" will come around tomorrow I can tell him how he can be of a whole lot of help. There will be plenty of them. It is all-fired short now. Carry your flowers to the living and sing your songs of praise at the dinner table. Don't wait for the funeral.—Osborn (O.) Farmer.

What Care Will Do.

Care will kill a cat. But it does worse to a woman. It makes her ugly. It puckers up accordion plaits between her eyes and draws funny, scraggy little railroad tracks across her forehead. When it doesn't do that, it imparts a hopeless, alone-in-the-world countenance, which is even more dreadful. The thing to do, argues a woman noted for her sunny disposition, is to give care a frosty glare occasionally. Make up your mind that you are not going to be miserable just because something or other—or everything—goes wrong. Whenever you feel the worrying fever coming on, go and borrow somebody's youngster and play circus. Cut out paper dolls. Make chocolate fudge. Sit on the floor like a tailor and sing like—like—well, sing the best you can, good old time songs that you used to sing when you were young and foolish, and hankering for moonlight boat rides and all that sort of thing.—Philadelphia Times.

Lost Opportunities.

A great many young men miss their chances to rise in the world because they are not ready for the next step when the opportunity comes. As long as one is satisfied with just enough knowledge or skill to perform the work in hand, the chances for rising any higher are not very bright. But those who are not content with remaining in statu quo, lose no opportunity to fit themselves for a sphere of larger usefulness. They are looking ahead for advancement and prepare themselves by diligent study and constant practice, and when there is an opening they are ready for it, because they are equal to meet the requirements which the advance step call for. Everybody cannot get the higher positions, but there is no harm in getting ready to fill such when they come your way. If you are not competent, you surely cannot expect to advance, but if you are there's a chance of winning.

A Return Kindness.

George J. Gould tells this story: It seems that at a suburban station, a train was starting off one morning, when an elderly man rushed across the platform and jumped on one of the slowly-moving cars.

The rear-end brakeman, who was standing by, reached up, grabbed the old man's coat tails and pulled him off the train.

"There," he said sternly, "I have saved your life. Don't you ever try to jump on like that again."

"Thank you," said the old man calmly. "Thank you for your thoughtful kindness. It is three hours till the next train, isn't it?"

"Three and a quarter," said the brakeman.

The long train, meanwhile, had been slowly gliding by, slowly gathering speed. Finally the last car appeared. This was the brakeman's car, the one for which he had been waiting, and, with easy grace that is born of long practice, he sailed majestically on to it.

But the old gentlemen seized him by the coat, and with a strong jerk pulled him off, at the same time saying, grimly: "One good turn deserves another. You saved my life; I have saved yours. Now we are quits."

—It ain't no disgrace for a man to fall, but to lay thare and grunt iz.—Josh Billings.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, Feb. 11, 1905.

Since I last wrote, your readers have doubtless learned of the passage of the Railroad Rate Bill by the lower House of Congress. The vote on the bill was almost unanimous, but seventeen members, eleven of whom were Republicans and six Democrats, voting against it. It is rare indeed that a bill of such sweeping importance has been passed by such an overwhelming majority and it is thought by many here to be prognostic of very important legislation relating to trusts and combinations. If it is proper for the United States Government to interfere with a combination of railroads, why may it not be equally proper to take under consideration combinations such as the six express companies through which the people of the United States are outrageously taxed and to which the Goverment itself pays hundreds of thousands of dollars annually, notwithstanding these express companies, through legislation that has been secured by them, are the rivals of the Government in the postal business? John Wanamaker, who was the best Postmaster General this country ever had, said that there were four reasons why the people of this country could not have penny postage, a parcels post, and other cheap postal facilities that are enjoyed by the civilized countries of Europe. These four reasons were the four express companies. Now there are six of them and Senator Platt of New York is the President of the combination and their special representative and attorney on the floor of the Senate, where, backed by the State of New York and the City of New York whose inhabitants own a majority of the stock of these companies, he wields unequaled influence. There are other trust including the Labor Trust that will probably, in the next four years, come under the consideration of the Government and Congress.

The political atmosphere is throbbing with reform and if the Senate does not pass the Railroad Rate Bill at this session, it is thought a special spring session may be called. In the short interim between the Fourth of March and such session, Senators and members will learn from their homes how urgent and determined the country is for the passage of these measures, and it is certain that the new Congress which will assemble in extra session, many of whose members came in with the tidal wave that elected Roosevelt, will not be less earnest for the passage of a wholesome and trust repressive law than the present Congress has been.

In political and diplomatic circles here there is seen in the late San Dominican episode, a tendency to widen the scope of the Monroe Doctrine and to insure to the incapable so-called "republics" of this hemisphere, domestic peace as well as immunity from European aggression. There are South American Republics that like San Domingo are really perpetual or intermittant anarchies. To these little quarrelsome sham governments, we bear the relation of a powerful neighbor and may not shirk the beneficent interference our power implies. We do not want to annex them. We would not have them at any price. Porto Rico and the Philippines are enough, or too much. But we can and must make them behave themselves and keep the peace and surpass their eternal riots termed "revolutions." The Senate of the United States, through its joint treaty—making power with the Executive, is a deliberative body—very deliberative and is frequently, much in the way of that prompt and decisive initiative and action necessary in national as in individual affairs. Moreover, there are certain Senators who are more concerned about Senatorial prerogatives and dignity than about the business of the country, national or international, and since they have the right to object to everything and speak against time can block measures, until the apportune moment for their enactment has passed.

One of the interesting week end events has been the final announcement of the selection of the ambassadors to foreign courts. The completed plans do not differ materially from the announcements that have been made for a few weeks but they include changes in our most important diplomatic offices. Great satisfaction is felt at the appointment of Mr. Whitelaw Reid to succeed Ambassador Choate at the Court of St. James. The country can produce no higher type of statesman, scholar and gentleman than Mr. Reid. He has also a large private fortune that will make it possible for him to maintain an impressive establishment in London. Mr. McCormick, at present ambassador to Russia will succeed General Porter as ambassador at Paris; George V. L. Meyer at present ambassador at Rome will succeed Mr. McCormick at St. Petersburg and Henry White will be sent to Rome. The failure of Minister Bowen to be transferred from Caracas to a higher diplomatic post was a disappointment that had a compensation in the President's expressed commendation of the work he had done in Venezuela during the recent strained relations with that country. It was not thought possible that a successor could be found equipped to carry on the work there and it was also believed that to remove Mr. Bowen now would be misconstrued by the Venezuelan government. Therefore for the time virtue will content itself with being its own reward. The president was not disposed to accept the suggestion that Mr. Barrett, minister at Panama, should have his duties consolidated with those of governor of the Canal zone and no change will be made for the present in diplomatic representation at Panama. These diplomatic changes will take place soon after the fourth of March.

Adams.

☞A revival of religion, morality and decency is called for in the degenerate communities—east, west and south—in which the laws of marriage are not sufficiently regarded to make a divorce seem necessary when a change of partners is effected.—Christian Register.

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Quincy Woman's Club.

Quincy is ripe for a large and flourishing woman's club, judging by the large attendance and enthusiasm shown at a preliminary meeting held Tuesday afternoon at Bethany chapel. Representative women were present from all parts of the city. The meeting was called to talk over the needs of a club with perhaps an idea of forming by another season.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson presided and told of the desire frequently expressed for a club in Quincy. The reason why it was now brought forward was because of a letter received from Dr. Jeffrey R. Brackett, who wished to give his Quincy home on Goffe street into the keeping of some educational or philanthropic society and it was thought a woman's club might embody Dr. Brackett's idea. Miss Johnson read the letter which was enthusiastically received, the ladies being pleased with the idea of having a club house from the start.

Miss Susan C. Richards of the Monday club of Weymouth told of the growth of that club, how from small meetings at private houses it now met in a hall and had a membership of nearly four hundred. It united the six villages of Weymouth and was helpful to the town. They hoped to have a club house some day and were putting money aside each year for that purpose. Thought Quincy ladies lucky to have club house already in sight.

Miss Elizabeth F. Merrill spoke for the Dorchester Woman's club, one of the finest in the state. She told of the formation, its work, the club house worth $30,000, its general prosperity and the good work it accomplished.

Mrs. Marion MacBride, of Arlington, who belongs to many clubs and is familiar with their work all over the country, was the last speaker. She told of the small beginnings of the New England Woman's Press club, the Charity club of Boston and the Cantabrigia of Cambridge. These clubs were accomplishing much and were uplifting to the community. No club of women was ever formed but it soon found plenty of work needing to be done; educational, charitable and civic improvements. She did not see how the ladies of Quincy could help forming a club with prospects of a club house. The large gathering showed an interest was felt in the matter.

The speakers were heartily applauded after which the ladies entered enthusiastically into a discussion of a club for Quincy. The sentiment was so strong in favor that when a rising vote was called for, over one hundred and fifty ladies stood up, nearly every one present.

When it was suggested that another preliminary meeting be held in the spring and the club formed early in the fall, there was instant protest, the wish being to organize at once. It was decided to hold another meeting Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 28, at half-past two, in First church chapel, in the meantime the ladies interested in calling the present meeting would confer with ladies from all parts of the city and arrange for the formation of the club at the next meeting.

Before the meeting disbanded papers were passed and a great many signed to become members when the club is formed. Quincy will probably start with a larger charter list of members than most clubs.

Valentine Party.

The Junior Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. gave a valentine party on Monday evening, Feb. 13, at Bethany church which was largely attended; guests from Point, Wollaston and Quincy being present.

The primary room was used for the games where ten tables were set. The games consisted of authors, bean-bag, checkers, dominoes, pit, telephone, jack straws, wild duck and ping pong.

Here the members enjoyed themselves with their friends until the door to the ladies' parlor was open and refreshments consisting of punch, fancy crackers, cake and popcorn were served by Avah R. Gilson, Catheryne M. Hutchins, Sarah E. Pawsey, Mabel E. Lovejoy, Nina Bates, Helen M. Lincoln, Dulah C. Miller and Polly McConnell.

The room was prettily decorated with Chinese lanterns, crepe paper and flags. The party adjourned at 10 o'clock. Much credit is due to the young ladies and the auxiliary which was started in October in making a grand success.

Government Building.

Step by step Quincy is slowly but surely reaching toward the goal which will give her a public building. The site for the building on Washington street was purchased some time ago, and Congressman McNary has been working earnestly to get an appropriation for the erection of the building.

It is slow work but things seem to be coming our way. Tuesday, Chairman Gillett of the House committee on Public Buildings and Grounds reported the omnibus public building bill carrying authorization for new public buildings, and the purchase of sites amounting to $9,499,000.

Of this sum $80,000 is alloted for a public building in Quincy. North Adams is given $100,000 and Springfield $35,000.

While the passage of the bill is not yet assured the fact that the committee recommends the appropriation goes a long way toward the sought for end.

A Giant Pump.

On Wednesday Supt. Donovan turned the valve which started Boston's big pumping engine at Cow Pasture, Dorchester, one of the largest in the world of its kind.

The contract for this engine was made in January, 1900, by Mayor Quincy.

The builders delivered the pump in September, 1903. To set it up has required all the time since that date.

The big flywheel was made in 12 sections and was turned after being assembled. It is 36 feet and weighs 55 tons. It raises 3000 gallons each revolution, and makes 17 each minute, and will discharge 72 million gallons every day. The wheel is 70 feet high and weighs 1,700,000 pounds.

Suit for $50,000.

The suit of J. F. Sheppard & Sons, coal dealers, against ex-Mayor Charles M. Bryant, for $50,000 for alleged slander in statements made in 1903 by Mayor Bryant before the legislative committee, was begun Wednesday in the superior court at Dedham before Judge Hitchcock.

—The Rev. W. H. Morrison of Brockton will preach in the Universalist church on Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Subject, "The Good Examples of Bad Men, and the Bad Examples of Good Men."

CITY BRIEFS.

Supt. Parlin is the victim of a hard grip cold.

Mrs. Chas. Bradford of 60 Spear street is very ill with grip.

Tramps were numerous in certain parts of Quincy on Monday.

Ash Wednesday comes this year on March 8 and Easter on April 23.

There were valentine boxes at most of the grammar schools Tuesday.

Examination papers have been sent to candidates for enumerators of the State census to be taken in May.

Harold Curtis, a High school boy and son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse F. Curtis of Miller Stile road, is quite sick.

Robert E. Johnson, wife and daughter have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alessandro Morton of Plymouth, N. H., the past week.

W. H. Griffin of Washington street, after an illness of five weeks with pneumonia is found at his post of duty this week.

A. J. Burns, the cigar manufacturer, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities are placed at $4,484.76 and assets at $19.05.

Dr. F. E. Jones was thrown from his sleigh on Hancock street, Sunday, and his horse ran to East Braintree before he was captured.

George Powers has been confined to his home on Washington street, the past week with the prevailing epidemic the grip.

Miss Mattie Holton, who is teaching school at Rollinsford, N. H., spent Sunday, at home with her sisters on Edwards street, this city.

On Monday Inspector McKay recovered a lady's gold watch in a Boston pawnshop that had been taken from a cottage at Houghs Neck last June.

The street railway ran a plough with an ice planer attachment over its lines this week, cutting down the ice that had formed between the tracks.

The Norfolk Lumber Co. have rented desk room in the Master Builders and Traders' Association office and will move into their new quarters on Wednesday.

Copies of the receipts and expenditures for Norfolk county for the year 1904 have been received at the City Clerk's office at City Hall for distribution.

Mrs. Edith B. Wolfe, junior vice president of the W. R. C., met with a bad accident Monday evening, falling on the ice and breaking her wrist in two places.

Eric G. Bergfors recovered last week a verdict of $80 for labor and $95 for materials in his petition before the Norfolk Superior court to enforce a mechanic's lien.

Miss Nellie O'Dowd severs her connection as stenographer and typewriter with the Master Builders' and Traders' association, this week, much to the regret of several of the members.

There were Lincoln day exercises in some of the public schools Monday, including the readings of papers on the martyr President, gems, stanzas, salute to flag, singing of "America," etc.

G. A. Lyons of Washington street, the obliging clerk at the store of L. M. Pratt & Son, has the sympathy of his many friends and acquaintances in the loss of his sister, whose sudden death from pneumonia occurred last week.

W. H. Binnian of Peoria, Ill., a retired merchant, who has rented the residence of the late Thomas A. Whicher on Adams street, has arrived in town and is stopping with Mrs. G. S. Keyes, Alleyne terrace, while alterations are being made on the place.

Charles F. Knowlton, recently Commissioner of Public Works, has accepted a position with the Metroplitan Park Commissioners. He will have charge of the building of the State boulevard from Revere beach toward the Point of Pines, work upon which has already been commenced.

Quincy Yacht club colors will be displayed at the National Motor Boat and Sportsman's show at Madison Square garden, New York, Feb. 21 to March 9. Friday, Feb. 24, will be known as Quincy Yacht club night, Thursday, March 2, as Squantum Yacht club night and Saturday, March 4, as Wollaston club night.

The Central fire station apparatus was summoned on a still alarm at 3 o'clock Tuesday morning for a fire in the McGregor block on Alleyne terrace. The fire, which evidently started from the heater, was between the walls of the apartments occupied by Mr. Homer and Mr. Curtis. The fire burned through the partition and there was considerable excitement for a time.

Mrs. H. E. Emerson and Miss Rounds while out sleigh riding Sunday afternoon in turning the corner near Faxon hall were capsized. The horse running away came in contact with a hydrant cutting a hind leg very badly. Dr. Souther was called and dressed the wound. The sleigh was badly damaged and today both ladies feel pretty sore and stiff. Fortunately neither were seriously injured.

A pretty party was held Tuesday evening at Faxon hall by the Manet club of Christ church. It was announced as a Valentine social. From eight until half past a reception was held, the matrons being Mrs. William Gardner, Mrs. Hazen Ricker and Mrs. Frank Brewer. Dancing followed until twelve o'clock to the inspiring strains of Cuff's orchestra. Many dainty gowns were noticed and it was an exceedingly pretty and social party. Frappe was served from a table decorated with hearts and other emblems in keeping with the day.

The children's party given at Faxon hall, Feb. 10, by the Social club of First church was a pretty affair. Mrs. Rideout at the piano played for the marching and dancing. Several of the mothers and teachers were present. Mr. Johnson, Miss Lane, Miss Mildred Huston and Miss Edna Smith did the honors for the teachers. At eight o'clock the final grand march carried the children, some thirty couples, to the dressing room where they quickly scattered to their homes. From eight until eleven Social club members enjoyed dancing. There was a large gathering of the younger set.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to Y. M. C. A. will be held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Theophilus King, Adams street. The opening exercises will be in charge of Rev. William Gardner, of Christ church. Mrs. C. H. Gurney of Wollaston will speak; subject, "The Value of Ideal." Mrs. John D. Buckingham will sing. All women interested in the work of the Young Men's Christian Association are welcome to these meetings and are cordially invited to be present Monday. A barge will leave City Square for Mrs. King's, at quarter past and half past two, for those who wish to ride.

A regular meeting of the City Council will be held next Monday evening.

There will be a meeting of the Quincy Reform club at Faxon hall this evening.

The new house on Hancock street near the car barn is nearly ready for occupancy.

Jesse F. Curtis of Miller Stile road has returned from a business trip to New York state.

The Fragment society of First church is to hold a fair in the chapel on Wednesday March 15th.

The Granite City club has appointed a committee to arrange for its annual banquet and theatre party.

The annual meeting of the Firemen's Relief association will be held this evening at the Central Fire station.

Arthur Parker left Tuesday noon for his home in Philadelphia. Quincy has been his home for the last few years.

Norfolk county received from Quincy for dog licenses in 1904 the sum of $2,623.80, of which $2,494.77 was refunded.

The verdict in the Sheahan sewer case was surprisingly large. It will be good news for Quincy if the amount is scaled down.

The annual meeting of the Norfolk County Bar Association will be held in room 320, Tremont building, Boston, this afternoon.

"The District School at Blueberry Corners," is to be given Tuesday evening, Feb. 21st, at Bethany church under the auspices of the Dorcas society.

The skin of Carlo the big St. Bernard dog has been cured and made into a mat and is now on exhibition in the show window at Kincaide's furniture store.

The regular monthly meeting of the Hospital Aid Association will be held on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 23d, at half-past two in the chapel of First church.

The Burns Memorial Fund netted over $130 at the recent concert and dance at Quincy Music hall, and the Clan McGregor Bicycle club has forwarded $5 to help along the good cause.

The Junior Friday club will be entertained on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Perry Lawton, Foster street. Miss Georgiana C. Lane is chairman of the afternoon's literary program.

The next meeting of the Friday club will be a John Ruskin afternoon on February twenty-fourth at the home of Mrs. W. E. Alden, Chestnut street. Miss Edith Randall is chairman of the afternoon.

Mrs. Henry L. Kincaide of Whitney road and Mrs. John A. Barbour of Wollaston are spending a few weeks in the south. They went by boat to Nassau and will return overland by way of Florida.

Vincent Anderson, aged 27 years, who came to Quincy from Bangor, Me., Saturday, attempted suicide Sunday morning at the house of J. D. Dhoogue at 76 South Walnut street, where he was stopping.

The engagement of Miss Mildred Rice, daughter of the late George M. Rice of Hyde Park, and Mr. Sydney C. Hardwick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Hardwick of Revere road, Quincy, is announced today.

The committee to arrange the details of forming the Quincy Woman's club is to meet on Tuesday afternoon at half-past two, at the home of Mrs. W. E. Alden. The public meeting will be held a week later in the chapel of First church.

A Washington's birthday party for the children is the next entertainment in the Braintree Cochato club course. From half-past two until four George Channing Darling, caricaturist and entertainer will interest the little folks, after which there will be dancing until five o'clock.

A few days ago a well known lady in this city was telling her twenty year old son, who was detained at home by sickness, that she was going to tell Miss H. and have her put it in the paper, and then his friends might call on him, when her young hopeful eight years old exclaimed—Say! mamma, is Miss H. a criminal reporter? Hard lines on the sick brother.

Quincy friends of Miss Elizabeth F. Merrill were pleased to meet her at Bethany chapel Tuesday afternoon, when she spoke so enthusiastically of her club, the Dorchester Woman's club, and did so much to encourage the formation of a woman's club at Quincy. Miss Merrill now resides at Dorchester but still has Quincy interests at heart and is a frequent guest of relatives and friends.

The next social event of importance in Quincy, will be Miss Myra Kelly's monologues, at Livermore hall, of the Quincy Mansion school on Monday evening, February twenty-seventh, at eight o'clock. The list of patronesses, under whose auspices Miss Kelly gives her entertainment assures it social success, and it is hoped that the brilliant young authoress will meet with the enthusiasm, that her readings at Sherry's in New York have received during this winter. The list of patronesses will be given next week.

The special Committee on Railroads of the City Council, to whom various orders relative to the betterment of railroad service have been referred, held a meeting Monday evening. A conference with the officials of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad was arranged for Friday, at which time the matter of better train service between Quincy and Boston was taken up. The subject of gates at the Saville street grade crossing will also be taken up and the railroad urged to place gates at this most dangerous place.

Paul Revere, W. R. C., observed Lincoln's birthday Tuesday evening in G. A. R. hall. The exercises commenced with the reading of scripture by the Chaplain Mrs. Jennie Holton, all joined in saying Lord's prayer and singing "Rock of Ages." Mrs. Angie Loud read Lincoln's famous address. A clipping from an old English paper, some twenty years ago, entitled "Lincoln's last laugh" was read by Mrs. Mary A. H. Crane. A sketch of Lincoln's life and also a beautiful poem was read by Mrs. Eliza Penniman. The flag salute was given and the exercises closed with singing of "America."

The Non Quit club held another of their enjoyable whist parties at their club rooms on Whitwell street Tuesday evening. The three large rooms were crowded to their utmost capacity, and it was hard work to get even a corner where two could enjoy a game of pitch. The club has quite a membership, and all good fellows, and something new is being added as fast as funds can be procured to make the rooms more attractive, the latest attraction being a piano. The ladies' first prize was taken by Miss Nellie McDonald, second prize by Miss Margaret Powers. The gentlemen's first prize was taken by N. M. Ackerson, second prize by Mr. Nelson.

Rogers Burgin is confined to his home with a slight cold.

The Sheppard-Bryant slander case may occupy the most of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Penniman of Whitwell street, entertained a few friends at whist Thursday evening. A Dutch lunch was served.

R. Fisher Collins, '07, of this city was one of the students injured at the Thayer Hall fire at Harvard on Wednesday. He jumped two stories and his ankles were sprained.

John Adams Commandery Knights of Malta held a smoke talk last evening at Greenleaf hall, which was well attended. Considerable business was done and the success of the Commandery is assured.

The young people are having great sport nights coasting. One of the best coasts is on Whitwell street. They start from the top of the hill and come down the steep grade, turn into Granite street and thence into the freight yard.

Tickets have been issued for the annual banquet of the East Norfolk Christian Endeavor Union, to be held in Bethany chapel, Tuesday evening, March 7th. It is hoped that a large number from each society will be present.

Lieut. Col. Henry L. Kincaide of the Governor's staff and John W. Hall, former chief of the Quincy fire department, were guests at the annual ball of the fire and protective departments of Boston at the Mechanics building Thursday night.

March 19th last year must have been a busy day for the librarians at the Thomas Crane Public library for in their report they state that over 600 books were given out, over one a minute and in most cases a book must have been returned also. The library certainly is popular.

Several Quincy friends of Grandma Usher remembered that Thursday was her eighty-ninth birthday and called on her leaving tokens of their love. Mrs. Usher formerly lived on Spear street but now makes her home with her granddaughter, Mrs. Joseph Goodwin of Huntington road, East Milton. She is enjoying good health and was pleased to see her friends.

WEST QUINCY.

Daniel McDevitt, who it is alleged obtained money from City Treasurer Fay last July on an order purporting to have been signed by Michael Carey, was given a hearing Monday before Judge Avery. The court found probable cause to believe him guilty and held him in $100 for the grand jury.

Austin W. Greene, master of the Gridley Bryant school was on Saturday elected president of the Massachusetts alumni association of the Farmington normal school. Eighty attended the dinner held at the Westminister in Boston.

Returns from the three railroad shipping terminals for the month of January show the amount of granite shipped that month to have been 5,935,360 pounds, or about half as much as was shipped in December. The January figures were: South Quincy, 2,246,890 pounds; West Quincy, 1,965,320 pounds; Quarry railroad, 1,723,150 pounds.

The Monday Night whist club met this week with Mrs. E. G. Hayden of West street. The usual six tables were filled from members of the club whose turn came last evening. There are now thirty-eight members. Mrs. George Hawes won a very handsome image of ancient character.

Again Thursday evening the St. Marys defeated the Dorchesters at basket ball by a score of 45 to 4, winning the series. The St. Marys second team also won 46 to 8.

SOUTH QUINCY.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Allman was held Sunday at St. John's church, services being conducted by Rev. John J. Casey. The burial was at St. Mary's cemetery. Mass was said for her Monday morning at St. John's church at 7.30.

Mrs. W. E. Denton of Kendrick avenue is confined to her home a sufferer with rheumatism.

John W. McAnarney has been appointed a delegate to the Grand Clan by Clan McGregor, O. S. C.

John L. Miller, president of the Granite Manufacturers' Association, has returned from a four weeks' southern trip.

Alexander Clark of South Quincy, past Chief of Clan McGregor, O. S. C., has been elected delegate from his clan to the Royal Clan which meets in Chicago next summer.

Herbert T. Whitman reports the sale of 72,000 feet of land on Brooks avenue to Mrs. Delia Sullivan of Boston, who will erect a double house on the lot in the early spring.

Lincoln Club Whist.

An enjoyable whist party was held Wednesday evening at Quincy Point by the Lincoln club at Stone's hall. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Webb Newcomb, Mr and Mrs. Luther M. Hersey, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Seller, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Adams, Miss Adams, T. W. Russell, Joseph Lapham, Miss Etta Lapham, Miss Grace Lapham, Joseph Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Newcomb, Miss Margaret Thomas, Jacob Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mead, Mr. and Mrs. George Carter, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Stone.

Prizes for the best scores were awarded to Peter Mead and Miss Lapham. The hall was very prettily decorated. Lunch was served.

Fire at West Quincy.

The alarm from Box 45 at 2.56 Sunday afternoon called the department to a lively blaze in a house on Barry's lane, West Quincy, owned by Elcock brothers, and occupied in part by John P. Reddington and an Italian family named Casiree.

The fire was in the apartment occupied by Reddington, and it had apparently been smouldering behind the walls for several hours before it broke out.

Mr. Reddington thawed out a frozen water pipe in the morning, and it is supposed that he unknowingly started the fire at that time.

The fire worked up through the walls to the roof. It had no draft, however, and simply smouldered burning the woodwork to a tinder. It finally worked through to the outside. This gave it a draft and a lively blaze ensued.

The fire was largely in the upper part of the house, although the lower floor was considerably damaged by water. It was an hour before the recall sounded.

Chief Williams estimates the loss on the building and contents at $1200.

James Connelly of the Central fire station had a narrow escape from serious injury at the fire. He was responding to the alarm in a sleigh when it was overturned and he was thrown out, narrowly escaping striking his head against a telephone pole. While at the fire he received a bad cut on the hand from an axe.

WOLLASTON.

The Ladies' Musical Club will meet at Congregational church, Wollaston, on Monday evening at 7.30.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Taylor of Wollaston, attended the reunion and dinner of the Massachusetts alumni association of the Farrington, the State Normal school, held at the Westminister in Boston, last Saturday.

A concert-lecture by Rosabelle C. Temple and the Ladies' Musical club is announced for Monday evening, February twenty-seventh, at the Wollaston Congregational church, and will be the musical event of the week.

Under the direction of Dr. William G. Curtis, the Unity club will have their second evening on recent American annexations next Friday evening in the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church. Hawaii and Porto Rico will be the subject of papers and there will be good music.

Team C defeated team D in the two men pool tournament at the Merrymount club Saturday night, by a score of 50 to 39.

Miss Alice E. Williams of Grand View avenue entertained the alumnae of the Pi Bata Phi fraternity of Boston University at lunch Saturday.

Roger O'Hara, an inmate of the National Sailors' home, fell near the residence of ex-Mayor Bryant on Saturday and sprained his ankle. He was taken to the home in the police ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kent of South Central avenue were the guests on Sunday of their son, Rev. F. H. Kent at Northampton and were present at the dedication of the new Unitarian church of that place of which their son is pastor.

Commodore Bryant of the Squantum Yacht club is thoroughly alive to anything that pertains to yachting interests. Last week he appeared at the State House in opposition to two bills of interest to owners of power boats in Quincy bay. One was the bill to provide for regulating and licensing of power boats, and the other to provide for the regulating of noise made by explosive engines used. Since the hearing the first bill has been withdrawn.

At the last vestry meeting of St. Chrysostom's church the following standing committees were appointed for 1905: On finance,—Messrs. Albee, Page, Lyman and Godfrey. On buildings and grounds,—Messrs. Page, T. W. Atkins, Hennigar and Whiteacre. Chairman of ushering committee,—Thomas C. Atkins.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Waterhouse of Lincoln avenue have gone to North Carolina for the remainder of the winter.

At the annual election of officers of the Wollaston Unitarian Sunday school, Monday evening, Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney was reelected superintendent; Mr. F. W. Rollins, Mrs. C. W. Smith and Mr. F. A. Page, assistant superintendents; Miss Clara L. Noyes, secretary and treasurer; Miss Elizabeth Hubbard, librarian, and Mr. William Weston, assistant librarian. Mrs. Gurney will take a leave of absence for a few weeks, Mr. Rollins taking her place.

Mrs. Hannah M. Cameron, widow of the late George William Cameron of Newport, Nova Scotia, died Thursday, Feb. 9th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Eben Hardy, 28 Wollaston avenue, Wollaston. Funeral occurred Sunday at three o'clock, which was attended by a large number of friends and relatives. The remains will be sent to Newport, Nova Scotia, Tuesday, where they will be laid at rest beside her husband. Two sons and six daughters survive her.

The members of the Sunday school of St. Chrysostom's church had a valentine party Tuesday afternoon. It was a merry gathering and each one was bountifully remembered. The crackers served with the chocolate were in the form of hearts and cupids.

Master William Robertson of Arlington street wishes to thank his unknown friend for returning through the mail a book that he had lost.

The alarm from Box 56 at 7.47 A. M. Thursday was for a chimney fire in the house of Dr. Thompson, corner of Brook and Safford street.

The Merrymount club have vacated their rooms over the Post Office and have moved the furniture down stairs under the Post Office and what was the bowling alley and pool room and have fitted it up in first class shape so that although more compact everything is on one floor.

The choir boys of St. Chrysostom's church went on a sleighing trip Wednesday afternoon after an oyster supper in the church vestry to insure against taking cold. The boys have looked forward to this outing for many days.

Miss Lillian B. Poor of Boston addressed the Mothers' meeting held in the chapel of the Wollaston Baptist church, last Monday afternoon. The paper on "The Child's Occupation" was valuable to all, and answered many questions in the mothers' minds. The next and last meeting in this series will be held on Feb. 28, 1905. Miss Lucy Wheelock, the head of one of Boston's Kindergarten training schools will speak on "The Child's Threefold Nature." Although this is the last meeting in this series, a committee of nine has been chosen, representing all the churches of Wollaston, for the purpose of forming a permanent organization to carry on this work.

On account of the holiday the Wollaston Ladies' Alliance will not meet next week Wednesday afternoon.

Several Wollaston gentlemen formed a theatre party and attended Lew Dockstader's big minstrel show at the Tremont theatre on Thursday evening.

Wollaston was well represented at the meeting at Bethany chapel last Tuesday afternoon; many ladies showing by their presence their interest in the starting of the woman's club.

Mrs. Smith, Mrs. York, Mrs. Merrill, Mrs. Hatch, Mrs. Howe and Mrs. Hunt, members of the Wollaston Ladies' Alliance attended the midwinter meeting of the New England Association Alliance held in the Second Unitarian Church, Copley Square, Boston, yesterday afternoon. One of the prominent speakers of the afternoon was Mrs. Julia Ward Howe.

Sleigh Party.

Quincy was visited last Saturday afternoon by the choir boys of the church of the Good Shepherd of Dedham. The sleighing was fine and they had a jolly time.

After visiting various places of interest in the City of Presidents, a dinner was served at Hotel Greenleaf at five o'clock to which the boys did full justice.

One New Director.

The Fore River Shipbuilding company has elected these officers:

President,—F. H. Bowles.
General Manager,—H. G. Smith.
Treasurer,—J. A. Sedgwick.
Clerk,—S. T. MacQuarrie.
Directors,—F. H. Bowles, Gordon Abbott, T. J. Coolidge. Jr., F. C. Dumaine, William Endicott, Jr., W. C. Fish, W. A. Gaston, Robert Winsor and Arthur Wainwright.

QUINCY POINT AND NECK.

John Johnson and Samuel A. Dougherty contributed $10 each to the district court on Monday for creating a disturbance on a street car. The disturbance occurred Jan. 27 on a car on the Quincy Point line. It is alleged that the two men jumped on the car and made an assault on one of the passengers. They then jumped off and disappeared. The young fellows were represented by counsel, and when the case was called they entered a plea of guilty and were fined $10 each.

Mrs. C. W. Nash, of New York, visited friends in this city Sunday.

M. H. Seller spent Sunday with his parents in Woburn.

A number of Quincy people visited the shipyard on Sunday.

Chester Jones, Tufts '07, visited friends in Quincy over Sunday.

Miss Grace Lapham has returned from a very pleasant visit in Naples, Maine.

May, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie of Claremont avenue, met with quite a serious accident while coasting Sunday. She was quite shaken up by the fall, and received a deep wound on her forehead. She is recovering slowly.

Friends of Rev. George B. Benedict, a former pastor at the Quincy Point church, will regret to learn of the death of his daughter, Frances, after a long and painful illness. She was born in Quincy in 1888, being seventeen years old last month.

A new store is being erected on Broadway.

The rooms formerly occupied by the Quincy Point Young Men's club are being renovated and put in order for the new club, now being formed.

Henry Irving Horton of East Howard street is ill, threatened with bronchial-pneumonia.

Peter Connor of South street has accepted a position at the shipyard.

The Merry-Go-Round club, composed of the Point girls, continues to hold its weekly meetings.

The ladies of the Point church are very busy preparing for the annual fair, which takes place next week. Rehearsals for the the entertainments are being held daily. It is said that there will be one entertainment, which will be particularly good. Programs will be circulated later.

The Semper Eaedem club formerly the M. G. R. club, met at the home of Miss Gertrude Foster, of Beacon street, Quincy Point on Tuesday evening. The election of officers for the year resulted as follows: Miss Gertrude Foster, president; Miss Elizabeth Scouler, vice president; Miss Theo Crane, secretary; and Miss Lulu Crowley, treasurer. After the meeting adjourned a dainty collation was served.

Mrs. I. P. Bent of Quincy Point is at a Boston Hospital undergoing a surgical operation.

George E. Johnson has resigned his position at the Fore River Ship-building Company.

A horse belonging to a man by the name of Ford, took it into his head to run away Wednesday afternoon. The animal dashed down Winter street onto East Howard and then down South street to Washington. He seemed to dislike the idea of turning corners, so crossed Washington street and fairly flew down Baker avenue until he reached Town River. At this point he was captured by Maurice Smith and Russell Sullivan. The young men succeeded in handing the horse safely over to his owner.

The owner of the launch Thistle is having her thoroughly overhauled. Judging from the many improvements taking place, the boat will present a fine appearance next season.

O. A. Sewall is putting in the foundation for a new house on Edison street.

The choir of the Quincy Point church will rehearse Saturday evening of this week.

John W. Chisholm is putting in the foundation for a house on Stewart street.

Camp Boyd Fair.

The four days grand fair under the auspices of John A. Boyd camp, Legion of Spanish War Veterans, for the benefit of the relief fund, opened Wednesday evening at Hancock hall with a large attendance. The members of the camp were out in large numbers and they were ably assisted by ladies of the Sons of Veterans auxiliary and members of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R.

The fair was formerly opened by Mrs. Estelle Richards of Weymouth, National Vice President of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans who spoke briefly. The only entertainment for the opening night was selections by an orchestra and vocal selections by Seward McCurdy.

Tables for the sale of useful and fancy articles were tastefully arranged about the hall. These were presided over as follows:

Fancy Table,—Miss Mildred Willett, Mrs. A. C. Merritt, Mrs. Emma Stoddard, Mrs. M. A. Holbrook.

Candy Table,—Mrs. Rose Reed.

Small Wheel,—Mrs. W. C. Hart.

Grab Bag,—Miss Ethel Merritt, Miss Bertha Reed, Miss Etta French.

Shooting Gallery,—Mrs. Emma Ela and George Ela.

Peanut Barrel,—N. Reed.

Ice Cream Table,— Miss Mary Bachoff Mrs. A. M. Smith and Viola Dexheimer.

Nigger Head,—W. C. Hart, George Dexheimer.

Pop-corn,—Miss Bessie Brown, Miss Cassie McPherson and T. E. Brown.

G. A. R. Table,—Mrs. George A. Wardwell, Miss Florence Nightingale.

Palmist,—Mrs. Brainard.

G. A. R. Wheel,—Thomas Ring, S. D. DeForest, Warren Dunbar, W. M. Bird, C. H. Stoddard.

Shooting Gallery in basement,—Michael Gunderson.

Aside from this there was a ring knife and novelty board run by out of own parties.

There was another large crowd present at the fair of Camp Boyd, L. S. W. V. at Hancock hall, Thursday evening and those in charge of the various tables report many sales. The entertainment Thursday evening consisted of selections by an orchestra and a drill by the Boys' brigade of Atlantic.

Long Service.

After nearly twenty years' service as an officer of the Wollaston Unitarian Sunday School, Mr. W. E. Simmons has withdrawn from the office of assistant superintendant. At a meeting of the teachers and other officers last Monday evening the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"The associated officers and teachers of the Wollaston Unitarian Sunday School regret that Mr. W. E. Simmons wishes to sever his direct connection with the school, but realize that after so many years of service he has a right to ask for release. They take this opportunity of placing upon the records their appreciation of his long continued interest in the welfare of the school, and of his willingness to lend a hand whenever called upon."

ATLANTIC.

Mrs. Walter Hill of Clive street gave a valentine whist Tuesday evening for the Indomitable club. The members appeared in costumes that only needed the lace paper around them to complete most desirable valentines. Mrs. William Cummings composed verses for each one—characteristic verses, both of the object and the author. The table in the dining room was heartily decorated, the red tone of the room enhancing the bright targets of cupid that hung in lines from the chandelier, with the invincible marksman in the center. Each member contributed a prize, highest score winning first selection.

Miss Gertrude Thorne of Clive street has returned from a visit to her aunt in Worcester.

The Smart Set whist club met Thursday evening with Miss Laura Hall of Newbury avenue. Each guest was presented with a hatchet of a size that would prevent them cutting down cherry trees even if they were so inclined. First prizes were taken by Miss Emma King and Miss Ruth Bassett; second prizes were won by Miss Corinna Wilde and Miss Marian Vogler. Miss Florence Gray and Miss Nancy Woy were given consolation candles to brighten their disappointment. The refreshments were no small part of the evening's enjoyment.

The second session of dancing school under the direction of Miss Lena Crane of Ashmont, opened Wednesday evening in Music hall, Atlantic. There were new dances taught and everyone seemed enthusiastic over the prospect of a continuation of the good times of the former lessons. There will be a class next Wednesday evening and one or two balls beside the dancing school to follow later. There has been more enthusiasm over dancing this winter in Atlantic than has been evinced since the days of the old Social club, years ago.

Mrs. George Hight, Jr., of Walker street returned Monday from several days' visit in Portland, Maine.

The Squantum cars are losing a great deal of patronage on account of the Hancock street bridge.

A sleigh containing a gentleman and lady, the latter an invalid and supported by pillows about her in the sleigh, was capsized on Hancock street, near Squantum street, Sunday afternoon by getting caught in the car track. Fortunately a doctor was in a nearby house and hurried to the scene and made the woman as comfortable as possible. Fortunately she was not badly injured, but received a bad shaking up. They were able to continue on their journey.

If there is any question as to the most popular place in Atlantic, let the doubting one go down Sagamore street and bend his ear close to the window of Sagamore block on Prospect street. He will hear a suspicious click coupled with a creaking of chalk no matter at what hour he listens and unless he has important business just then he will "pool in." Innocent wives should be wary of evening hair-cuts for their husbands when there is an adjoining billiard room.

A woman who gave her name as Ella Davis, of Atlantic, aged 26 years, attempted suicide at Station 4, Boston, Tuesday night, while under arrest for drunkenness. She tied a piece of ribbon about her neck and was trying to strangle herself when discovered. It is reported that the woman has been living in Boston.

Mrs. Henry Kolseth of Walker street is spending a few weeks in Manchester, N. H.

Mrs. Michael Canty of Hancock street has been quite ill with rheumatism the past fortnight.

Mr. Gustill and family, living in Barry's block, corner Hancock and Squantum streets, will move to the large double house across the street.

Ella Davis, who claims to hail from Atlantic, who attempted to strangle herself while under arrest at station 4, Boston, made two more attempts to end her life while at the house of detention.

Railroad Service.

As a result of the order passed last December by the City Council, instructing the City Solicitor, Mr. Blackmur, to confer with the officials of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. and the Railroad Commissioners, Mr. Blackmur had several conferences with the Railroad Commissioners, and afterwards with the officials of the railroad.

At a meeting held sometime in the latter part of Mr. Blackmur's term of office, at which Mr. Thomas was invited to be present, certain specific complaints and requests were presented by Mr. Blackmur and argued before the officials. As a result of that, many of the requests have already been complied with and put into force.

The railroad officials have intimated their willingness to put on additional trains and do something in the way of timetables and giving us better facilities. They have agreed to better light the cars and the Atlantic station, to open up the West Quincy station, to put on additional cars, do something about the grounds at the Quincy station, to straighten out the situation on the opposite side of the track, to remove the stone wall, to correct the whistling nuisance and also to work out something on the timetable.

The assistant to the President of the railroad has agreed to give Mr. Blackmur and Mr. Thomas a further conference at which they are to state exactly how many trains they will give Quincy. Mr. Blackmur is giving his services in this matter and has agreed to assist Mr. Thomas on this question without compensation.

Surprise Party.

Thursday evening at the home of Mr. Hugh Gillis, 178 Liberty street, was the occasion of a surprise party, tendered to the popular lady bookkeeper of V. E. Miller's grocery store at Wollaston, Miss Margaret C. Stewart. To say the young lady was surprised would be putting it lightly, as an invitation was extended her by Mrs. Gillis to be present at her home for a social chat. When she arrived what was her surprise to see a large gathering of friends and relatives, which she was at a loss to account for. After a fine graphophone concert the young lady was invited into the parlor, where Mr. Hugh Gillis, in a very neat speech, presented her with a very beautiful gold watch in behalf of those present.

For a moment Miss Stewart was speechless from emotion, but when she did recover she thanked them all for their kind feelings towards her.

Miss Stewart severs her connection with Miller's grocery store to take a vacation at her home in Bath, Maine, after which she will go to Portland to follow a chosen vocation.

The evening's fun terminated with games, social chats, songs, etc., after which a bountiful lunch was served, when with much good will the company dispersed, wishing Miss Stewart all kinds of good luck in her chosen work.

Dean's Rheumatic Pills absolutely cure Rheumatism & Neuralgia. Entirely vegetable. Safe.

DOWNS AND PARK.

The eighth grades of the Wollaston and Massachusetts Fields schools took advantage of the good sleighing last week, by taking class rides. The Wollaston class went Friday afternoon, and and the Massachusetts Field school class went Friday evening.

Charles Hayes, 29 years old, of Norfolk Downs, a freight brakeman, was struck by an overhead bridge at Campello Thursday, and found later on the top of a freight car, lying in a pool of blood. His lower jaw and collar bone were broken, and he sustained bad bruises and scalp wounds. He was taken to the relief hospital.

He is a son of Mr. Charles Hayes of Pierce street, Norfolk Downs, who for many years has been employed by the railroad as tower man at the Atlantic station.

MILTON.

A call has been issued for a citizens' caucus to be held Friday evening, Feb. 24.

Mrs. Josiah Babcock and daughter, Miss Rachel Babcock, have gone on a month's visit to New Orleans where they will be the guests of Paul Babcock.

Although the annual March meeting is near at hand but little talk of town officers is heard. It is thought that the most of the present officials will succeed themselves.

Prof. Barrows of Harvard gave a talk on City Missions before the Thursday evening club last week.

The selectman are busy preparing the warrant for the March meeting which will be issued next week.

Rev. W. H. Allen of Boston gave a talk to the children of the public schools at the library Wednesday afternoon.

Edward F. Goodwin, a brother of Nat Goodwin, the well known actor, died this morning at the residence of Nathaniel C. Goodwin at East Milton, aged 41 years. The deceased was born in Boston and was also an actor.

One Hundredth Number.

Last evening at 8 o'clock the Shipbuilders' club celebrated the attainment of one hundred members. A smoking concert was arranged, for which a strong array of local talent was secured. Rag-time and coon songs predominated as being meet for the occasion, and a lively evening concluded with a steaming clam chowder and other accessories.

Although but one month old, the Shipbuilders' club shows signs of becoming a vigorous institution and ere long extensive alterations in present premises will have to be made or a larger building secured for the members. Billiard, whist and checker tourneys are projected if another billiard table can be secured. Some interesting matches are likely to ensue between the various branches in the works.

A trophy is suggested for inter-competition, but the treasurer of the club has not yet made up his mind whether the material for such should be of "Spun-Yarn" or "Krupp-Harvey-Steal."

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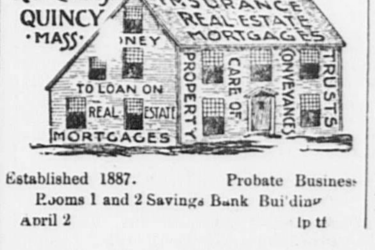

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BANKRUPTCY NOTICES

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9547.

TO the creditors of EDWARD L. BROWN of Brookline, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of November, A. D., 1904, the said Edward L. Brown was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 25th day of February, A. D., 1905 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Feb. 15, 1905. 18-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9854.

TO the creditors of FRANK J. HAMILTON of Canton, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of January, A. D., 1905, the said Frank J. Hamilton was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 25th day of February, A. D., 1905, at 10 o clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Feb. 15, 1905. 18-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9658.

TO the creditors of GEORGE E. WYMAN of Brookline, in the County of Norfolk and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of December, A. D., 1904, the said George E. Wyman was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 25th day of February, A D. 1905 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Feb. 15, 1905. 18-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9859.

TO the creditors of ELMER E. HUBBARD of Milton, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 31st day of January, A. D., 1905, the said Elmer E. Hubbard was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Feb. 15, 1905. 18-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9387.

TO the creditors of the CAMBRIDGE KNITTING MILLS, a corporation established under the laws of the State of Maine, having its principal place of business at Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of October, A. D., 1904, the said Cambridge Knitting Mills was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of its creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 25th day of February, A. D., 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Feb. 15, 1905. 18-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9885.

TO the creditors of FRANK H FARNSWORTH of Norwood, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of February, A. D., 1905, the said Frank H. Farnsworth, was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 25th day of February, A. D., 1905 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Feb. 15, 1905. 18-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9866.

TO the creditors of CHARLES E. BRIGGS of Braintree, in the County of Norfolk and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 2d day of February, A. D., 1905, the said Charles E. Briggs was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 25th day of February A. D., 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Feb. 15, 1905. 18-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9899.

TO the creditors of ERASTUS E PIPER of Sharon in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of February, A. D., 1905, the said Erastus E. Piper was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 25th day of February, A D. 1905 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, and appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Feb. 15, 1905. 18-1w

Certificate Re-extending Charter.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF
COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4, 1905.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The National Granite Bank of Quincy," located in the City of Quincy in the County of Norfolk and State of Massachusetts, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882, as amended by the Act, approved April 12, 1902:

Now, therefore, I THOMAS P. KANE, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The National Granite Bank of Quincy," located in the City of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and State of Massachusetts, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association: namely, until close of business on Feb. 4, 1925.

Currency Bureau Seal of the Comptroller of the Currency, Treasury Department.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and Seal of office this fourth day of February, 1905.

T. P. KANE,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

Charter No. 832.

Extension No. 501.

Quincy, Feb. 11, 1905. 5w

Quincy Savings Bank,

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President, EDWIN W. MARSH
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Quincy, April 30, 1904 tf

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1905.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn	Full Sea. Eve	Moon Sets
Saturday, Feb. 18,	6 37	5.20	10 00	10 30	5 39 A.M.
Sunday, " 19	6 35	5 21	10 45	11 15	rises
Monday, " 20,	6.34	5.23	11.45	12.00	6.44 P.M.
Tuesday, " 21,	6.32	5.24	12 00	12 30	7.58 "
Wednesday, " 22,	6 31	5 25	1.00	1.15	9.11 "
Thursday. " 23,	6.30	5.26	1.45	2 15	10.23 "
Friday, " 24,	6.28	5.27	2.30	3.00	11.32 "

Full Moon, Feb. 19, 1.52 P. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of month for three years:

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1904.	In 1903.	In 1902.
Sunday,	30	19	28	48	48
Monday,	43	35	32	52	60
Tuesday,	20	30	24	35	38
Wednesday,	29	30	31	34	45
Thursday,	20	32	21	38	36
Friday,	37	44	25	30	35
Saturday,	—	33	30	26	20

Notes and Comments.

In the Gloucester Times of Saturday proposals were asked for furnishing the almshouse with meat, also proposals for shaving and hair cutting of inmates of the almshouse. Gloucester does business differently from other cities.

One of the most prominent features of the proposed Woman's Club is the idea that it will do much to unite all wards of the city. This is something devoutly to be desired, and its success will mean much for Quincy. The ladies seem to be very enthusiastic over the organization of such a club.

Quincy has two of the prominent officers of the Mayors' club of Massachusetts. Hon. John O. Hall was elected president and Hon. Charles H. Porter secretary, at the annual meeting at Young's hotel, Boston, on Saturday. Fifty members were present. The guest was Gov. Douglas, who is also a member of the club.

Unity circle of King's Daughters is another organization of which Quincy should be proud. As the pastor of Bethany church remarked at the annual meeting, it is the best distributor of charity in the city. Unity circle has the distinction of being the largest circle of King's Daughters in Massachusetts, and the largest but one in the country. From the report today a little idea of some of the work being done may be obtained.

The Assessors' ward valuations published on the fourth page make an interesting study for the taxpayers. One other summary will show at a glance where the increase came. The increase in valuation of the city 1904 over 1903, was $853,565. While all the wards report an increase in the valuation of real estate it will be seen that practically all the increase was in Ward Two, $232,350 on real estate, and $587-975 on personal estate, a total of $850,-323. Three of the wards report a loss on personal estate and in the other two the gain was small. The summary which follows tells at a glance the whole story:

Ward.	Real Estate.	Personal Property.	Total Valuation
One,	$55,300	*	*
Two,	232,350	$587,975	$850.325
Three,	47,425	*	16,325
Four,	30,750	*	3,575
Five,	46,450	4,700	51,150
Six,	9,525	9,525	32,775

* Loss in valuation.

Pantomime Entertainment.

The I's of Bethany church gave an entertainment Wednesday evening in the chapel which greatly pleased an audience of nearly 200, made up largely of children. There were piano duets by Misses Minnie Packard and Mila Bates, and Misses Hazel Mowry and Ethel Humphrey, but the great attractions were the shadow pictures and pantomime.

Mother Goose rhymes were the themes of most of the shadow pictures. The scene at the dentists was the most elaborate and amusing.

Several scenes from "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" and "Lovey Mary" were illustrated in pantomime, while Miss Mary Atkins read from the book. The horse which was introduced in different scenes was a very clever get up, and pleased the children.

The society is much pleased at the financial success of their efforts, about $15 being realized.

Caught in Shaft.

Robert McLean had a narrow escape from a horrible death at the Eagle polishing mill at South Quincy on Wednesday. He was at work about a rapidly revolving shaft when his clothing caught in the machinery.

The shaft was so near the wall that he was not carried around the shaft. He was however pinned in the corner with his arms behind his back in such a manner as to be helpless. Both arms were broken and every particle of clothing except his stockings was torn from his body. This probably saved his life. The police ambulance was called and he was removed to the City Hospital.

He was attended at the hospital by Dr. McLellan who does not think that McLean was injured internally as at first reported.

McLean is 23 years of age, unmarried, and boarded at 128 Granite street.

Police Statistics.

Chief of Police Hayden in his annual report, says the total number of arrests during the year 1904 were 811, of which 773 were males and 38 females. Of this number, 678 were residents and 113 non residents.

The amount of fines imposed by the courts was $3,079.39, of which $2,492.32 was paid to the court. The amount of fines received from the sheriff was $120, and the amount paid the City Treasurer was $1,872.39.

The number of cases pending at the close of the year was 25. The value of property stolen was $8,875, and stolen money recovered amounted to $155.50.

During the year the department reported 15,174 lights out. Of this number 4,086 were arc lights, 7,468 series, and 3,620 gas.

The number of duty calls by officers were 48,852. Telephone calls, 1,376 Ambulance calls, 22. Miles run by the wagon, 776.

Inspector McKay, the liquor officer, reports having served 28 search warrants. Liquor was found in 26 places. This number of cases were brought into court, and 20 were found guilty in the district court, 3 not guilty and 3 dismissed.

The fines imposed amounted to $850. Of this amount $725 was paid in the lower court. Fines amounting to $125 were paid in the Superior court.

The number of gallons of liquor seized during the year was as follows: Rum, 7; whiskey, 18; ale, 140; beer, 34; cider, 31; wine, 10; gin, 3.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, Feb. 15, 1905.

One of the infelicities which Gov. Douglas has had to encounter has been the opposition of the labor men to his recommendation that industrial schools be established for the benefit of young persons who want to become skilled in their employment. But he is getting support on his side. Monday evening the Brockton board of trade adopted resolutions in support of his plan, and tonight a conference is scheduled to occur at the Exchange club on Batterymarch street at which such capitalists as William B. Rice of Quincy, the head of the leather business, will talk over the matter with representatives of the labor interest. Evidently there must be some sense in the governor's proposition, or the labor men have changed their ground unaccountably since they supported so cordially the propositions for textile schools in Lowell and New Bedford. Yet the latter were for the precise purpose of developing the labor side of our textile industry and making it as skilled as possible at the expense of the entire state.

Aside from this, the governor continues the even tenor of his way. He has adopted the practice of some of his republican predecessors of visiting state institutions without sending word that he is coming. By this means he prevents the management from making special preparation for him and putting on a better front than usual. He takes them just as they are and so they must always be ready or run the risk of being caught when everything is not in apple-pie order. His first visit was with Private Secretary Buchanan to the Sherburne prison for women. Mr. Buchanan is very careful not to drop any hint of where they will light at the end of their next flight from the city. The governor's policy is to make his a distinctly business administration.

People seem to like the state policy of setting aside as state reservations the peculiar tracts which become popular resorts, whether they are mountain or seashore. This year a new project has appeared, that of taking Mount Sugar Loaf in Deerfield. People in Franklin county are pretty strong for it. Senator Skerrett has appeared for it before the committee on harbors and public lands and George Sheldon, the antiquarian of the region, brought his venerable presence to the hearing to approve the movement. The plan is not nearly as large as either Mount Greylock, Mount Tom, Blue Hills, Wachusett, Nantasket Beach or Revere Beach, in each of which cases the state has established a precedent, for the mountain is only 600 feet above sea level and it is proposed to take only 100 acres of land, and to appropriate not more than $10,000. But the mountain is so picturesque and so much visited that all who are familiar with the place will see the fairness of doing here what has been done in other places. But it remains to be seen whether a plan which can wait, involving $10,000, will not be put off for a more favorable time, or, at least, until the people have become more accustomed to paying higher state taxes.

Lieut. Gov. Guild's declaration at the Middlesex club's Lincoln dinner Monday night that his ambition will be subject to the good of the party, that he will not push his claims for the nomination for governor, nor will he run away from the nomination, means that he will not work as he worked for the second place against Bates. But, as far as the party goes, it makes little difference, for, of course, the managers would not recognize the claims of any man to the nomination or to make his personality count against the welfare of the party. Guild is, by public statement, a candidate for the nomination and only asks that a better runner than he be found.

Quite a demonstration was made by representatives from the western counties against the petitions that the civil service law be extended to county employees. Representatives of the Massachusetts civil service commission came before the committee and made out a strong case why the extension should be tried, and they had the support of the civil service commission. But the western people had no difficulty in proving that their local administrations were honest and efficient and that there was no ground for a change. This led the committee on public service to report unanimously against the petitions and the adverse report has been accepted. Yet there was reason for the petitions and if conditions were in the west what they have become in Boston, the change would be demanded. When women clerks are employed for other reason than their ability in the service, then it is time that the merit system should be established. It was satisfactory proof of such a situation which led to the movement for a change. If the proposed constitutional amendment to have registers of the deeds and probate and some other elective officials made appointive is adopted, then this evil can be reached, for an official who could get the indorsement of the governor and council might be relied upon to be decent in office.

The committee on agriculture finished its hearing on the gypsy moth today. There was plenty of material for prolonging the hearings, but the committee felt that they had covered sufficient ground to make out a case for action and that all the necessary advice had been received. There have propositions submitted to have all of the expense put upon the cities and towns in the infested district, but practical men, who know something of the enormous cost involved and the necessity of thorough work, say that such a proposition will not be considered for a minute. There is, too, the idea that parasites can be made to do the work, but the objection to them is that they need several years before they can do anything, even if they could do it finally, whereas much must be done this year to hold the scourge in check. There seems to be no doubt that some sort of bill for the suppression of the moths will be reported and will be passed in some form.

Yesterday and today the house has been engaged in the task of defeating a bill to have local authorities, instead of the state board of pharmacy, issue druggist's liquor licenses. Yesterday, after a hot debate, the bill was carried by 91 to 93. Today, after further argument of a strenuous sort, the house voted not to pass the bill to be engrossed by 81 to 97 and 12 pairs. One of the queer facts brought out was that the chairman of the board, who lives in Weymouth, Mr. Hoyt, sells liquor under such a license, though he has no license to do so, but does it by an arrangement with the selectmen. The board was wrapped pretty severely. Mr. Barnes of Weymouth defended his constituent as a man of good character and did all he could to defeat the bill. Mr. Schofield of Ipswich was one of the strongest supporters of the bill, and Mr. Birch of Milford, in charge of it, did finely for a new member.

The house, this afternoon, adopted a rule which it has had for the last three or four years, to limit speeches to ten minutes each after allowing the opening speaker on each side 20 minutes. This is one of the rules which do nothing to promote the dispatch of business and tend to injure the business of the house. In the first place, no member will prepare himself as carefully for a speech of ten minutes as he would if he knew that he would not be shut off at that limit. The tendency of the rule is to make the debates more fragmentary and desultory and unsatisfactory. Argument is not as well presented, nor is the end of debate any sooner reached. A few years ago the proposition to put on such a rule was defeated by an overwhelming majority, largely under the lead of the late Edward D. Pierce of Milton, father of Representative Pierce of this year.

The picketing bill has called out strong opposition from the business men and equally strong support from the working men. The latter demand the right to talk with substitutes for strikers who have been put at work, while the employers argue that to give such liberty results in assaults and perhaps death to the working substitutes. The labor side has been defeated several years in succession and there is no sign that they will be any more successful this year.

The automobilists want very much that there be a system of licenses which will permit them to run at high speed on some roads while the speed on other roads be reduced. But the local authorities do not approve this proposition and thus far the high speed men have not been able to own the legislature. There is evidently a contest ahead over the measure. Rule.

Reception to Chief Engineer.

That Chief Engineer Peter J. Williams is held in high esteem by his neighbors and that he is one of the most popular officials in the city was evident by the large number present Wednesday evening at a reception tendered him at Malnati hall.

The gathering was not confined to Chief Williams own ward, however, for there were ladies and gentlemen present from all parts of the city.

It was a little after 8 o'clock when Chief Williams arrived and as he entered the hall and was escorted to a seat in front of the platform three blows, "the chief's call," was sounded on a large fire alarm gong and Wilson's orchestra played to "Hail to the Chief."

The chairman of the evening was George Ruxton, who introduced Edward J. Sandberg as toastmaster of the evening. Mr. Sandberg welcomed those present and said that the gathering was to testify to their appreciation of Chief Williams, the best fire fighter in the country. Mr. Sandberg's remarks were received with a round of applause. After the applause had subsided the chief was presented with a handsome clock.

In presenting the clock Mr. Sandberg said it would tell him what time to go to bed, what time to get up, and to keep him on time at fires as he always had been in the past and no doubt would be in the future.

Chief Williams was surprised at the gift and was at loss for words to express his appreciation of the gift. He however thanked one and all and assured them that he should continue to perform his duty faithfully in the future as in the past.

Three cheers long and loud were then given for the chief.

Mayor Thompson was then introduced and spoke briefly. He referred to the high opinion in which the chief was held by the citizens of Quincy. No higher honor could be accorded him than that of his neighbors who know him, and that there was no question but what he would stand as high in the future as in the past. Personally he was most happy to be present in honor of one so long a faithful servant of the city. We all know that he asks no man to go where he is afraid to lead. His record shows him to be one who understands his business and one who is a credit to the city, state and United States.

Other brief remarks were made by Representative Harry S. Nicol, ex-Mayor John O. Hall and Councilman William T. Spargo.

Aside from the speaking there was vocal solos by Mrs. Clara Swanson of Somerville.

Dancing was then in order and was continued until 2 o'clock in the morning.

The committee, to whose untiring efforts the success of the affair was due were Edward J. Sandberg, A. J. Sandberg, Frank N. Benson, George Ruxton, James Allen, Andrew Anderson, Richard Prout, James McDonald and Patrick Bradley.

Celtic Festival.

What promises to be one of the most original affairs given in Boston in many years is the forthcoming Celtic festival in Copley hall March 4. Mrs. Sutherland, wife of Dean Sutherland of Commonwealth avenue, is the originator of the idea and she has the co-operation of the New England Woman's Press association, under whose auspices it will be given.

During the day some very ancient Celtic melodies, as "Bride of a Fay," and "The Arbutus Tree," will be sung to harp accompaniment. In the Dublin drawing room a group of the Moore melodies will be sung to appropriate accompaniment.

In the sports on the "village green" which will take place at about half past five, there will be spirited part songs by trained voices, of quaint, familiar Celtic melodies, "Over There," "Cathleen Mavourneen," "Cruilkskeen Lawn." The singing on the "green" will be under the direction of Miss Anna Holmes Ruggles, the well known contralto singer. There are also to be sports on the green to include potato races, sack races, etc.

In the evening a charming entertainment is being arranged for Copley hall, consisting of two Irish plays, "The Saxon Shilling," and "The Poorhouse." Between the plays, the Galway Fair may be visited and Irish sports witnessed. A "Banshee dance" and some very old reels are to be given in Copley hall, during the waits between the plays.

Special music, costumes rich and rare, varied articles, unique curios and a tap room, presided over by Mrs. Marion A. MacBride, is sure to attract large numbers.

Vesper Services.

Every seat in the auditorium of the Quincy Point chuch was filled Sunday afternoon at the vesper service. People from all parts of Quincy, Braintree, Wollaston and Atlantic were present.

The regular choir was assisted by Mrs. Page, Mrs. R. H. Newcomb, Miss Gage, Mrs. Crocker, Miss Mabel W. Drew, Messrs. Albert Hayden, Andrew Hersey and Mr. Cummings, and the musical program received many words of praise.

—The Globe says: "The man who doesn't sand his slippery sidewalks in this world will never have an opportunity to do it in the next."

Low Death Rate.

The returns of death made to the City Clerk during the year 1904 show quite a decrease from previous years. In 1904 the number recorded was 393, while in 1903, the number was 406, and in 1902, 455.

Estimating the population at 30,000 the death rate would be a little over 13 per 1000, that of Boston being over 17 last year.

Should the number who died out of town, but were brought here for burial, be deducted the death rate would be even lower than 13.

Of the number who died in Quincy 97 were taken to other places for burial, while of the deaths recorded Quincy was claimed as the birthplace of 170. The percentage of deaths among foreign born population was very large. The number of deaths from violent causes was 16.

The following table shows the number of deaths by months for the past three years and the sex of those who died last year.

	1902	1903	1904	M	F
January,	45	35	39	18	21
February,	37	35	25	14	11
March,	40	29	42	19	23
April,	33	50	40	20	20
May,	31	32	25	8	17
June,	35	18	30	16	14
July,	34	34	35	20	15
August,	40	42	23	6	17
September,	41	35	41	24	17
October,	38	33	34	20	14
November,	39	27	34	14	20
December,	44	36	25	14	11
	455	406	393	193	200

This table also shows that the deaths were nearly equally divided between the two sexes. March had the greatest number of deaths, the number that month being 42, while September had 41 and April 40. August, which years ago was fatal to infants, appears to be the healthiest month as but 23 deaths were then recorded. February, May and December were close seconds with only 25 each, less than one per day.

The percentage of deaths among children under five years of age was larger than in the previous year. More than a third of the number were under that age. There were also quite a number of deaths among old people, three being over 90 years, twenty others over 80 years, and 41 others over 70 years, or 64 in all over 70.

The following table gives the ages of the deaths recorded:

	Male	Female	Total.
Under 5 years,	70	71	141
5 to 10 years,	5	5	10
10 to 15 years.	1	2	3
15 to 21 years,	10	10	20
21 to 30 years,	10	18	28
In the thirties,	18	8	26
In the forties,	19	13	32
In the fifties,	15	15	30
In the sixties.	23	16	39
In the seventies,	15	26	41
In the eighties,	6	14	20
In the nineties.	1	2	3
	193	200	393

Those who were 80 years and over when they passed away were:

Mary A. Baxter, 92 years, 7 months and 12 days.

Sarah Cook, 86 years.

Rhoda A. Cummings, 83 years, 5 months and 28 days.

Elizabeth Barker, 92 years, 3 months and 21 days.

Wendell W. Williams, 90 years, 2 months and 24 days.

John Cahill, 85 years.

Betsey Flint, 83 years, 3 months and 3 days.

Ephraim Osborn, 83 years.

Mercy Pratt, 83 years, 7 months and 22 days.

Nancy L. Williams, 82 years.

Elbridge Clapp, 83 years, 8 months and 8 days.

Bridget Jordan, 83 years.

Elizabeth Williams, 80 years, 7 months and 25 days.

Patrick O'Connor, 84 years.

Abby B. Taylor, 84 years, 1 month and 10 days.

Ellen Gleason, 83 years, 5 months and 27 days.

Lemuel M. Packard, 80 years, 7 months and 19 days.

Martha E. Reed, 83 years, 5 months and 7 days.

Catherine Drummey, 84 years.

Julia A. Gray, 80 years, 9 months and 14 days.

Anna S. Svanson, 80 years and 22 days.

Eliza Fegan, 82 years.

Hiram K. Stevens, 80 years, 4 months and 29 days.

Former Resident Dead.

Mrs. Harriet A. Locke, widow of Capt. Francis Locke, who died at Gloucester, was born in Quincy, Nov. 16, 1820, her maiden name being Damon. Her husband, who died in 1895, was also a native of Quincy. Their early married life was passed in this city. From here they went to Annisquam and thence to Gloucester.

A Gloucester paper says of her:

"Mrs. Locke was one of the old time housekeepers and home-makers, faithful, industrious, capable, one who obeyed to the letter the scripture injunction, "Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might." She was a devoted member of the independent Christian Society, and a constant attendant at its services so long as her health permitted.

Four of her five children survive her, one daughter, Sophia, having preceded her parents to the spirit land many years ago. The surviving children are Capt. Francis Locke and Mrs. Harriet A. Duley of this city, Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of George D. Sargent of Charlestown and Mrs. Emily J. Roberts of Westfield. There are also several grand-children and great grand-children, as well as a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn her departure."

Bowling League.

The championship of the Old Colony bowling league promises to go to either to the South Braintrees or the Holbrooks, as both won three straight Thursday night, and put the Quincys and East Weymouths into fourth place. The Weymouths won two out of three from the Quincy Point team and are now in third place. The standing is:

	Won	Lost	Per cent.
South Braintrees	29	22	.57
Holbrooks	29	22	.57
Weymouths	27	24	.53
Quincys	25	26	.49
East Weymouths	25	26	.49
Quincy Points	18	33	.35

Boys' Conference.

The fifteenth annual conference of the Boys' Department of the Young Men's Christian Association of Massachusetts and Rhode Island will be held in Brockton beginning today and continuing to Monday.

Six boys from the local Association will go today to remain throughout the conference. The boys chosen to go are: Alden Blanchard, Albion Bonney, Carl Cranshaw, Foster Hitchcock, Everett Rhodes and Harold Thomas.

Mrs. Eben Sheppard, Mrs. W. E. Blanchard, Mr. D. King and Mr. E. G. Gay will attend part of the sessions.

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King's Daughters.

The annual meeting of Unity circle of King's Daughters was held Tuesday afternoon and evening in the chapel of Bethany Congregational church. There was a business meeting at 5 o'clock at which routine business was transacted.

A double list of nominations was made, and the Australian ballot resulted in the election of the following officers for 1905:

Leader,—Miss Grace M. Isaac.

Vice Leader,—Mrs. Charlotte S. Crane.

Secretary,—Miss Alice S. Hatch.

Assistant Secretary,—Mrs. Jennie H. Hunt.

Treasurer,—Mrs. Edith C. Fitts.

Chairmen of Tens:

Bethany Ten,—Mrs. Jennie M. Crane.

Devotional Ten,—Miss Breta Mitchell.

Distributing Ten,—Mrs. Fannie F. Sears.

Entertainment Ten,—Mrs. S. I. Wood.

Flower Ten,—Mrs. John McKnight.

Membership Ten,—Mrs. George E. Hatch.

Music Ten,—Mrs. E. C. Page.

Opportunity Ten,—Miss Carrie F. Parker.

Sewing Ten,—Mrs. Herbert Pratt.

Visiting Ten,—Mrs. Frank Prescott.

Welcoming Ten,—Mrs. A. L. Melcher.

All the above constitute the executive committee.

About 150 ladies and gentlemen were at the tables spread in the basement for the annual banquet. Blessing was asked by Rev. E. N. Hardy. At the head table, on a raised platform, were: Mrs. Frank Moore, the leader, Mrs. E. Trask Hill of the State organization, Rev. and Mrs. E. N. Hardy, Mrs. Caroline Adams Spear, Mrs. Lois K. Wales, Miss Emma Savil, Mr. and Mrs. Theophilus King, Mrs. F. E. Drake, Miss Alice Hatch, Mrs. Ernest Fitts, Miss Grace Isaac and Mrs. L. H. H. Johnson.

The dining room was prettily decorated and the cross of the King's Daughters was conspicuous.

Before adjournment to the chapel Mrs. Moore called upon the guests for brief remarks, and Mr. King, Mrs. Hill and Rev. Mr. Hardy responded happily, and a letter of regret was read from Rev. Edward Norton.

Mrs. Hill reported five circles organized in the state since the annual meeting, and probably a sixth, as Mrs. John O. Hall, Jr., recently of Unity circle, was organizing one tonight at her new home in Millbury. Mrs. Hill expected to announce at the June meeting that "Gordon Rest" was free from debt. A very generous benefactor, who had given $1,000 for six years, had announced his intention to add another $1,000, and the balance was being raised.

The evening service was public and was held in the chapel at 8 o'clock. It was opened with a hymn. Rev. E. N. Hardy read the scriptures and offered prayer. During the evening Mrs. E. C. Page contributed two beautiful solos, being accompanied by Mrs. Hunt.

The annual reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and accepted.

The treasurer reported receipts of $593.73 during the year, and expenditures of $456.93, leaving a balance of $136.80.

The speaker of the evening was John R. Anderson of Wollaston, upon whom the work of the Boston Floating Hospital devolves.

Mrs. Edward H. Austin.

Edward H. Austin, one of the compositors at the Patriot office, has the sympathy of his fellow employes and a large circle of friends in the loss of his wife, Harriet E. Austin, who passed away Thursday morning at his home, 25 Spear street, in her 37th year. Mrs. Austin has been in poor health for some time and her life has been slowly ebbing away for some months.

Mrs. Austin was a sufferer from that disease for which there is no help, and while realizing that the end was not far distant, everything possible was done to make her burden less hard to bear.

Mrs. Austin leaves a husband and one son.

Funeral services were held on Friday at 2.30 o'clock.

James A. Knowlton.

Word has been received of the death Tuesday at Ormond, Florida of James A. Knowlton of Swampscott, father of Charles F. Knowlton, recently Commissioner of Public Works of this city. Mr. Knowlton was a prominent citizen of Swampscott and for many years one of its board of selectmen.

He went to Florida sometime ago for his health. While in Florida he was taken ill with pneumonia, which was the cause of his death. As soon as word was received of his illness his son left for Florida and was with his father when he passed away.

Funeral of Dr. Padula.

The funeral of Dr. Thomas F. Padula was held on Saturday from St. John's church. The services were largely attended, and there was a profusion of beautiful flowers. Solemn high mass was celebrated by Rev. Daniel C. Reardon of Middleboro, assisted by Rev. A. F. Roche as deacon, Rev. J. P. Cuffe as sub-deacon and Rev. Edward J. Fegan of Natick as master of ceremonies.

Inside the sanctuary were Rev. P. A. Hayes of Ellsworth, Me., Rev. Matthew McDonnell of Braintree and Rev. Frank W. Walsh of Charlestown, Rev. J. J. Coan, Rev. J. J. Casey and Rev. J. E. Johnstone.

The Gregorian mass was sung by the choir. At the offertory J. A. Carey sang "De Profundis" and after the mass Miss Julia Restelli sang "O, Paradise."

The bearers were John W. McAnarney, J. J. McAnarney, Edward J. Murphy and Thomas R. Donovan. The burial was at St. Mary's cemetery.

Found Dead in His Office.

John Johnson, aged about 45 years, who carried on the granite business at Wollaston, was found dead on Feb. 10 at his office. Mr. Johnson, who lived in his office, had been in ill health and had been undergoing treatment for the heart for some time.

He was about the works on Thursday. It is supposed that he a bad attack sometime during the night and died.

But little is known of Mr. Johnson or his family connections.

Medical Examiner Jones was notified and viewed the body.

City Hospital Meeting.

The annual meeting of the trustees of the City Hospital was held on Monday and these officers elected:

President,—William B. Rice.

Vice President,—Henry McGrath.

Secretary,—Timothy Reed.

Treasurer,—Richard D. Chase.

Executive Committee,—Dr. John A. Gordon, Dr. John F. Welch and James F. Burke.

Finance Committe,—Fred B. Rice, Henry M. Faxon and Delcevare King.

Auditing Committee,—Arthur W. Newcomb and Henry McGrath.

Wollaston Unitarian Club.

There was an unusually large number present Tuesday evening at the monthly meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club. President Sprague presided and the meeting opened with an appetizing roast beef dinner. The speakers of the evening were Assistant U. S. District Attorney Lewis and Mayor Newton of Everett.

Mr. Lewis was down to speak on "Citizenship." He was introduced with a few preliminary remarks of a joking nature. In replying Mr. Lewis occupied the first few minutes of his time by speaking in a humorous vein, in which he good naturedly rubbed it into the presiding officer.

Mr. Lewis' theme or lesson was drawn from the recent Tucker trial. He spoke of how the verdict had been characterized by different persons in the press. It seemed to him that criticisms of this kind represented a dangerous tendency among the people. A tendency, if not checked, which may lead to serious if not direful consequences, not different from another part of our country that takes men and lynches them without a trial.

We have, however, settled down to a calmer attitude. The foundation of every government should be a spirit of obedience to the laws of the land. The supreme object of the government is the administration of justice; to settle disputes among men by arbitration of the courts; to make them earn their living by honest labor. When we thoughtlessly attack sworn officers of the commonwealth we are striking at the very citadel of our own liberty.

We think the law a harsh system, but if we look at it we realize ours is a universe of law. Only as man puts himself in harmony with the physical, spiritual and social law does he reach his highest development. The law protects us when we sleep, and when we are awake. It is not the enemy of citizens. It is the only thing that makes your lives worth living. Without it, it would be a war of all against all.

Mayor Newton's subject was "municipal government" and the manner in which he handled his subject showed him a man of much experience, and one who had given the subject much thought and study. He said municipal government is a problem far from its reasonable solution. It needs the consideration of men of thought. He could not suggest how to reach its solution, but one solution depends upon the active participation of citizens in municipal affairs.

We are too willing to leave it to those seeking office rather than those the office seeks. We are too willing to sit by the fireside than to attend the primaries and nominate men to conduct the affairs, and then to criticise. The grave problems that confront us can not be met except by men capable to handle affairs.

In some municipalities almost two-thirds of the tax is for municipal indebtedness and support of schools. This shows that you are borrowing of the future to meet the demands of the present. We are piling up a tremendous problem for the future. It is a question if we can meet it. If we demand these improvements we must pay for them. It is not the fault of any one administration that your tax rate is high. Yet you judge an administration by its tax rate rather than by their acts.

We all should bear equally the burdens. These problems have got to be met in a different spirit than we have met them in recent years. They must be met by men who are willing to spend a part of their time in looking for the wellfare of the government.

He spoke of the efforts that had been made by the Legislature for an equalizing of the tax, which makes it easy for Brookline to pay over $50 per pupil for education where other communities find it very difficult to pay $25 to $30.

We have got to meet that problem some day by a better and fairer system of taxation than today. They are to be met in a spirit to get at a just equalization rather than to avoid our personal obligation. The people will meet these problems and steer them to success, not by ledgerdemain, but by going straight at the question. By arousing public interest so that the individual will assume the duties the government intended and prescribed by the constitution.

Henry H. Faxon was called upon and spoke briefly, telling how he "got rich" by taxation.

A vote of thanks was extended to the speakers.

Sacred Heart Coffee Party.

The second annual coffee party of the Sacred Heart church was held at Music Hall, Atlantic, Tuesday evening, and was very largely attended proving a very enjoyable affair.

An appetizing supper, furnished by the women of parish was served in the lower hall by the following ladies. Mrs. Martin Burns, Mrs. Peter Boisclaire, Mrs. William Coughlin, Mrs. James Canty, Mrs. Mathew Creamer, Mrs. J. H. Cunningham, Mrs. D. J. Chisholm, Mrs. Timothy Callahan, Mrs. Charles Duggan, Mrs. William Delorey, Mrs. Jeremiah Donovan, Mrs. Jeremiah Dineen, Mrs. James Duggan, Mrs. John P. Granahan, Mrs. Michael Gerry, Mrs. John W. Derringer, Mrs. Patrick Golden, Mrs. John Hayes, Mrs. John E. Poland and Mrs. J. H. Lavelle.

The floor was in charge of Daniel J. Nyhan, who with Mrs. Nyhan led the grand march. The assistant directors were: B. A. McLane and Gerald A. Sullivan. The aids were: Cornelius Duggan, J. H. Cunningham, Arthur Murphy, James Duggan, James Costello, Henry Lavelle, Martin Burns, Patrick Desmond, Richard Cole, Timothy Driscoll, Patrick McNally, Charles Duggan, William Baldwin, Stephen Edwards, Richard J. Barry, John Hayes, John Sullivan, John Cain, Timothy Callahan, Michael Gerry, John Granahan, John Golden, Patrick Golden, Edward A. Shea, Patrick Downing, Francis Lavery, William Murphy and William Coughlin.

Among the clergymen present were Rev. Fr. McClone, Rev. J. H. Flannery of Neponset, Rev. J. J. Coan of Quincy, Rev. M. McDonnell of Braintree and Rev. J. L. Callahan of West Quincy.

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The number of books purchased was 547; number replaced, 216; rebound, 949; gifts, 121; pamphlets, 196.

The total number of books loaned during the year was 82,862, and by the Bodley club, 328.

The largest number issued in any one day was 609 on March 19, and the smallest number 83 on August 19.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

SEPTUAGESIMA.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the Rev. George E. Whitehouse of East Milton Baptist church. Sunday School at 12.10. Girls' meeting at 3 P. M. Vesper service and baptism at 4 P. M. Young People's service at 6.30. All not worshipping elsewhere are invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Charles H. Emmons, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "United in Service." Sunday School at 11.45. International lessons. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Preaching by the Rev. W. H. Morrison of Brockton. Subject: "The good examples of bad men, and the bad examples of good men." The public is cordially invited to attend services.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "An easier lot or a better heart—which?" Sunday School at 12 M. The Y. P. S. C. E. and evening service will be omitted to allow delegates to attend the Second Church, Dorchester.

METHODIST CHURCH ATLANTIC, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor assisted by Rev. E. S. Best of Malden. The communion service will be administered. Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30 P. M. The pastor will preach to the children. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue.—Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Christ Jesus." Golden Text: "But now in Christ Jesus ye who sometimes were far off are made nigh by the blood of Christ." Ephesians 2:13. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings with gentlemen in attendance. All are welcome.

The District Court.

James Gill was sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Randolph.

John Johnson and Samuel A. Dougherty were fined $10 each for disturbance on a street car at Quincy.

Michael Ahearn, Michael Johnson, Hugh C. Nugent, Thomas Landy and William Jacobson were fined $3 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

Michael J. Galvin was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until March 28.

Richard F. Madden was sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Nora Murphy was arraigned for assault on Alice L. Tobin at Weymouth, and Alice L. Tobin was arraigned for assault on Nora Murphy. Nora was fined $1, and Alice's case was continued until Thursday morning, when a fine of $3 was imposed.

Joseph McLaughlin was arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until March 13

Joseph De Coste was sent to the Massachusetts Reformatory for larceny from D. E. Fisher at Braintree.

Phillip Pitts was arraigned for larceny at Quincy and was fined $15.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Boston Theatre.

"Quincy Adams Sawyer" comes to the Boston theatre next week opening on Monday night, Feb. 20, a return engagement for which there has already been such a big demand for seats that the advance sale was opened two weeks before the first performance. This big New England play comes back to us with the same entire cast and production that attracted such big houses last September and returns here after its first tour of the principal cities of the South where the press has been unanimous in according that same measure of praise which has marked the career of the play in the North and the West. The stay this time will be for two weeks only and patrons in making their selections of an afternoon or evening for seeing this most popular of all rural dramas, should bear in mind that there will be souvenir performances both Wednesday afternoon and evening of the second and last week of the engagement, March 1st. In casting about for an appropriate souvenir, Manager McCarty of the Boston theatre hit upon the happy idea to present to each holder of a reserved seat ticket at those performances the game which is all the rage this season, called "Stage."

Empire Theatre.

The event of the past week in Boston amusement circles was the opening of the handsome Washington street entrance to the Empire theatre, formerly Boston Music Hall. From the time the gates were swung open on Saturday night, Feb. 11, to the present writing, the beautiful outer and inner lobbies have been thronged with eager and enthusiastic visitors, who have stopped to admire the architectural and decorative beauties of this entrance before proceeding to the auditorium. That this entrance was well worth the tremendous outlay devoted to its construction by the management has already been evinced by the increased and steady patronage of this popular and accepted home of all star vaudeville. For the week of Feb. 20, another monster bill has been prepared, including only the very best talent and features obtainable today in the vaudeville market. Foremost comes the great military spectacular sensation, "Our Boys in Blue," an elaborate creation arranged by Leo Kronaus. This spectacle illustrates, with original scenery, properties and effects, the life and manoeuvers, when in battle and when in peace, of the American soldiers, interpreted by twenty-one superbly drilled young fellows who have been instructed in every detail of artillery, infantry and coast defence practice. This is no ordinary stage drill, with "sensational" wall scaling for a climax, but an exciting display of realistic and genuine military tactics.

Editor Huxford of the Randolph Register is ill at a Boston Hospital.

Births.

YOUNG—In Quincy. Feb. 8, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Young of Payne street.

Deaths.

AUSTIN—In Quincy, Feb. 16, Mrs Harriet E., wife of Mr. Edward H. Austin of Spear street, aged 36 years, 10 months and 2 days.

GALVIN—In Quincy, Feb 15, Mrs. Margaret L., wife of Mr. Joseph H. Galvin of 46 Centre street, aged 30 years.

THOMPSON—In Weymouth Heights, Feb. 11, Mr. Samuel Thompson, in his 80th year.

BURRELL—In North Weymouth, Feb. 9, Mrs. L. Matilda Burrell, wife of Quincy Burrell, aged 74 years, 7 months and 4 days.

TIRRELL—In South Weymouth, Feb 11, Mr. Albert Tirrell of Front street, aged 70 years, 6 months.

PALMER—In Randolph, Feb. 11, Mr. James Warren Palmer, in his 65th year.

ENDICOTT—In Dedham, Feb. 16, Mrs. Augustus B. Endicott, in her 81st year.

MERRITT—In North Scituate, Feb. 16, Mrs. Elizabeth Litchfield, widow of Seth Merritt, aged 93 years.

GOODWIN—In East Milton, Feb. 17, Mr. Edward F. Goodwin, aged 41 years and 11 months.

BENEDICT—In North Abington, Feb. 13, Frances, daughter of Rev. George B and Mrs Edith Paine Benedict, aged 17 years, 14 days.

DRAKE—In Detroit, Mich, Feb. 7, Mr Thomas Drake, formerly of Hancock street, Atlantic, aged 77 years and 4 months.

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On Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 28th, at three o'clock, Dr Greene will deliver a free private illustrated lecture to women only. Valuable hints will also be given in regard to the preservation of the health, maintaining and preserving a delicate complexion and keeping a youthful appearance to mature years, as well as other important information. As admission is absolutely free and all ladies are much interested in these matters there will doubtless be a large attendance.

Dr. Greene will deliver a grand, free private illustrated lecture to men only on Tuesday evening, Feb. 28th, at 8 o'clock. This lecture will contain valuable advice upon those important subjects of a private nature which all men should know and understand, but of which they are too often ignorant. Dr. Greene will also discuss that terrible disease—Nervous Debility—so common among men. Remember admission and seats are free to all parts of the house, and all men should attend this valuable private lecture. They will learn much to their advantage. Previous to all lectures the audience will be favored by Prof. F. Richard Davis with his pleasing Parlor Novelty and Entertainment. Each person attending these lectures will receive a trial bottle of Dr. Greene's Nervura free.

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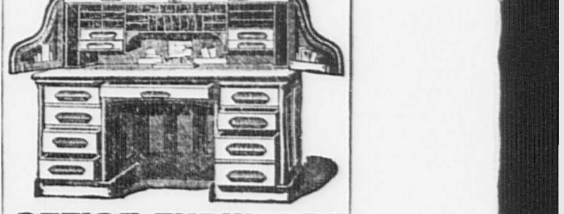

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Poetry.

My Mother.

She gave the best years of her life
With joy for me,
And robbed herself, with loving heart,
Unstintingly.

For me with willing hands she toiled
From day to day.
For me she prayed when headstrong youth
Would have its way.

Her gentle arms, my cradle once,
Are weary now;
And time has set the seal of care
Upon her brow.

And, though no other eyes than mine
Their meaning trace,
I read my history in the lines
Of her dear face.

And, 'mid His gems, who showers gifts
As shining sands,
I count her days as pearls that fall
From His kind hands.
—The Christian Advocate.

Notes and Comments.

—There are quite a number of houses being built in Quincy at the present time. And the weather has been so cold that the carpenters could not hit the head of a board nail more than twice out of three time if they tried.

—The proposition of the Faxon bureau, now before the legislature, which provides a scheme for licensing expressmen and properly restricting the liquor express business in no-license communities, ought to pass on its merits. The so-called expressman, who by the aid of an old horse and wagon, transports liquors into a no-license town, there to sell them at his office from cases or packages labeled to some fictitious party, has furnished one of the most perplexing problems of enforcement of the liquor laws. A properly drawn bill ought to work no harm upon legitimate express business, while the fake expresses with a proper licensing board might perhaps be put out of business.—Spencer Leader.

—When Benjamin Franklin first thought of starting a newspaper in Philadelphia, he was advised against it, on the ground that there was a paper published in Boston. Some of his friends doubted if the country would be able to support two newspapers. This was only 175 years ago, yet since that time, such a change has taken place in newspaper conditions, that many of the towns of the United States, can and do support two newspapers.—Norwood Advertiser.

—President Roosevelt does not believe in divorce. Most happily married men do not.

—The substance of the new bill for the suppression of the gypsy and browntail moths, which has been redrafted and will now go to the legislature, is that every property owner in the infested district shall destroy the caterpillars, with their nests and eggs, on his place, unless the cost of the work shall exceed $25, in which case he is required to do twenty-five dollars' worth of work on a specified portion of his premises. If property owners fail to destroy eggs or nests, then the city or town is authorized to do the work, adding the cost, to the amount of $25, to the owner's tax bill. Cities and towns are required to destroy eggs and nests within the limits of the highways, with the provision that no city or town shall be required to spend in one year more than one twenty-fifth of one per cent of its assessed valuation. If a city or town fails to do the work, the state commission is authorized to do it, adding the cost to the state tax of the town or city in question. The state commission is authorized to take general charge of the suppression of the pests, employing assistance and labor as may be required, with a state appropriation of $600,000, not more than $250,000, to be expended in one year. The commission is to consist of three persons, appointed by the governor, the chairman to have $2,500 salary, and the other members $2,000 each.—Somerville Journal.

—The Athol Chronicle says: "New Jersey women want the legislature to provide a law that bachelors shall be taxed. Why don't the ladies marry them, then they would be taxed to their hearts' desire.

—Coreless apple, seedless orange, spineless cactus, stoneless plums are already accomplished facts. Perhaps in time we shall have the thornless rose, the rootless pig, the buttless goat and the kickless mule. The millennium will get here if we only give it time.—American Farmer.

—Postmaster Hall of Bucyrus, Ohio, has a ruling from the government which is of interest to every community where the rural free delivery system is in force. A carrier of that city found in a mail box on his route two letters that were intended for the owner of the box and had been put there by some one passing. The letters were confiscated and sent to the government at Washington with a request for a ruling. The government approved the action of the carrier and said that all mail found in any box—without stamps or the proper amount of money for postage must be collected and taken to the post office from which the route is operated and held for postage. This ruling means that the owner of the mail box has absolutely no control over it.—Mansfield News.

If the doctor who died fifty years ago should come to life again, he wouldn't find any new diseases—but he would have to learn a lot of new names right away.—Somerville Journal.

—Andrew Carnegie has given $1,000 toward the organ fund of the First Universalist church of Lewiston, Maine. Perhaps he might be urged to give a new organ to the Unitarian society in Quincy; as the society feels much in need of one.

—There were 10,757 deaths in Boston during the year 1904.

—A congressional committee reports a bill imposing $2000 fine and a two years' imprisonment upon officers of the government who exceed their appropriations. Why would not that be good legislation in town affairs? We venture to assert there would be less exceeding of the appropriation than is now common in the various town and city appropriations.—Rockland Standard.

—The list of Mrs. Chadwick's creditors shows that she owes about $2,000,000—but that isn't what is troubling her.

—Out of 139 decoy perscriptions sent out by the Illinois Board of Pharmacy to Chicago druggists to be filled, twenty-three contained no trace of the drug called for, sixty-six were eighty per cent. impure, ten were twenty per cent. impure, and only thirty-one were pure, states the Pathfinder. As a result the board will prosecute 100 druggists for selling impure drugs.

—The Haverhill woman, who has two or three nice silk bedquilts made from ribbons taken from graves in cemeteries ought to have a secluded grave somewhere, but no flowers or ribbons.—Weymouth Transcript.

—And still the Brockton ship canal bobs up serenely at this session of the legislature, and as it only would mean an expenditure of $50,000,000 or more no doubt it will be an easy undertaking to carry out. We presume the same contractors will dig both the Cape Cod canal and the Brockton one, and they both will be finished about the same time.—Old Colony Memorial.

—The government of Belgium has put on sale a new kind of ticket for travel over its state railroads. It offers time tickets to cost so much, within which time the rider can ride as much as he pleases. A five-day ticket is sold for 20 francs, or $3.86; a 15 day ticket for 40 francs, or $7.72—good for second class only, which class, however, is usually found plenty good enough for American tourists, who will be particularly interested in this offer. It makes possible the cheapest railway travel available in the world.

—Senator Smoot has answered all the questions put to him about his matrimonial and private affairs. It is doubtful if there are many men in the Senate who would be willing to do as much.—Athol Chronicle.

—That Mormanism—with its custom of plural marriages, once practised to a great extent and by the testimony of the Mormons themselves practised to some degree today—is a menace to the best interests of society and of the country, is plain enough. We would be willing to wager a cooky, however, that the members of the National League of Women's Organizations—so prominent in the effort to unseat Senator Smoot of Utah—have at their own doors, among their intimate acquaintances in fact, many instances of a social evil more wide-spread than that of Utah and more alarming in its proportions at the present time than the polygamous practices of the Mormon state. The divorce evil at home, ladies, first, then missionary work in Utah if you will. The simple movement against Smoot, while well enough in its way, is like "swallowing a camel and straining at a gnat," when we consider the extent to which the ready-made-divorce-while-you-wait business is practised nearer home, to say nothing of the several instances of unlawful co-habitation existing under our very eyes. As one of the southern papers recently said: "What's the use of going gunning in Utah when there's better shooting nearer home."—Spencer Leader.

—The forthcoming inaugural parade at Washington promises to be the "greatest ever," in point of splendor, that has been seen on any previous similar occasion, although the memorable review of forty years ago, at the close of the civil war, will ever stand pre-eminent for greatness and grandeur.

—During the winter of 1902 it cost the town of Brookline $11,466 to remove the snow from the streets, a large proportion of which sum was spent on clearing the sidewalks. During the winter of 1903 the expense was increased to $12,640, while in 1904 it rose to $14,217.

—The recommendation of Governor Douglas regarding the trade school, as outlined in his inaugural address, does not seem to meet with particular favor with the union shoe makers of Brockton. They have instructed their legislative committee to do all in its power to prevent from becoming a law the bill introduced into the legislature calling for the establishment of a school to teach shoe manufacturing in that city. Evidently those who are opposing the bill are not desirous that any others shall enjoy the opportunity of getting instructions at a trade school similar to the textile schools at Lowell and Fall River. As a rule unions are not particularly friendly toward these schools, seeming to feel unwilling that the younger generation should be particularly favored in advantages given them for earning better livings.—Old Colony Memorial.

—The English language is spoken today by 135,000,000 people. Three hundred years ago, in the time of Queen Elizabeth, the language was spoken by about 5,000,000, nearly all of whom lived in the British Isles.

—Plymouth has three bells which were made by the old Revolutionary hero, Paul Revere, and the fact is notable.

—Exactly eighty-four per cent of the merchants who failed in 1903 did not advertise in the newspapers, according to Bradstreets.

—The Hampshire & Worcester electric railway has been closed up upon petition of the receiver. It was the conclusion of the stockholders, bondholders and receiver, after a conference, that it was better to close it than to run it at a loss. The "traveling public," who have found the line a convenience, it is reported, "very much hope that it will be reopened in the spring." Probably, and this same traveling public would unquestionably make a great fuss if called upon to pay fares that would enable the road to be run at a profit. But it is a very different thing running with a five cent fare in populous sections from operating a line where for miles there is little or no population.—Banker and Tradesman.

Against the City.

The jury in the Superior court at Salem, Feb. 10, returned a verdict against the City of Quincy for $8,621.51 in favor of John Sheahan & Co., contractors. This was a suit brought against the city by John Sheahan & Co. for services rendered the city in constructing what is known as Section No. 3 of the Quincy Sewerage System, which was the sewer beginning at the pumping station and ending at the corner of Woodbine and Hancock streets.

Mr. Sheahan's claim amounted in all to about $18,080. The case some time ago was referred to an auditor who decided against Mr. Sheahan on all items save about two thousand dollars. Mr. Sheahan did not accept this award, however, and insisted on having a trial before a jury at Salem, which trial has been going on for the last three weeks.

A very unusual thing occurred in the trial of this case. The city contended that under Mr. Sheahan's contract most of the items which he had sued upon were covered by his contract bid and he could not recover upon the same. There were long discussions as to the law relating to the subject between counsel and the court. In order to save the city's rights on questions of law, Mr. Blackmur, who appeared for the city, asked the court to interrogate the jury as to how they found on certain classes of items set forth in plaintiff's declaration.

Upon the rendering of the verdict, Mr. Blackmur asked that the jury return their finding upon all the items submitted, whereupon the foreman of the jury handed to the court a paper containing the figures of the jury showing how they had arrived at their verdict. Mr. Blackmur took the paper, and upon analyzing the same, discovered that the jury had made obvious errors in computation, which made a difference of over $3,000 in the verdict, so that the verdict should have been $5,649.46.

The matter was immediately called to the Court's attention, but as the jury had been dismissed, nothing could be done to rectify it.

A motion for a new trial will be filed at once and the court will be asked to either set aside the verdict or reduce the same. There were several items upon which jury made a compromise in favor of the plaintiff, upon which, the defendant claims, under the ruling of the court, there was no evidence whatever to have gone to the jury, and the question whether or not the verdict may not be still further reduced will be argued before the court.

It is very unusual for counsel to be able to get before the court the admitted figures of the jury. It seemed very fortunate that Mr. Blackmur insisted that the foreman of the jury should submit these figures and get a copy of the same in open court.

A Popular Club.

The Shipbuilders' club at Quincy Point is making great strides and becoming thoroughly popular amongst the shipyard workmen. The original promoters of the scheme, who have the welfare of workmen at heart, have now turned over the club—completely equipped and free from debt—to the management of the men themselves, from amongst whom the responsible officers and committee have been chosen. Since this was done, the membership has been doubled, and the club is being managed in a really practical and energetic manner, in order that nothing may be found lacking from a point of view of attractiveness.

One of the most prominent features of the club is the weekly entertainment the artists for which are drawn from amongst the members and their friends.

On Friday evening last, the second of this series of entertainments passed off most successfully, the following artists contributing toward an excellent program: C. Price, piano; James Brown, violin; D. Price, cornet; W. Godsell, banjo. The vocalists, all of whom were vociferously encored, were Councilman Hynes, C. Price, Godsell, McGregor, Hawkins, D. Loftus, G. Neil and G. Camp.

During the interval, coffee, cigars, etc., were served and every one made thoroughly at home by the indefatigable officers of the club. In an eloquent speech, Councilman Hynes pointed out the objects and advantages of the club and promised all his influence and heartiest support in furthering its best interests.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded the artists for their services, and a most enjoyable evening concluded with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

Brotherhood Meeting.

Rev. Mr. Watkins, an instructor at Lasell Seminary, addressed the Brotherhood of Bethany church Monday evening on "Money," and was listened to with marked attention. Few realized that it was quite so difficult to give in a few words the meaning of "money" until they heard this talk, but they realized that Mr. Watkins understood the subject, and were satisfied with his definition. There was very little money needed on the Western farms, he said, when he was a boy, and his experiences in early life added interest to the talk. Money and specimens of ore were used in illustrating the talk.

President Sidelinger presided at the meeting and there was a good attendance. The Brotherhood voted to assume the expense of furnishing one of the Y. M. C. A. dormitories. A rising vote of thanks was given the speaker of the evening.

Dream City.

The promoters of the new marine park at Nantasket Point held a meeting in New York on Saturday. Plans were approved and work will be commenced at once on construction. The company has a capital of $500,000 and about $250,000 will be expended before June 15.

The name of the new park is Dream City. It will embody all the novelties of Luna Park and Dreamland, at Coney Island, together with certain big, broad and bountiful entertainments that will be absolutely original, and all for a small price of admission. They purpose at Dream City to more than parallel the elaborate and wonderful electric effects produced at Coney Island, and spare no expense to make it the biggest and best marine park in America.

—The vital statistics of Dedham for 1904 are: Births, 197; deaths, 125; marriages 79. The largest number of births in one day was three. The average age of those to die 51 years, the oldest being 97. The oldest groom to be married was 65 years and the youngest 20. The oldest bride 46 and the youngest 17. There were no marriages in town from Feb. 20 to March 17.

Ward Valuations.

It is several years since it has been possible to make a ward comparison of the assessed valuation of Quincy, for the reason that previous to 1903 there were a few years when the ward valuations were not tabulated by the Assessors.

When the year 1904 is compared with the year 1903 all the wards show an increased valuation in real estate, but while Wards Two, Five and Six show an increase in personal estate, Wards One, Three and Four report a decrease. Ward One, however, is the only ward in which the total valuation was less in 1904 than in 1903.

When it comes to a comparison of 1904 with the first year of the city, 1889, Ward One has made the greatest increase in total valuation, the gain in fifteen years being $2,803,250, or nearly $200,000 per year. Ward Five is a close second, and Ward Two a good third. Then come in order Ward Six, Ward Three and Ward Four.

Ward One also made the largest gain in real estate valuation in the fifteen years. Again Ward Five is a close second. Ward Six is third in this list, Ward Two fourth, Ward Three next and Ward Four last.

In personal property, the establishment of the shipyard, has resulted in the largest gain in Ward Two, where it is over a million dollars more than in 1889. The increase in all the other wards in the fifteen years was only $277,050, Ward Three showing a loss of $8,400.

Very nearly one-third of all the taxable property of the city is in Ward One, where the Assessors find $7,249,025 out of a grand total of $23,849,150.

Wards Three, Four and Six together have but $8,229,775.

Ward One and Five have practically one-half of all the taxable property, and Wards Three, Four and Six together less than one-third.

The first summary is the valuation of the city in 1904, by wards, taken from the Assessors' report for 1904 not yet published:

Ward	Real Estate.	Personal Property.	Total Valuation.
One,	$6,000,675	$1,248,350	$7,249,025
Two,	2,678,550	1,422,675	4,101,225
Three,	2,376,125	300,575	2,676,700
Four,	2,269,975	296,375	2,566,350
Five,	3,936,250	332,885	4,269,125
Six,	2,907,300	79,425	2,986,725
Total,	20,168,875	3,680,275	23,849,150

The next summary gives the ward valuations of real estate, personal property and totals for six different years; in 1889 the first year of the city; then every three years,—1892, 1895 and 1898,—then in 1903 and 1904, the order of the years, however, being reversed. The figures afford an interesting study.

WARD ONE.

Year.	Real Estate.	Personal Estate.	Total Valuation.
1904	$6,000,675	$1,248,350	$7,249,025
1903	5,945,375	1,309,875	7,255,250
1898	5,143,900	1,078,700	6,222,600
1895	4,490,075	1,236,975	5,727,050
1892	3,824,050	1,682,825	5,506,875
1889	3,316,900	1,229,875	4,445,775
Increase	2,683,775	18,475	2,803,250
WARD TWO.			
1904	$2,678,550	$1,422,675	$4,101,225
1903	2,446,200	834,700	3,250,900
1898	1,652,700	300,700	1,953,400
1895	1,546,125	300,825	1,846,950
1892	1,436,800	356,625	1,793,425
1889	1,217,100	392,100	1,600,200
Increase	1,461,450	1,030,575	2,501,025
WARD THREE.			
1904	$2,376,125	$300,575	$2,676,700
1903	2,328,700	331,675	2,660,375
1898	2,084,700	329,150	2,413,850
1895	1,921,850	337,525	2,259,475
1892	1,674,125	339,075	2,013,200
1889	1,336,975	308,975	1,645,950
Increase	1,039,150	*8,400	1,030,750
WARD FOUR.			
1904	$2,269,975	$296,375	$2,566,350
1903	2,239,225	313,550	2,552,775
1898	2,141,525	280,700	2,422,225
1895	2,956,850	325,225	2,282,075
1892	1,878,125	494,225	2,372,350
1889	1,552,300	289,375	1,841,675
Increase	717,675	7,000	724,675
WARD FIVE.			
1904	$3,936,250	$332,875	$4,269,125
1903	3,889,800	328,175	4,217,975
1898	3,402,350	209,900	3,612,250
1895	2,692,575	254,875	2,949,450
1892	2,085,875	159,300	2,244,175
1889	1,408,050	113,925	1,521,975
Increase	2,528,200	218,950	2,747,150
WARD SIX			
1904	$2,907,300	$79,425	$2,986,725
1903	2,884,050	69,900	2,953,950
1898	2,387,650	55,525	2,243,175
1895	1,983,350	79,675	2,063,025
1892	1,375,600	50,350	1,424,450
1889	1,004,000	38,400	1,042,450
Increase	1,903,300	41,025	1,944,275

* Loss.

Tax Collections.

The annual report of the Tax Collector for the year 1904 shows the total amount collected by that department for the year to have been $537,978.32. This sum includes interest and costs.

Of the taxes of 1894 to 1898 there was collected $227.01, leaving a balance uncollected of $4,966.50.

The amounts collected and balance uncollected of other years is reported as follows:

1899—collected $536.20; balance uncollected $3,640.23.

1900—Collected $954.93; balance uncollected $3,426.19.

1901—Collected $4,147.63; balance uncollected $5,849.77.

1902—Collected $74,231.20; balance uncollected $5,500.06

Street watering 1902—Collected $660.74; balance uncollected $64.59.

1903—Collected $139,560.65; uncollected $4,282.09.

Street watering 1903—Collected—$1,199.96; balance uncollected $366.55.

1904—Collected $265,908.10; balance uncollected $181,702.35.

Street watering 1904—Collected $1,872.40; balance uncollected $1675.49.

Excise tax of 1904—Collected $3,264.32.

Sewer construction and interest collected $29,766.86.

Permanent sidewalks collected $1,040.09.

Costs collected $2,917.86.

Overseer of the Poor.

The report of the Overseer of the Poor for 1904 states that bills to the amount of $2,691.51 in addition to the appropriation were contracted, making the total cost of the department, $10,689.82. Assuming the population to be 30,000, says the Overseer, cost per capita was 35 cents.

The number of inmates at the almshouse Jan. 1, 1904, was 17; added during the year, 17; discharged, 10; died, 3; number at almshouse Dec. 31, 1904, was 21.

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Wollaston Unity Club.

The regular meeting of the Wollaston Unity club was held in the vestry of the Unitarian church, on Feb. 10. The subject of the evening was "Characteristic American Songs," and the meeting was in charge of Mrs. Albert R. Moulton.

Miss Randall of Quincy gave the first paper, the subject being "National Airs." She took up the true National airs in a chronological order, and commented upon each.

The first song on the list is "America." The music was written by Henry Carey, an Englishman, and the tune has been borrowed by almost all nations. The words were written by Rev. Samuel F. Smith, and the tune was first sung with his words in the Park Street church in 1832.

The next song is "Yankee Doodle." The music was an English country dance tune, and it was first sung in this country by the British in derision of the Americans. In accordance with a popular custom of the Americans, the song was "stolen" from the English by their enemies. "Yankee Doodle" was played by the Americans under the name of "The Lexington March" and later in 1814 was called the "American Anthem" at the treaty between America and England.

The tune of "Hail Columbia" was a march at the first of the Revolution. The popular words were written by Joseph Hopkinson in 1798.

The music of the "Star Spangled Banner" was an old English drinking song and everybody is familiar with the story of the writing of the words by Francis Scott Key, at the battle of Fort McHenry.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe wrote the immortal words "Mine eyes have seen the Glory," etc., to "Glory Hallelujah" in 1871.

The southern songs of note are "Bonny Blue Flag," "Dixie," and "Maryland, My Maryland."

Miss Randall mentioned several other Civil war songs of minor importance. After the war the nation was too busy to think of song writing, but as an exception, Keller's grand "American Hymn" was written in 1872.

Of the true folk songs "Home Sweet Home," "The Old Folks at Home" and others were mentioned.

After a short intermission Rev. Mr. Chase of Wollaston gave a very interesting paper on "Negro Melodies." He said the Negro songs could be divided into four classes "the Spiritual songs," "Labor songs," "Miscellaneous secular songs," and "Game and Dance songs."

The largest class is that of the "spiritual songs." In spite of his oppression and degradation the Negro was very religious and found solace from toil and suffering in singing. A good example is "Sweet Caanan."

The labor songs are of two kinds—those to which the Negro keeps time with his tools while working, and those which he sings without suiting his motion to the rhythm. The example of a labor song was "I'm a Rollin." Among the miscellaneous are cradle songs such as "Swing Low Sweet Chariot" and songs of bondage, such as "If you want to see Jesus Go in de Wilderness" and "Steal Away."

The Negroes had their dances and games like other people, and often went many miles after a hard day's work for this pleasure. Here they sang under some leader or listened to the strains of a roughly constructed banjo. The Negroes looked forward with hope to the day of deliverance and had many freedom songs such as "They Look Like Men of War.

Mr. Chase concluded by reading a humorous Negro selection from Hopkinson Smith's "Colonel Carter of Cartersville," and giving a few personal reminiscences.

During each of the papers the principal songs mentioned were rendered by a quartette—Mrs. Doane, Mrs. Crocker, Mr Allen, and Mr. Moulton. The meeting closed with a song by the quartette, "Peter on the Sea."

Patrol Changes.

Chief of Police Burrell has announced some changes in the routes of patrolmen which went into effect Saturday night.

Under the new order the Quincy Point district will be divided into three beats as follows:

Officer Olsen will cover the beat from the Canal through Elm, Baxter and Main streets, through the Dublin section to Sumner street.

Officer Lyons will cover the section between Sumner and Chubbuck streets, and Officer Curtin from Chubbuck street to the bridge.

Officers Lyons, Olsen, Milford, Goodhue and Crooker will meet the late train from Boston.

On Sundays two special officers will go on duty in the Quincy Point district in addition to Officer Larkin the regular man.

The specials are Officers Thorne and Mathews. The former will cover the section from Canal street to Sumner street, and the latter from Sumner street to Chubbuck street.

Remarkable Bowling Record.

A remarkable record was made at the Quincy Point bowling alleys on Friday evening of last week by the crack bowler, Bill Porter. He accomplished a feat which has never been equalled in Quincy, bowling ten successive strings as follows: 103, 103, 86, 93, 90, 91, 84, 127, 99, 105, a total of 981. This was an average of over 98 for each string.

He excelled his former record which was 304 for three string total for the prize donated by R. T. Johnson ending March first, his new record for three strings is as follows: 127, 99 and 105, a total of 331.

There was also a hot game between Crib Club and Hoosac Tunnell teams in the Ward Two league, the former winning two out of three, with a total of 1335 against 1327.

Prize Winners.

Quincy had a surprisingly large number of prize winners in the Herald book contest. Miss Mary Pfaffmann of Wollaston stood No. 20 and was awarded $50 worth of books, Miss Elizabeth H. Thayer of Wollaston was awarded $10; Miss Marjorie Fay of Wollaston, James H. Dale of 981 Hancock street, Miss Madeleine Fish a High school teacher, Mrs. Ethel G. Russell of Greenleaf street and Edward H. Senot of Wollaston each $5 worth of books, a total of $85 for Quincy.

Frederick A. Tupper of Brighton, recently master of the Quincy High school, won the ninth prize, $100 in books.

Other prize winners were: Otis B. Oakman and O. C. Gallagher of Braintree, Lottie May Allen. Estelle H. Parsons and Frank A. Preston of Milton, R. N. Tower, Mary A. Fogg and Clara L. Tower of Weymouth.

—It is said that there are no fewer than 11,000 rooms in the Vatican in Rome, and many of them never receive sunlight.

Pedagogues and Parents.

It will interest the many friends of Mrs. D. M. Wilson in Quincy to know that her book "Pedagogues and Parents" is being heartily commended by the reviewers. All are quick to point out the many excellencies which they find. The Springfield Republican made it a feature of a recent Sunday edition to present "a review of Ella Calista Wilson's whimsical and entertaining book, 'Pedagogues and Parents' in which the point of view of the parent is suggestively taken." The Outlook writes of "the clever author of this sensible treatise on education, "and the Transcript begins an appreciative notice with the words, "The author has succeeded in making an interesting book upon a subject that is too often dry as a New Mexican mesa." But it is characteristic of a western paper to attempt to improve the English language in the declaration that "the book is both motherly and teachery in its spirit, and emphatically of the twentieth century."

Some of the more elaborate reviews were printed in the New York papers. The Tribune has nearly a column devoted to a judicious description of the various chapters. Among the good things in it is this: "It is hard to believe that any father or mother reading her book would not be aroused to inquire more particularly into the kind of training his or her child is receiving at the hands of principals and teachers. The book is written in a lively fashion that compels attention to serious and acknowledged defects in our school system, and is brightened by many apposite and humorous anecdotes and instances." The Times Book Review ends a happy notice in this flattering fashion: "We wish—not hope—that this delightful little volume, more entertaining than nine-tenths of the fiction of the day, might speedily be enrolled among 'the best selling books.' Its happy tendency is to make parents of pedagogues and pedagogues of parents, and when that is achieved the ideal republic will have begun. The recurrence of that word "pedagogue" reminds one that the author receives intimation that some parents stumble at it. So seldom do they come across it that they hardly know whether it stands for a new kind of centipede, or vegetable, or bit of toggery. The book may score an additional achievement in making a number of persons not only acquainted with the word, but in placing them in intimate relations with the fascinating mystery it most frequently symbolizes.

Many other reviews might be quoted, but we will end with the following brief abstract from a long and sympathetic notice in the Christian Register: "Most books appeal to a special constituency: this one may well have many constituencies. The young may enjoy it: the old may delight in it. Untrained minds may find it within their grasp: trained minds may meet it with high respect. As to its style, it is not fine writing. It is something far better: it is admirable talking, * * * * the triumphant talk of a cultivated and gifted woman."

No, we can hardly end with this quotation, for in the very hour there comes to hand another review in the New York Times Review of Books of Feb. 11, written by Adele Marie Shaw, "A Student of Modern Educational Methods." It is two columns and a half long, and is apparently, a very discriminating as well as appreciative estimate of the book. We limit ourselves to the last sentence or two: "'Pedagogues and Parents' is a book to set tongues and pens to wagging, a book to read from preface to finis with the relish of combat or agreement. Whether you deny or assent, you are bound to laugh; see the heading of the chapter on individuality:

'A farmer in Bungleton had a colt
That couldn't be taught to moo,
And he kept his cow under lock and bolt
Till the smith could make her a shoe.
His ducks wouldn't gobble, and his geese
wouldn't quack;
His cat wouldn't bark at all.
'I'm clean discouraged,' he cried 'Alack!
I'll give up my farm in the fall.'"

School Attendance.

The High school led in percentage of attendance according to the Feb. 3 report of Supt. Parlin of the Quincy school for the four weeks ending on that date. The John Hancock was a close second. Because of sickness the attendance at the Adams, Coddington and some of the other buildings was lower than usual. The Gridley Bryant and Coddington had remarkably few tardinesses:

	Whole No. at Date.	Av. Daily Attendance.	Per cent. of Daily Attendance.	Tardinesses.	Dismissal.	Truancy.
High	611	560.7	93.2	103	89	2
Adams	480	416.6	87.3	55	24	4
Coddington	470	400.6	87.3	7	33	1
Cranch	321	287.1	91.2	36	25	1
Gridley Bryant	319	290.2	90.7	4	20	—
John Hancock	355	329.6	93.0	12	16	—
Lincoln	446	397.6	89.1	21	19	3
Mass. Fields	394	334.2	91.3	17	52	4
Quincy	484	427.4	88.6	22	13	—
Washington	465	403.9	88.2	32	28	1
Willard	863	789.4	91.1	14	9	3
Wollaston	372	333.6	90.4	19	6	1
	5,580	5,009.9	90.2	342	334	20

Anecdotes.

"I hear yers to give a party, Mrs. Hooligan?"

"Yes, Mrs. Mulligan, I am, and I've been everywhere tryin' to get some of that 'pink tea' ye reads so much about."

"I thought your doctor forbade you to smoke?"

"He did."

"And yet you're smoking?"

"Certainly."

"How does it happen?

"Why, I changed doctors, of course."—Stray Stories.

Russian Official—"You can't stay in this country."

Traveller—"Then I'll leave it."

"Have you a permit to leave?"

"No."

"Then you cannot go. I give you just twenty-four hours to make up your mind."

Mistress—"I saw two policemen in the kitchen with you last night, Bridget."

Bridget—"Well, ma'am, yez wouldn't hov an unmarried lady be sittin' alone with only wan policeman would yez? The other wan wuz a chaperon."

Mr. Billings took up his cup of what the landlady called coffee, tasted it, sniffed at and set it down.

"Have you anything to say against the coffee, Mr. Billings?" asked the landlady.

"No, ma'am," answered Billings, "I never speak ill of the absent."—Indianapolis Journal.

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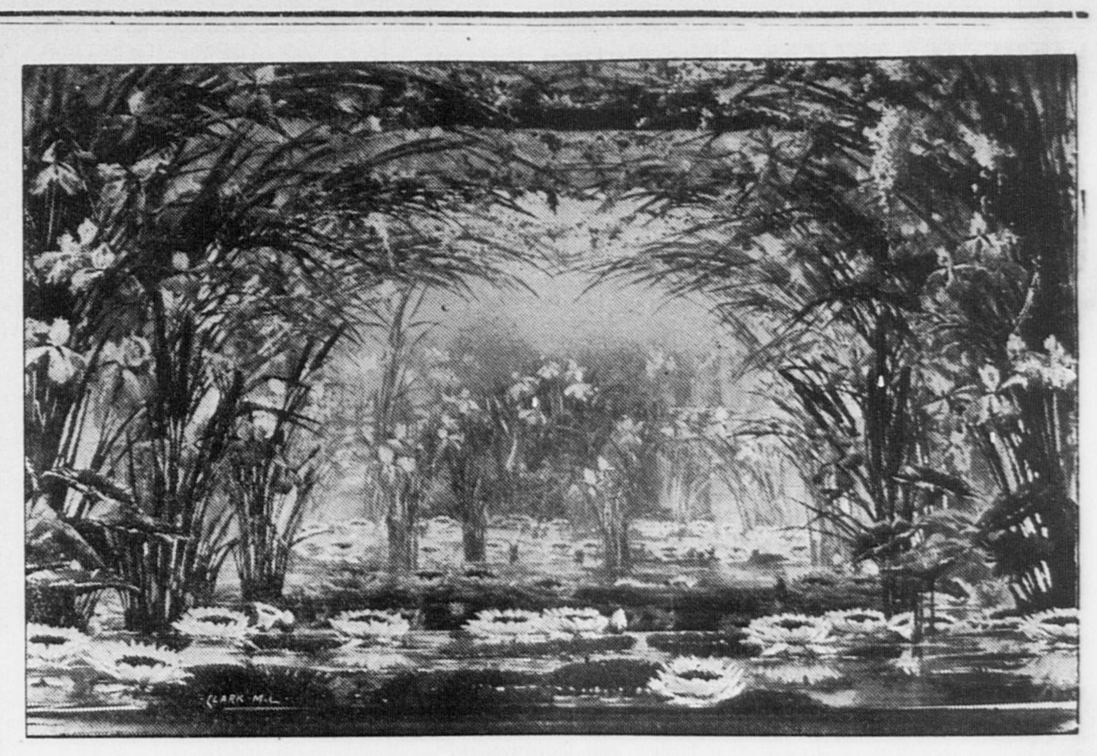

"WHERE THE WATER LILLIES BLOOM."
A scene in Lew Dockstader's great minstrels—at the Tremont Theatre.

Household Receipts.

Cream Salmon. Take one can of salmon, a pint of milk, two tablespoonfuls each of cornstarch and butter, one tablespoonful of salt, a teaspoonful of pepper, and two cups of bread and cracker crumbs. Cream the butter and cornstarch in a basin over the fire, pour in the milk, and stir until smooth, seasoning with salt and pepper. Butter a pudding dish, put in a layer of bread or cracker crumbs, then a layer of salmon, and next a layer of the white sauce. Repeat the operation until all the ingredients are used, having buttered crumbs at the top. Bake quickly.

Broiled Ham. Cut the ham in slices of medium thickness, place on a hot gridiron and cook until the fat begins to drip out and the meat is slightly brown; with a knife and fork remove from the gridiron and drop into cold water. Then return to the gridiron. Repeat this until the ham is done. Serve on a hot platter.

Watercress Salad. Watercress is the only green salad which does not require oil in dressing it. Rinse it carefully, handful by handful. Pare off the heavier stalks. When it is finally clean dry it in a cloth. Lay it on the ice to become chilled, and then transfer it to a chilled salad bowl. Three bunches of properly cleaned watercress require two large saladspoonfuls of vinegar, a tablespoonful of salt and a little pepper, but no oil. It is an especially valuable breakfast salad to serve with beefsteak, fried fish or veal cutlets. It is also excellent with croquettes of fish or meat.

Liver with Bacon. Have the liver sliced at the market, wash it well in salt water; then drain it dry. Brush it over on each side with melted butter. Lay it on the broiler and broil till done, first on one side, then on the other. Place on a hot platter and season with salt and pepper and butter. Broil the bacon one minute, and place it around the liver; this is far better than frying.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Harry W. Dodge et al to Nellie S Hardy.
John H. Dinegan to Nellie S. Hardy.
Abington Savings Bank to Job O. Loring.
Ella M. Warden to Ernest K. Rogers.
Eliab Ramsdell to John P. Grannahan.
Wendell G. Corthell to Barney D. Mann.
Christina J. Sewell to Eliza A. Mayer.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

Lew Dockstader and his great minstrels have repeated the success that attended their engagement of last season at the Tremont theatre. The house has been crowded at every performance and the big audience, when not incapacitated by laughing, have applauded from curtain rise until the finish of the last act. Unquestionably Dockstader is the foremost artist in the burnt cork world. He is the class of his profession and anything he does is well done. In selecting his company this season he has exercised the greatest care. His vocalists, again headed by Manuel Romain, are a strong feature. There is an octette of splendid singers and each voice is perfect and in harmonious accord with the other surroundings. In the singing and dancing branch of the programme the company gives the completest satisfaction. Mr. Dockstader has supplied spectacular effects. His stage is crowded with scenery and his people fit the picture. There is nothing cheap about the production. Every feature is a worthy one and the entertainment as a whole is finished and complete.

Castle Square Theatre.

A revival of the dramatic version of Dickens's "David Copperfield" known as "Little Em'ly" is announced at the Castle Square Theatre next week and as this play has not had a Boston production for many years, it is sure to prove a strong attraction. Few of the Dickens's novels present the dramatic possibilities that are offered in the story of David Copperfield, the characters, scenes, and situations all affording opportunities for effective stage treatment that easily explains the popularity of this play. It is designed to make the revival of "Little Em'ly" an unusual scenic production and Mr. Ed. La Moss, the scenic artist, has given unusual care to his desgins for the numerous stage pictures incidental to the play. An unusually strong cast will be given to this revival which is announced for only a single week with the usual free distribution of souvenir boxes of choice chocolate bonbons at the Monday matinee.

Dog Show.

Representatives of almost every walk in life will make a try for blue ribbons at the Boston dog show which begins in Mechanics building, Boston, Feb. 21, for four days. J. Pierpont Morgan and Thomas W. Lawson will represent the financial world. Mr. Lawson has made the largest individual entry with his famous English bull dogs, toy spaniels and Dalmatians. Mr. Morgan's particular hobby in dogdom is the collie and he has made twenty entries from his Cragston kennels of dogs with international reputations. Boston society women will show their own dogs in the saw dust arena in competition with Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt and Mrs. Hamilton Fish Webster of Newport, Mrs Goldenberg of New York, Miss Alice Brownell of Providence and other socially prominent exhibitors.

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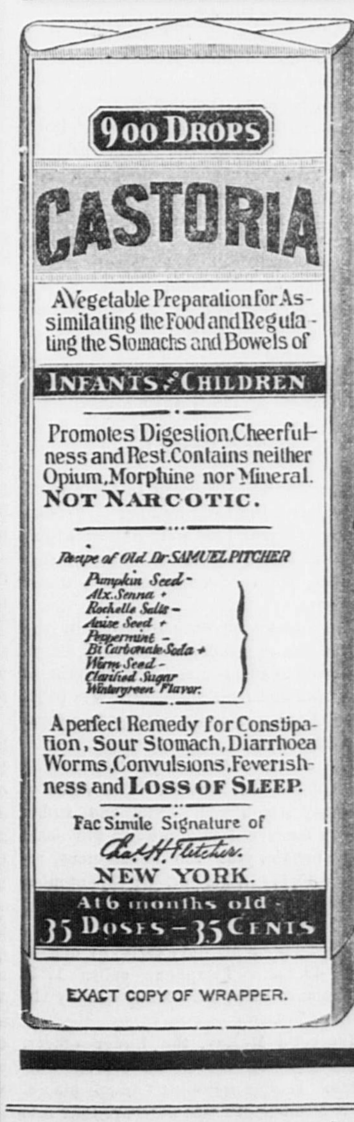

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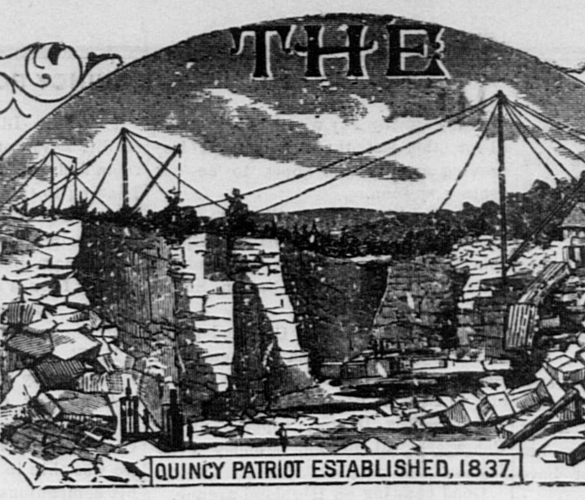

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Deposit Notes - - - -	627,581.17
Available Assets - - -	1,131,990.24
Total Liabilities - - - -	338,543.29
Cash Surplus - - - -	168,865.78
Gain in Surplus in 1904 - -	7,458.47
Gain in Assets in 1904 - -	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904 - - -	103,055.43
Dividends paid in 1904 - - -	68,294.25
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Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	193,222.23
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$475,544.15
Contingent Assets,	352,120.59
Total Available Assets,	1,020,886.97
Gain in Surplus,	17,211.34

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STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1905:

Amount at Risk,	$7,224,426.07
Cash Assets,	169,173.07
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	62,518.78
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$106,654.29
Contingent Assets,	111,131.71
Total Available Assets,	280,304.78
Gain in Surplus,	4,[illegible]59.07

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Poetry.

When a Man Has a Cold.

When a man has a cold it is really surprising
  The way that his friends try to straighten him out,
Their cures for the same confidently advising,
  Each one calculated to put it to rout.
It's hard with so many sure things to be choosing
  A remedy, home manufactured or sold;
But equally hard if you think of refusing
  To try one. It's tough when a man has a cold!

To please my dear friends the most nauseous potions—
  Decoctions of onions, the vilest of teas—
I think asafetida one of their notions—
  I took just because I was anxious to please.
I've made myself stupid with brews alcoholic;
  I've scalded my feet; in iced sheets I have rolled;
The lemons I've eaten have given me colic
  I tell you it's tough when a man has a cold.

My ears with quinine I've taken are ringing,
  I'm smelling of liniments rubbed on my chest;
Yet other new cures they're persistently bringing,
  Until I just ache for a moment of rest.
I'm blistered and burned and I'm soggy with soaking,
  I've swallowed more drugs than mere mortal can hold.
It isn't a matter for laughing or joking—
  They're tough on a man, these cures for a cold.

—Chicago Daily News.

Miscellany.

HIGGINS THE CABMAN.

One could pick out Higgins's turnout anywhere. An immaculate hansom with yellow wheels, buff furnishings, shining harness and a rather quiet looking roan horse. Higgins himself was also distinctly a character. He was stocky, rubicund, with a suave, good-natured expression, insinuating but not obtrusive.

Usually you could find him on the west curb of Union Square. Occasionally he affected Greeley Square or on stormy days Grand Central Depot, where he sheltered under the "L" structure. Unless forced to it he never went downtown. He characterized his lay as social, not commercial. He had been known to refuse accepting a fare to Worth street. To his companions he was a paradox.

It happened one day about lunch time, a week or two ago, that as he was polishing his hansom lamps, a flaxen-haired young man, well dressed, rushed up and grasped him by the arm. The young man's mobile countenance showed unmistakable signs of great happiness.

Higgins recognized him as young Dalrymple, one of his eminently respectable patrons. Simultaneously there rose in the cabman's mind a vision of a daintily gowned young woman; of sundry protracted drives in the park, of Daly's, Wallack's and Weber & Field's; and then of the upper Broadway restaurants.

"Higgins," said the young man effusively, "I'm the happiest man in the world."

"Thank God for that," remarked the cabman modestly.

"No, thank Her for that," cried young Dalrymple, blushing like a girl.

Again Higgins had a vision of the fair young woman; of her light, fluffy hair subtly perfumed; of her matchless face and beautiful pink and white complexion.

"Higgins," said the young man, with boyish enthusiasm, "I'm engaged. The formal announcement is not out till tomorrow. Now, I want you tonight. It will be our last blowout in our old characters. I want you, old man, to take charge of us. For the sake of 'Auld Lang Syne' you know. Then I can trust you. Here—" he pressed a bill into Higgin's ready palm. "Call for me at seven-thirty sharp. Old address. So long." And with swinging strides the young man disappeared, twirling his cane.

"Now, what th' devil's Higgins up ter," commented one of a group of the cabman's associates. Higgins had opened a fresh box of polish and was assiduously at work on the nickel finishings of his hansom and harness. His high hat was cocked rakishly. A cigar was in his mouth.

Then his cronies watched him with unmitigated astonishment refuse two fares. They knew that he owned his hansom but that was no explanation.

"Now, what is Higgins up ter?" they reiterated.

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"Aha! there you are, on time," said young Dalrymple as he came out of his apartments. "We're a little early, Higgins, so drive slowly. You know the house. Fifty-eighth street."

He sprang into the hansom and Higgins, resplendent in a bouquet and a polished tile, drove slowly uptown.

Turning into Fifty-eighth street from Fifth avenue he drove even more slowly, for there is a sharp declivity at that point and the asphalt was covered with ice and treacherous.

Higgins knew the house, one of those pretentious brownstone affairs, and he was mildly surprised to find a brougham drawn up in front of that particular residence. And his mild surprise became intense when he beheld the door open and the fair object of his visions step lightly out, followed by a stalwart youth in a frock coat and top hat.

The door closed and the couple descended the stoop arm in arm chatting merrily. They entered the brougham, which started off up the incline toward Seventh avenue. Higgins had pulled up sharply when the brougham passed him and half turned his vehicle.

"My God! My God! is it possible!" cried an agonized voice, and the next moment young Dalrymple all but fell from the hansom and stood irresolutely in the street grasping the wheel for support. His face showed white as chalk in the light from the hansom lamps.

"Tonight of all nights," he gasped hoarsely, "and with Webster. It's all over."

All this was extremely painful to Higgins. He leaped nimbly down and assisted Dalrymple back into the hansom.

"It was she, was it not?" the young man cried, half crazed by his emotions. "I saw her with my own eyes, Higgins. It was her dress, her figure. Tell me I'm wrong, Higgins."

"You may be, sir," said Higgins, soothingly. "Anyway, let's make sure, sir. I'll follow up that 'ere trap, sir, an' we can have another look. You may be wrong, sir. Don't worry."

In his heart, though, Higgins felt that the young man was right. He would have sworn to the identity of the fickle young woman. In a second he was on his box again, whip in hand. But it was no easy matter to overtake the brougham. It was far down toward Longacre Square when Higgins turned into the avenue. He drove furiously, with one eye for a policeman and the other for a right of way.

Inside the hansom Dalrymple sat. His mind could hardly grasp the situation. He knew that in a few minutes he would see her again—see her with his old friend and confidant, Webster; that was all.

When Higgins crossed Forty-second street the brougham was but a few feet in advance. It stopped at the entrance of the New York theatre. The stalwart youth alighted and turned to assist his fair companion.

"Clumsy," she laughed, you're hurting my hand." Then they entered the theatre manifestly in the highest of spirits.

It was all done in a moment and without the possibility of a doubt Higgins recognized her as the woman of his visions and he pitied the young man inwardly. Dalrymple, too, had had his fears confirmed. Higgins drove slowly up Broadway. Anxiously he opened the trap and peered down at his disconsolate fare.

Young Dalrymple had in a measure regained his composure. "Higgins," he said, looking up, "Higgins, you've got to see me through with this. You may as well drive up to Fifty-eighth street again. I can say all I have to say to her mother. After that you can come around to my rooms and help me pack. I'll go to Spain, or China, or the North Pole or somewhere. Hurry, can't you, Higgins!"

The truth was that Higgins had just turned into Fifty-eighth street and was pulling up in front of the brownstone house he knew so well. There was a young woman standing half way down on the broad stone steps. Impatiently she glanced up and down the street.

Then she caught sight of the hansom and Higgins on the box, an expression of relief on his ruddy visage. Then she saw her fiance straining forward in his seat and looking at her as though she were a ghost. She waved her muff and young Dalrymple, not waiting for the hansom to stop, leaped to the sidewalk and rushed toward her.

"For goodness sake, Fred," she said, holding him off playfully, "what under the sun has been the matter with you? I'm nearly crazy with worry. Here you've kept me waiting ever so long, and I know we'll be dreadfully late. My sister Adele came down from Northampton last night—so unexpected—and who do you think was with her? Why, none other than your chum, Harold Webster. I told them you were going to take me to the New York tonight, and of course, Adele—the rascal—persuaded or commanded her adorer to get seats next to ours. They went off early, on purpose to be be there first and surprise you. It was to have been a secret, but I just had to tell it. Oh, you should see Adele! Her trunks hadn't come, so I gave her one of my dresses to wear—the gray velvet you used to like—remember? I declare you couldn't tell us apart."

"Well," he said, helping her into the hansom, "I have had a rather trying evening. You see, the firm had some miserable notion of sending me to Spain, or China or the North Pole, or somewhere."

"But you won't have to go, will you, Freddie?" she asked plaintively, settling herself in the seat.

"No," answered Dalrymple. "The thing has been called off indefinitely."

She leaned toward him affectionately. Higgins hastily closed the trap.

"Five dollars," cried young Dalrymple a moment later, "if you get there before the curtain goes up."—New York Commercial Advertiser.

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Scandal.

It was the saying of an old acquaintance when his attention was called to anything that had a smacking of scandal in it: "I have so much to do that I cannot hear it. One-half of my time is taken up with my own business, the other half with letting alone that of my neighbors." How many excellent opportunities of letting alone other people's business are slighted! And the world is troubled with the interference of people with what does not concern them. Neighborhoods are driven crazy by reports of idle or mischievous people, who watch for occasions of scandal, and lose no opportunity of making it public, regardless of its truth, or of the injury it inflicts upon the feelings of others. Gossip passes for fact, and surmise for history; and the nimble lie runs many a league while the truth is putting on its boots.—Boston Investigator.

The Foundation of Woman.

A small boy in the mission Sunday school of Bishop Fallows' church propounded an entirely new theory of creation last Sunday.

"Who made man?" asked the teacher, beginning as in the good old days when orthodoxy used catechisms.

"God, was the prompt reply."

"And how did he make him?"

"Out of dust, ma'am; nothing but dust."

"And who made woman?"

"God made her, too, ma'am."

"How?"

The small boy hesitated and then replied cheerfully. "He caused a deep sleep to fall upon man, and then took out his backbone and made the woman."—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

The Russia—Japan War.

America and the rest of the world stands aghast at the current happenings in Russia just as they stood aghast at the workings of the French commune at the close of the Franco-German War. It is with somewhat anxious breath that we ask what it is that seems to pervade society in all civilized lands that seems ready to boil up with but little additional provocation like water heated to 210 degrees F., or to explode with volcanic force without a moment's notice like the subterranean fires of mother earth.

It is the spirit of discontent or unrest protesting against the unfairness and inhumanity of existing social conditions which is as wide spread as is tyranny and oppression. While this feeling is not confined to any one country and has a strength in proportion to the injustice that is felt, yet Paris is the real breeding ground for revolutionary ideas. The parallelism between the revolutionary events in Russia and France is so remarkable that the past conditions in France are being used to predict those that are to come in Russia.

Probably the best study that has been made of the conditions which go to make up the spirit of the social revolution in Paris and consequently of Russia as well, is that just completed by Alvan Francis Sanborn, the well-known student of modern social conditions, who has resided for several years in Paris for the sake of studying its conditions at first hand. And what is the more valuable for us Mr. Sanborn sees these things through American eyes and not through the perverted vision of a prejudiced down-trodden European.

In his new book, "Paris and the Social Revolution," just being brought out by Small, Maynard & Company, Mr. Sanborn states that what the anarchist revolutionist wants is individual freedom amidst a free humanity. He shows how the revolutionary spirit is propogandized by word of mouth, by writing, by example and by overt acts of greater or less violence; he takes the very examples furnished by Russia in the persons of Tolstoy, Kropotkin and and the Nihilistic leaders and martyrs, the activity of which ferment is shown by the present day happenings in St. Petersburg and Moscow.

No Graft Then.

The Commercial Tribune of Cincinnati published the following on Sunday:

One day the son of President John Quincy Adams took a sheet of paper from his father's desk intending to write a letter on it.

I think he was as much surprised as you would be, when his father said quickly: "Put that back; that belongs to the Government. Here is my own stationery at the other end of the desk. I always use that for letters on private business."

Surely the President's son, if any one, had a right to use that paper, you say. But his father was too honest a man to use Government paper except in Government business. President Adams was noted for his accuracy, truthfulness and punctuality; for he would no more have taken another's time, by tardiness, than another's money by theft.

I wonder how many boys or girls are as honest in every little thing—using the writing paper belonging to somebody else, for instance, or another's pencil, or keeping the nickel when the conductor forgets your fare? Suppose we make a list of the things that are not strictly, through-and-through, warp-and-woof honest—and yet done daily by us perhaps. Then let's avoid doing anything on that list, for the next step.

Husbands.

Husbands are of many sorts. The American variety is supposed to be the best. Although the American man is not sought by foreigners as much as the American woman, he is thought at home to be the best domestic investment in the world. No other is so ready to treat his wife as plenarily inspired. The American husband averages better than the poet Marston's computation, At a rough guess, half the marriages in this country are fairly happy, partly because the American men are kindly, sociable, and good tempered, partly because the American women are free and interesting. Addison is one among the many who have said that after treating woman like a goddess, man marries her and treats her like a slave, the most abject flatters changing into the worst tyrants. In recent times, and especially in America, we indulge less in the goddess fancy and naturally less in tyranny afterward. "I have hardly ever observed the married condition unhappy," writes Richard Steele, "but from want of judgment or temper in the man." One quality that no one denies Americans is good temper.—Collier's Weekly.

Unjust Suspicion.

The wife of a clever detective is said to have powers nearly equal to those possessed by her husband. Not long ago she began to notice that dimes and quarters were daily disappearing as if by magic from the "change purse" in which she kept silver for small purchases. She was inclined to suspect one of her two maids, a sullen Irish girl, but was unwilling to accuse her. After some thought she wrote on a slip of paper: "Neither Bridget nor Celia must take any money from this purse." This slip she put into the purse and awaited developments.

Two days later Bridget came to her and gave "warning."

"What is the matter? asked her mistress innocently.

"I'll be going to another place," said Bridget, vindictively, "and it's yourself that knows the rayson. I'll not stay in a house where I'm accused of stealing money out of a little ould purse that's nivver had more than $2 in it since I took service here!"—The New Yorker.

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For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, Feb. 18, 1905.

The tension between the high treaty making powers at both ends of the avenue in Washington continues and appears at this moment irremediable, or at least no one sees a way out of it. The situation is deplorable and peculiarly embarassing to the Executive branch of the government. But yesterday Mr. Roosevelt was in the plenitude of his power and popularity, more loved and applauded even than on the morrow of his election. His worst enemies could not have imagined a more sudden contretemps. Napoleon is represented by some historian as he was retreating alone in a sleigh from Moscow soliloquizing in a peasant's hut while waiting for a change of horses and repeating again and again "from the sublime to the ridiculous is but a step." It is not saying much perhaps to call Mr. Roosevelt a bigger and better man than Napoleon but there are parallels in the careers of rulers and they become conspicuous in crises like these. What is the genesis of this foax pas as that Mr. Roosevelt has made? I believe it is in great part due to the weakness of his present cabinet. The wise and conservative advisers, those upon whom he most relied, Mr. Root, Mr. Knox and Mr. Cortelyou are no longer at his council table. Mr. Hay is a skilled diplomatist, but he is not a constitutional lawyer; he has not come from the people, he has never held an elective office and has for weeks been too ill to take much interest or be helpful in public affairs. Assistant Secretary Loomis has been for some days the acting head of the State Department. It would be invidious perhaps to refer to the present members of Cabinet by name and call attention to their special weaknesses and disabilities as advisers. There is perhaps but one man among them who in public estimation is of first-rate ability. His reputation has been gained through his apparent success as military governor of trans-Pacific heathen tribes and the goal of his ambition is the Supreme bench. The Cabinet as at present constituted, are in the opinion of many, more successful in the role of courtiers than advisers. In short the Administration lacks the balance wheel of conservative ability in its advisory board.

In the old hall of the House of Representatives long since deserted as a congressional assembly room and now used as a receptacle of statues of distinguished men there has been placed this week the statue of Frances Willard. Nearly all of the states have contributed to this hall marble or bronze effigies of their distinguished sons. It was only a month ago that the statue of Ingalls of Kansas was placed in this hall and now the state of Illinois has erected a statue of Frances Willard whom many will agree is the first woman of the United States. The statue represents her on the platform in a pose familiar to those who have heard her in public and on its base inscribed the words from one of her temperance lectures. "Ah! it is women who have given the costliest hostage to fortune. Out into the battle of life they have sent their best beloved, with fearful odds against them. Oh, by the dangers they have dared; by the hours of patient watching over beds where helpless children lay; by the incense of ten thousand prayers wafted from their gentle lips to heaven. I charge you give them power to protect a long life's treacherous highway those whom they have so loved."

The House of Representatives has been much excited over the action of the Senate in returning the Agricultural bill with an amendment which involves the revenue. This amendment affecting the revenue is regarded as a direct violation of the Constitution and is an infringement on the privileges of the House, where all revenue bills must originate. Representative Payne in an indignant speech in the House declared that the Constitution conferred upon the House the right to originate all revenue legislation and the act of the Senate he denounced as an aggressive attack upon the House by the Senate. It is a peculiar co-incidence that just at the moment that the Senate is repudiating the act of the President in a real or supposed attack upon the dignity and prerogatives of the Senate that same body should have been guilty of a violation of the Constitution and a usurpation of the privileges of the House. On a vote of 265 to 5 the resolution to return the bill to the Senate was passed.

The last of the President's receptions occurred Thursday night, was altogether the largest and most brilliant of the winter. Three thousand guests shook hands with Mr. Roosevelt between the hours of nine and ten-thirty, and notwithstanding the hard work and perplexities of the President during the week his welcome of each guest was as hearty as ever. The reception was in honor of the Army and Navy and the officers present were in full uniforms so that the scene was more brilliant with gorgeous uniforms than at any of the levees during the season. The music furnished by the Marine band was entirely martial in character and the decorations consisted in part of the flags of the President, the lieutenant general of the Army and the Admiral of the Navy and other emblematic devices in harmony with the Army and Naval representation at the reception.

The President's discussion of the situation in Santo Domingo and our duty to that country as set forth in his message to the Senate seems to meet with general approval. The message was sent to the Senate Wednesday evening but arrived too late for consideration that evening and was taken up Thursday. It is about 4500 words in length and was read in full to the Senate and it was evident that it produced a good opinion among the Senators. Whether vigorous opposition to the protocol will be developed cannot yet be prophesied but in any case it is generally believed that the sentiment toward the president on account of the arbitration will not influence the consideration of this matter. Democrats as well as Republicans are positive in their statement that the matter will be disposed of without regard to the difference of the Senate and the President. The final vote will be reserved for an extra session to be called immediately after the adjournment of Congress.

Adams.

President Mellen.

On a September evening in 1869, a boy was leaning over the front gate of a modest cottage in the quiet old town of Concord, N. H. The boy was 18 and had just finished his course in the local academy. He had thought of going to Dartmouth college, and was undecided whether to do that or immediately set about the task of earning a living. He was reflecting on this problem when an old acquaintance sauntered along the street and stopped to chat with him. By that chance meeting, though the boy little realized it at the time, his whole after career was shaped.

This reads so much like the beginning of a fairy tale that I ought to be able to say that the friend was really a good fairy.

Perhaps, if fairies ever adopt the disguise of cowhide boots and whiskers, the statement may be allowed to stand. At any rate, he had just been appointed cashier of the Northern Railroad of New Hampshire, and he offered the boy a place as clerk in his office. The chance of a position outweighed the attractions of college. The offer was accepted promptly, and it was settled that Charles S. Mellen was to be a railroad man. A railroad man he has remained ever since, rising from an unimportant clerkship in the offices of the little country road, to the head of one of the great systems of the country, with a salary equal to that of the President of the United States.

Mr. Mellen works harder now, as president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, than he did when he was cashier's clerk in the offices of the Northern New Hampshire. He is at his office before nine in the morning and not infrequently remains until seven or eight at night. He does not observe Saturday half-holidays and is frequently at his office on other holidays when most business men are in search of enjoyment.

Don't be Afraid to Work.

One thing that keeps young men down is their fear of work. They aim to find genteel occupations, so they can dress well and not soil their clothes, and handle things with the tips of their fingers. They do not like to get their shoulders under the wheel, and they prefer to give orders to others, or figure as masters, and let some one else do the drudgery. There is no doubt that indolence and laziness are the chief obstacles to success.

When we see a boy, who has just secured a position, take hold of everything with both hands and "jump right into his work," as if he meant to succeed, we have confidence that he will prosper. But, if he stands around and asks questions, when told to do anything; if he tells you that this or that belongs to some other boy to do, for it is not his work; if he does not try to carry out his orders in the correct way; if he wants a thousand explanations when asked to run an errand and makes his employer think he could have done the whole thing himself—one feels like discharging such a boy on the spot, for he is convinced that he was not cut out for success. The boy will be cured with mediocrity or will be a failure. There is no place in this century for the lazy man. He will be pushed to the wall.—Success.

What He Spoke.

A young Philadelphian who was born and raised in the Fourth ward saved enough money to pay the expenses incidental to a European trip, and by strict economy the trip was strung out to a period of a little over six months.

As his funds had run pretty low he came home in the steerage with a lot of foreigners. The immigration agents, with their interpreters, were wide awake. The young Philadelphian is very dark, and he was mistaken for a foreigner. One of the interpreters came up to him and said, "Mocesh mouveet po Polski?" "They're trying to string me," thought the Fourth ward man. "I'll keep it up." So he shook his head. The interpreter was asking him if he could speak Polish. Then he changed to Russian, asking, "Moczesh oovoreet po Rousaki?"

Again the supposed foreigner shook his head. "Redden sie Yiddish?" asked the interpreter. This was followed by another shake of the head. Then, in order, the interpreter asked, "Parlez vous Francais?" "Sprechen sie Deutsch?" and "Parlite Italiano?" A negative shake of the head followed each query. "For heaven's sake, what language do you speak?" exclaimed the interpreter. The supposed foreigner laughed, "That's the stuff," he said, "Why didn't you ask me that first?" The interpreter nearly collapsed.—Philadelphia Record.

She Drew the Line.

There is a little girl in Detroit whose passion for the truth under all circumstances embarrassed her father very much the other day. Not long ago he lost a high salaried place in a business house because of its absorption by a trust, and in the evening denounced all persons connected with trusts as being thieves and robbers. But the trust found that it needed him, and he was soon holding his old place, in addition to a good block of stock. It was noticed that the little girl was deeply impressed with the incident and looked at her father doubtingly when he was home. One evening there was company at the house and the host became involved in a heated political debate with a peppery guest. The former made a statement which the latter flatly denied.

"Why, my dear man," laughed the host, "you don't mean to call me a liar?"

No, he don't," declared the little one, as she sprang in front of the visitor and glared at him with flaming eyes, "and I won't have it. My papa is a robber and a thief, but he is no liar!"

The explanation was soon secured from the child, and the hilarity following the expose was the joy of the evening.—Exchange.

Quincy Woman's Club.

A meeting to form a woman's club in Quincy is to be held on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 28th at half-past two, in the chapel of First church. Those who attended the first meeting and all others interested in the movement are cordially invited to be present at this meeting without further notice. The object of the club will be unity in social, literary and humanitarian work and it is hoped all sections of the city will cooperate heartily. Committees on name, constitution, officers, and on accepting Mr. Jeffery R. Brackett's offer of his homestead on Goffe street for a club house, will report at Tuesday's meeting. As notices will not be sent out the committee hope every woman interested will note the date and plan to be present.

Universalist Church.

The evening services which have been held in the Universalist church on Washington Street, for the past six Sunday evenings, have been very successful and because of the continued interest that is being shown in them, the Parish committee have decided to continue them for six more Sunday evenings.

The ministers who have been preaching at these services have proven to be helpful and inspiring. Their sermons were strong and vigorous, and those who were fortunate enough to hear them, felt well repaid for any sacrifice which they were obliged to make in order to attend these services.

The list of speakers for the new series of services has not been fully made out as yet, but we can assure the public that it will be made up of men who have established their reputation as ministers, by years of faithful service in the work of the Christian Ministry, in the Universalist church.

Evangelist Dawson.

This eminent English clergyman, who comes to America at the invitation of the National Congregational Council to assist in the awakening of interest in evangelistic work in our churches, commenced his labors in Pittsfield about ten days ago, and has since been Worcester, Lynn, Montpelier, Bangor, Portland, and other cities, in each of which there has been manifested a very deep interest to hear him, resulting in every service being attended by the leading pastors and laymen of not only the Congregational but many other churches.

Mr. Dawson will preach at Bethany Congregational church on Wednesday evening, March 1st at half past seven.

Celtic Holiday.

The Celtic Holiday to be given Saturday afternoon and evening, March fourth, at Copley hall, Boston, under the auspices of the New England Woman's Press association, is attracting widespread attention on account of its novelty, and the patronage of the public is assured. There is to be an Irish inn, in charge of Mrs. Marion MacBride, a Dublin drawing room, a Galway cabin, besides other features. Miss Floretta Vining is to preside over an apple stand. In the evening two Irish plays, 'The Saxon Shillin' and The Poorhouse are to be given with a fine cast. Between times there will be a Galway fair with dancing on the green, celtic songs and other features typical of this happy people.

Myra Kelly's Monologues.

A special car for Livermore hall will leave the junction of Elm and Hancock streets at 7.20, stopping in the Square at 7.30. It will be at Livermore hall, Quincy Mansion school, Wollaston, at the close of the entertainment. Miss Myra Kelly's monologues will be followed by a reception, and all who wish to meet Miss Kelly will have an opportunity to do so. The ushers will be Geo. B. Dewson, Cecil Butler, Edward Morse, Eliot W. Remick, C. H. Hardwick.

The patronesses for the Myra Kelly monologues are: Mrs. Dexter E. Wadsworth, Mrs. Joseph C. Morse, Mrs. Geo. E. Pfaffmann, Mrs. E. H. Angier, Mrs. W. R. Bateman, Mrs. H. Lawton, Mrs. E. C. Bumpus, Mrs. Theo. King, Mrs. Harry Rice, Mrs. Walter E. Burke, Miss Putnam, Mrs. Dr. Hunting, Mrs. William E. Gardner, Mrs. Paul R. Blackmur, Mrs. J. M. Sheahan, Mrs. John F. Welch, Mrs. Frederick Smith, Mrs. Edwin E. Davis, Mrs. Drinker, Mrs. George Morton, Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick, Mrs. John L. Gove, Mrs. Luther Glover, Mrs. George Brown, Miss Katherine Freeman, Miss Amelia Bumpus.

Those of Wollaston are: Mrs. Carleton P. Mills, Mrs. John Downes, Mrs. R. R. Freeman, Mrs. C. M. Bryant, Mrs. Sibley.

J. W. Nightingale of this city and J. F. Nightingale of Easton, Pa., were passengers on the S. S. Siberia from New York to Jamaica, Feb. 4. The Gleaner reports the arrival at Kingston and also tells of the Siberia going to the aid of the schooner Ida C. Southward in distress which was drifting with masts all gone and helpless. Only one sailor would leave the vessel, however. Jamaica merchants believe in advertising, as 93 columns of the Daily Gleaner out of 112 are filled with advertising.

—The news from Washington is that the conferrees on army appropriation bill have perfected an agreement which covers all points of difference. The effect of the agreement as to General Miles is to give him his full retired pay, without reference to any compensation he may receive for service on the staff of the Governor of Massachusetts.

—Somerville is unique and progressive as a city. Every year late in the winter a banquet called the Somerville banquet, is held at a Boston hotel which all citizens interested in the welfare of the city attend and talk over city affairs. As the Somerville Journal says very truly, "it is a great opportunity to 'whoop it up' for Somerville." A little such enthusiasm might be a good thing for Quincy.

Without a dollar being added or substracted, the river and harbor appropriation bill passed the house on Thursday, after the session had passed well into the evening. The total amount carried by the bill is $17,234,657.

—Johann Hoch was held by the grand jury of Chicago on Thursday. They find that he administered poison to one of his wives.

—The President on Thursday issued a proclamation, convening the Senate in special session at 12 o'clock noon on March 4 next, to "receive such communications as may be made by the executive."

CITY BRIEFS.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Patch are at Southern Pines for a few weeks.

Arthur Thomas is confined to his home on Granite street a victim of tonsilitis.

Mrs. E. C. Butler has been quite ill at her home on Whitney road, a sufferer with the grip.

Miss Molly Dewson of Adams street is at the Bermuda Islands with friends for a few weeks.

It was the last day of February last year when the Mayor's estimates were forwarded to the City Council.

The Charles H. Burgess real estate agency, has rented the Sears place on Elm street to Mr. C. A. Newtowne.

In the billiard tournament at the Granite City club Saturday night, A. R. Shedd beat W. W. Mitchell 125 to 93.

Miss Jessie Gardner, who has been ill, at her home with slow fever for about ten weeks, is able to be out again.

Miss Eva Marden of Coddington street has gone to Fall River and will be entertained by relatives for several weeks.

Miss Etta Brown of Washington street has gone to Roslindale and will be the guest of her aunt the remainder of the winter.

Miss Minnie Hardwick of Revere road, who has been quite ill the past two weeks with bronchial pneumonia, is slowly improving.

Timothy Cashman is quite ill at his home on Washington street, having been taken very suddenly while caring for his horses a few nights ago.

Sunday was one of the coldest days of the season. At sunrise the mercury was near the zero mark, and did not get much above 20 during the day.

Mrs. William Cunningham and daughter Pearl, of Roxbury, have been guests of her sister Mrs. W. M. Marden, of Coddington street, the past few days.

Mrs. Peter Carlin, who underwent an operation at the City Hospital a few weeks ago, is slowly improving and has been moved to her home on Cranch street.

Mrs. J. Frank Faxon of Adams street has returned from Washington, D. C., where she has been the guest for several weeks of her daughter, Mrs. Warren Green Ogden.

Mrs. Samuel Edwards celebrated her ninety-first birthday on Feb. 15th informally at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hathaway of Orchard place. For one of her age, she is enjoying good health and is remarkably smart.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Bethany church voted unanimously on Sunday to petition the Legislature not to extend the time for the sale of liquor in Boston hotels, and in favor of the bill for a better observance of the Sabbath.

Miss Helen Rhines of Miller Stile road was one of the assistants at the freshmen's table at the "Klatsch Collegium," the great social event of the students of Boston University. The class color green and white were conspicuous.

A divorce was granted at the Norfolk Superior court last week to Eva M. Busteed of Quincy who charged Bertram E. Busteed of Boston with desertion. Petitioner was granted permission to resume her maiden name, Eva M. Brown.

A horse of C. Theodore Hardwick started from the quarry shortly after nine o'clock on Saturday, and there was no mishap until he reached home on Chestnut street. Then the sleigh was overturned and smashed and the harness broken.

Much interest is being shown by Quincy people in the monologues to be given by Miss Myra Kelley at the Quincy Mansion school on Monday evening. Miss Kelly comes from New York and is a favorite authoress, her books being widely read.

The alarm from Box 28 at 8.49 A. M. Monday called the apparatus from the Central, Quincy Point and Wollaston stations to a fire in the chimney of the house of Col. Charles H. Porter, at the junction of Hancock and Adams streets. The fire was extinguished with a chemical stream without the use of water.

The delegates from Camp Boyd to the sixth annual encampment of the Legion of Spanish War Veterans at Lynn Tuesday and Wednesday were: Commander George A. Wardwell; Adjutant Henry J. Matthews, Senior Vice Commander Patrick J. Sheehan and Joseph F. Dougherty.

Charles McLaughlin, while repairing the roof of his house on Field street a few days ago, had the misfortune to fall to the ground, a distance of about twenty feet, breaking several ribs and being otherwise injured. Under the circumstances, he is as comfortable as can be expected, for one of his age.

Between 80 and 90 per cent. of the Republican members of the National House, and fully that proportion of the Democratic members, have signed the petition to the committee on rules asking for a rule fixing a day for the consideration of the omnibus public building bill which includes the $80,000 appropriation for a post office building at Quincy by the House.

The grand fair under the auspices of Camp Boyd, L. S. W. V., came to a successful end Saturday night. There was an unusually large crowd present and those in charge of the several tables report about everything sold. There was a pleasing entertainment and all of the articles sold on books were awarded. It is impossible to tell just how much was netted by the fair but it will be a good sum.

A royal good time and dinner at Mieusset's was given Thursday, Feb. 16 to the racing crew of the yacht "Marvel," by Capt. Ira M. Whittemore, the newly elected treasurer of the Quincy Yacht Club. The "Marvel" won the championship at the home club last year and took prizes in all the outstanding races she entered, winning first prize from a class of 33 starters in the M. Y. R. A. run from Hull to Marblehead last July. The boys are already figuring how to get "the gun" in the races this year.

The regular monthly meeting and class party of the senior class of Woodward Institute was held in the music room at Woodward, February 17th, from 3 to 6. It was in the form of a Colonial party, most of the members being dressed in colonial costume. In the receiving party were: Helen King, as George Washington; Stella Barker as Martha Washington, and Emma Hayden as little Dorothy. Favors of hatchets and hand-painted valentines with limericks about each girl and teacher were given. Refreshments were served. The entertainment committee were: Stella Barker, Margaret Carey, Helen Curtan, Abbie Duane and Lucy Barry. Refreshment committee were: Grace Elcock, Emma Hayden, Cora Harding, Alice Harkins and May Gavin.

Rural Lodge will give a Masonic social in Quincy Music hall Wednesday evening, March 29.

Miss Ethel Bradley of Gloucester is a guest for a few days of Miss Alice Keith Prescott of Spear street.

Many flags were flying in Quincy on Washington's Birthday, and the church bells were rung at sunrise, noon and sunset.

The Committee on Finance of the City Council held a late session Thursday evening considering the Mayor's budget.

Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Sanborn and Mrs. E. C. Butler were among those attending the U. E. Association Alliance at the Leeds church, Boston, last week.

Quincy may get another contract for a battleship, but it is doubtful if it gets river improvements or a post office building this year.

There will be a directors meeting of the Builders' and Traders' Association on Saturday evening at their rooms in the Adams building.

The last but one of the series of afternoon whist parties at the Cochato club, Braintree, will be held on Tuesday the twenty-eighth, at half-past two.

Thomas L. Hayes of Charleston, who was recently a guest of Camp Boyd, was on Wednesday elected commander-in-chief of the Legion of Spanish War Veterans.

Dr. A. B. Packard, the dentist, is now pleasantly located in the Johnson building in City Square. Since opening an office in Quincy he has been very successful.

There was a large crowd present at the Coliseum Wednesday at the dance given under the auspices of the Neponset Outing club. Dancing was enjoyed 2 to 11 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Price, who have been staying with Mr. J. Frank Faxon during the absence of Mrs. Faxon in Washington, have returned to their home on Presidents hill.

A theatre party that included several of the Massachusetts Fields school teachers, enjoyed the performance of "The Winter's Tale," at the Hollis Street theatre Thursday evening.

Miss Emily C. Wild, on Feb. 17, before the St. Margaret guild, gave a talk on the life of the Madonna. It was illustrated by stereopticon views of pictures which Miss Wild had seen during her trip abroad.

At the billiard tournament at the Granite City club on Wednesday F. E. Badger beat John W. Walsh, 100 to 44; A. R. Shedd beat James H. Lalley 125 to 56, and Frank W. White beat J. A. Claflin, 125 to 116.

Large delegations of Quincy children chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Packard attended the annual Washington's Birthday entertainment of the Barnard Memorial in Mechanics hall, Boston.

Dramatic evening of the Manet club which was postponed in January will be held on Thursday evening of next week, when "Mr. Bob" will be given with a local cast. The event is looked forward to with pleasant anticipations by club members and friends.

The teachers and pupils of the high school at Millbury, where John O. Hall, Jr., is principal, have bought two new flags for the use of the school. The large one, 15 by 8 feet, will be displayed on the flagstaff, and the small one, 2 by 3 feet, is for the main hall.

The East Braintree fire department were called out Tuesday evening for a fire at the home of Joseph G. Spear, Hayward street, formerly of Quincy. The fire caught in the wood sheathing behind the kitchen stove but was extinguished before much damage was done.

Friends of Mrs. John Shaw will be pleased to learn that she is has far recovered as to undertake a trip to Florida starting last Tuesday accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Wise of Roslindale, with the Raymond and Whitcomb party, to be gone until about the middle of April.

Probation Officer Francis A. Spear had quite a serious fall Tuesday afternoon while coming out of the Court House. He was crossing the sidewalk in front of the building when one of his crutches broke and he fell heavily to the ground. He struck on his hip, which was severely bruised.

Dr. Howard Manning North only son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. North of Brookline, formerly of Quincy, was married on February fifteenth to Miss Miss Ethel L. Gwyer, at the Chester Hill M. E. church, Mt. Vernon, New York. A large reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents.

The last entertainment in the First Church Social club course, will be on Friday evening, March third in the chapel. It will be a vaudeville and some specially good features are being prepared by Mrs. George Saville and Mr. Emery L. Crane. The course closes for this season on March seventeenth with a dance at Faxon hall.

A club corner will probably be a feature of this paper at some future date as the proposed woman's club of some three hundred members and the various smaller clubs will have and do much that will make interesting reading. It is understood that the new club will not be purely social or educational but will interest its members in social, literary and humanitarian work in its broadest sense.

A meeting of the Quincy Branch Alliance will be held Monday, February 27th, at three o'clock in the chapel of First church. Rev. G. D. Latimer of Salem will speak on "The Russian Church." This is a subject of especial interest at the present time and those who have previously heard Mr. Latimer are anticipating a scholarly presentation of the topic. All women are invited to attend these meetings.

There was a large attendance at the Swedish Lutheran church Wednesday evening at the Washington's Birthday anniversary observance held under the auspices of the Young People's society connected with the church. During the first part of the evening there was a pleasing entertainment, consisting of readings and dialogues by the young people and singing by the choir. The pastor, Rev. John A. Bernhard, gave a short talk on Washington. Refreshments were served after the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stetson after a brief stay in Augusta have gone to Summerville, S. C., where they are to spend a few weeks at the Pine Forest Inn. It was here that Mr. and Mrs. Stetson passed several weeks last season most delightfully so that now it seems like getting home again, especially as they are a party of five, being joined en route by friends from Wilmington, Del. Mrs. Stetson writes home that the weather is unusually cold for the south averaging between seventy and eighty, but they find it comfortable and very enjoyable after the cold snowy weather experienced in Quincy before they left.

The Fragment Society will hold another all day meeting next Wednesday—10 to 3—with a box lunch at noon.

Rev. E. C. Butler will give the charge to the pastor at the installation of Rev. F. W. Pratt at Hopedale on Feb. 28.

Miss Susie G. Knowles of Orleans, a sister of the late Mrs. Edward H. Austin, passed away Thursday after a lingering illness, just a week after her sister.

Mrs. John F. Welch, although still quite lame and bruised from her accident while sleighing, is getting about again among her friends, who are pleased that the accident did not have more serious results.

The brown tail moths have made their appearance in Quincy, several of their webs or nests having been found by Supt. Nicol of Mt. Wollaston cemetery. Now is the time to destroy these nests that Quincy trees may not suffer as they have in places north of Boston.

Miss Ethel T. Babcock of Presidents hill was a guest Thursday afternoon at the reception given by Miss Ethel Blanchard, the minature painter, at her studio in the Grundmann studios, in honor of Miss Pyle of Philadelphia, a sister of Howard Pile, illustrator and author.

Miss Julia E. Underwood, who has taught at the Coddington school nearly fifty years, is in the hands of her friends, having withdrawn her objections to being a candidate in the Herald contest. Please send in votes promptly to Frank F. Prescott, that we may give her a good start.

The senior class of the Woodward Institute was given a reception at Woodward hall, Tuesday evening by the Junior class. The affair was very largely attended. Miss Helen Claflin and Miss Grace Burke, teachers, and Miss Marguerite Davis and Helen Horton, members of the Junior class comprised the receiving party. Members of the Junior class ushered and served frappe. Dancing was enjoyed until 10.30

SOUTH QUINCY.

Illness from rheumatism is preventing John D. Williams of Quincy street from attending to his duties as letter carrier.

Mr. and Mrs. Calicte Rogers, of 329 Water street, observed their golden wedding Feb. 13. There were present eight sons and daughters, 45 grandchildren and one great grand-child, and friends from distant cities as well as Quincy. They received many gifts including $70 in gold.

Chief of Police Burrell has detailed Officer Bishop to the plains beat in place of Officer Stewart. The change went into effect on Saturday night.

The funeral of J. Wellington Field, who was killed Saturday by being run over by his stone team, was held Tuesday afternoon from the home of his father on Independance avenue. The services were conducted by Rev. Ellery C. Butler, pastor of the First church. The burial was at Mt. Wollaston cemetery.

Frank L. Carlton has been appointed to a position in the water department as general utility man.

Mr. James Michael of Wise, North Carolina, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. William Michael of 126 School street, the past week.

Railroad Conference.

The special committee on railroads of the City Council accompanied by City Solicitor Thomas held a conference with the officials of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad on Tuesday. Those present at the conference which lasted from 3.30 until 7.30 were Councilman Stone, Hughes and Gassett, City Solicitor Thomas and ex-Solicitor Blackmur.

The conference was held with Mr. Burns, secretary to President Mellen. Other officials present were Supt. Taylor, Mr. Martin and Mr. Hall. The recommendations which were decided upon at the meeting of the committee were ably presented by City Solicitor Thomas.

The list of improvements desired were not confined alone to the Quincy station. They included every railroad station in the city. The meeting was a very pleasant one and more trains and better service will undoubtedly be enjoyed by the citizens in the near future as a result of this meeting.

The matter of placing gates a the grade crossing at Saville street was taken up at this meeting. This is undoubtedly the most dangerous grade crossing in Quincy, and the committee cannot be too emphatic in asking that gates be placed there, that the lives of the people who are obliged to use this crossing may be protected.

This grade crossing will undoubtedly be abolished as soon as a change can be brought about, but in the meantime gates should be put in. Mr. Burns promised the committee that he will give this matter his personal attention, and will look over the ground immediately.

Should be United on One.

For Quincy to be successful in the new Boston Herald contest, started Monday, it will be necessary for the whole city to unite promptly on one school and one teacher, and to enter but one division either High or Grammar. As Boston, Cambridge, Somerville and other cities in the greater Boston district have larger High schools and alumni, it will probably be better for Quincy to enter its candidates in the Grammar school list.

One of the oldest schools in the "City of Presidents" is the Coddington, and it has a teacher whom all the city honors. One who on April 1 of this year completes fifty years of very faithful and successful service. In 1895 Quincy observed the completion of forty years of teaching at the Coddington school by Miss Julia E. Underwood, and presented her with $40 in gold.

This year there should be a grander testimonial and the Quincy Patriot would suggest that her name be entered as the sole Quincy representative in the Herald contest, and that she be sent to the World's Fair at Portland, Oregon, during the school vacation next summer.

Junior Society Installation.

The new officers of the John Adams chapter, of the Junior society of the Sons and Daughters of the Revolution, were installed on Saturday at a meeting held with Miss Louise Burleigh at Braintree. The president is Miss Edith Littlefield; vice presidents Miss Loie Monk and Carl Prescott; secretary, Miss Louise Burleigh; treasurer, Miss Helen Lincoln; historian, Ralph Merritt; entertainment committee, George Proctor, Miss Avah Gilson, Miss Grace Spear, Miss Irma Tilton Carlton Beal and Albert Stearns. There has been quite an increase in membership of late, and plans are being made for several good times. This society was the first in the State to adopt a constitution.

WOLLASTON.

Miss Dorothy Fay who has been quite ill for the last three weeks, is improving rapidly and hopes to be out again very soon.

Chandler W. Smith of Wollaston has been on a business trip to Philadelphia this week. While away he made a visit to his son, Mr. C. Nelson Smith of New Rochelle, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Sanders of Wollaston, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Frances W. Sanders, to Paul E. Brodbeck of Dedham.

Anna Ellis Dexter, soprano, at the Congregational church, Monday evening.

Good coasting on Highland avenue.

James D. Kent of South Central avenue, Wollaston, upon returning home from Northampton on Saturday found all the water pipes in his house had frozen and burst. No serious water damage was done however.

The young people of Wollaston will hold another dance at Wollaston hall this evening.

The Mission Band of the Wollaston Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Murray, Newport avenue, this afternoon at 2.30.

John D. Malcolm of Wollaston who left here Feb. 8, for Prince Edwards Island, cables his arrival at Cape Traverse on the 15th. This is a trip made under favorable conditions in 24 hours. Those that do not care to experience a trip to the north pole can get a rich experience by taking a trip to Prince Edward island in winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Badger left town Tuesday for an extended southern trip.

The meeting of the Wollaston Unity club to have been held this week has been postponed until further notice. The next regular meeting will be held the first Friday in March.

Tuesday afternoon at 2.30, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., a mothers' meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. F. R. Mills, 192 Arlington street. Speaker, Mrs. Clara L. Morrill of Highlandville. Subject, "Loyal Temperance Legion Work."

Anna Eichhorn, violinist, at the Congregational church, Monday evening.

The next regular meeting of the Wollaston Ladies' Aid Alliance will be held in the Unitarian vestry Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. An address will be given by the Rev. George W. Cutter of Neponset, on "Life in the slums of a great city, by a medical missionary." All interested are cordially invited.

A Social Gathering.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the United Presbyterian church gave a social to the members and adherents of the church at the home of the pastor, Rev. W. B. Barr, 21 Franklin street, Tuesday evening.

There was a large gathering present and all had a very enjoyable time.

The games were directed by the amusement committee, consisting of Mrs. John A. Campbell, Miss Katie McDonald and Mr. Murdock McKinnon. They had arranged an art gallery which afforded fun for all present.

Music was furnished by Miss Anna Jacobsen, the organist of the church, and Miss Katie Patterson.

Misses Cassie McLeod, Mamie McKay, Harriet Murray and Mr. William Campbell, the social committee, served refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee.

Mr. Alexander Ross, the president of the society deserves much credit for the success of the evening's entertainment.

American Benefit Society.

Wollaston Lodge, No. 174, American Benefit Society, held their regular meeting in Brasee's hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 21st, with a good attendance. Ten applications for membership were received, eight candidates elected for membership and five were initiated.

By invitation of Deputy John V. Carter of Loyal Lodge No. 96 of Brockton, who is working in the interest of the society in this place, the lodge voted to make a visit to Loyal Lodge Tuesday evening, Feb. 28th. Mr. Carter complimented the officers on the manner in which they performed the initiatory service.

For "the good of the order," sisters Lida Waterhouse and Cora Merrill gave fine recitations and Brother Carter rendered character sketches; all of which being heartily applauded. Dr. E. R. Johnson favored the lodge with a brief speech.

Arrangements are being made for a good program for the next meeting. Cake and hot coffee were served at the close of the meeting.

Parish Party.

A very pretty parish party and sale was given in Christ church parish house on Thursday evening under the direction of Miss Hannah O. Litchfield. The entertainment included:

Piano solo,—by Miss Nellie Drummond.

Flag song and drill,—by Edna Wright Mildred Robertson, Lizzie Ross, Grace Brownrigg, Bessie Langhorne, Phyllis Smith and Mabel Gardner.

Mandolin selections,—by Allen Daw.

Violin selection,—by Master Willie Pratt.

Trio,—by Victor Malcolm, Matthew Nicoll and Robert Mitchell.

Mandolin selection,—Jack Hallowell.

Trio,—by V. Malcolm, M. Nicoll and R. Mitchell.

Dance,—Matthew Nicoll.

Duet,—Miss Flossie Flowers and Miss Hannah Litchfield.

Solo,—Miss Jessie Fowler.

After the entertainment a candy and ice cream sale netted over twenty dollars. The evening closed with dancing.

Hiram Shackley.

Jonas Shackley of West Quincy has received the sad intelligence of the death of his brother Hiram of Kansas City, under mysterious circumstances. The Kansas City hospital employes were unable to tell much concerning his death, except that he was brought in there by the police officers, in an unconscious condition. He regained consciousness long enough to say to the nurse that if he died his brother, Daniel, should be notified at Decatur, Ind. After this he lapsed into unconsciousness and died, the date being Feb. 3.

There was a great cut which seemed to crush the right side of the skull, and his body bore marks of the greatest violence, as if he had been struck, kicked or pounded with some blunt instrument, and his arms were all scarred, indicating that he had attempted to defend himself in the murderous assault which must have been made upon him.

The victim was born in York county, Maine, and was 67 years old. He was one of ten sons and daughters. The body was taken to Decatur Ind., where a brother resides.

The next regular meeting of the School Committee will be held in their rooms Tuesday evening, February 28, at eight o'clock.

QUINCY POINT AND NECK.

The Fore River lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U., have voted to move their lodge room and headquarters from Weymouth Landing to this city.

Miss Gertrude Foster of Beacon street is suffering from the grip.

Miss Sara Bennett of Boston visited Quincy friends on Sunday.

C. W. Carter left for Maine, Monday morning on a week's business trip.

H. W. Merrill of East Howard street, spent Sunday with friends in Wollaston.

A number of young men tried to walk up Weymouth Fore river Sunday. One of them, however found that the ice was thin in places. By the aid of his companions, he escaped with a wet foot.

Miss Nan Carter has been obliged to give up her kindergarten work in order to pursue more closely a course of study at home.

Carroll Jones of Boston visited his sister, Mrs. H. B. Seller of Edwards street, on Sunday.

Quite a few men were fishing through the ice on Weymouth Fore river for smelt on Sunday.

Miss Ella M. Freeman is in New York visiting relatives and friends.

At the session of probate court held last week Eliza A. Newcomb was appointed executrix of the will of Thaddeus H. Newcomb late of Quincy; bond $10,000. William C. Baker executor of the will of Emma F. late of Quincy; bond $4,000.

A Boston daily reports that official papers received at the office of the commandant of the Charlestown Navy Yard, Feb. 17, from the Navy Department at Washington, announced that George Warde of Quincy has been chosen to fill the vacancy caused by the death recently of Major Roberts. The appointment is the result of the recommendation made by the examining board. The position is one of the best paying ones open to civilians at the local yard. Mr. Warde has been in the employ of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company as a foreman in the metal workers' division.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Ella M. Crafts were held from her late residence on Chubbuck street, Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Mrs. Crafts was the wife of Israel F. Crafts and formerly resided in Charlestown.

At the Fore River Shipyard Monday morning Antonius Servellius had his right leg broken by a steel plate falling upon him while at work on the battleship New Jersey. He was moved to the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, on the 11.13 train. Considerable difficulty was experienced in getting the man aboard, as no baggage car was attached to the train. The stretcher was taken aboard the last passenger car and placed across the top of the seats. Many passengers were shy about taking seats near by, as they thought it was a corpse. Servellius resides on South Walnut street, this city.

Mrs. Sears has opened a restaurant on East Howard street, opposite the Fore River gate.

George Hayden is home from Newport, and is visiting his parents on Howard avenue.

W. C. Fish, the new member on the board of directors of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, is general manager of the General Electric works at Lynn.

WEST QUINCY.

At basket ball Saturday evening the St. Marys defeated the Holy Name club of South Boston 30 to 18, and the second team of St. Marys won from the Somervilles 31 to 10.

Mrs. Charles Rasler of 60 West street opened her house Monday evening to the Monday Night whist club. The front and back parlor were filled to the limit with tables. Henry Pineo of automobile fame captured first prize. Marshmallows and crisp corn proved a very acceptable treat following playing.

Mr. and Mrs. James Francis Little, Russell, who were married late in January, are at home to their friends after March first, at 130 Summer street, Everett.

A pung loaded with stone got stuck on the car track at Brewers corner Thursday afternoon, delaying car travel somewhat.

DOWNS AND PARK.

The Wollaston Park Scientific Association, a society, of young men, held an anniversary meeting, Saturday at the home of Harold M. Gore, Phillips street. The boys met at one o'clock and played games until five, when, after refreshments were served the party dispersed.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton H. Baker, nee Seaman, will receive their friends after March first at their home 105 Elmwood avenue, Wollaston Park.

Mrs. Daggett of Kemper street is seriously ill with asthma and bronchitis.

Malta Degree.

The first steps toward the institution of a Commandery of the Ancient and Illustrious Order of the Knights of Malta were taken Thursday night at Greenleaf hall in the presence of a large gathering of sir knights in addition to the fifty who will become the charter members of John Adams Commandery, by which title the local commandery will be known.

The ceremonies Thursday evening were conducted by Sir Theodore H. Vedeto, grand commander of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, and full suite of grand officers. They were witnessed by Supreme Commander Sir W. E. Higgins.

There are twelve degrees in the order but only one was worked at this meeting. This was the Malta degree, which was worked by the Red Cross degree team of Cambridge. After the work of the evening a banquet was served.

The second or Black degree will be worked next Tuesday evening by Gethsemane degree team of Everett.

On Thursday evening, March 9, there will be a public institution of the commandery and installation of officers.

At some later date, not yet fixed upon, there will be an exemplification of the next nine degrees by Past Supreme Commander Sir John W. Hicks, and the Red Cross and Sepulchre degree will be worked in full and elaborate ceremony by the Red Cross degree team of the Grand Commandery.

The Knigths of Malta claim to have been founded in Jerusalem in the year 1048, and in America in 1889. There were last year 27,000 members. The supreme officers are Pennsylvania men.

On Tuesday evening, February fourteenth, at Auburn, New York, were united in marriage Miss Annie A. Hickok, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hikok of that city, and Mr. Rob-Elliott Hall, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Hall, formerly of Quincy. After a wedding trip to New York City, Worcester and Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Hall are to spend a month at Auburn before leaving for their future home. Quincy friends are extending congratulations.

Are you saving your Herald coupons for Miss Underwood?

ATLANTIC.

Miss Marion Carver of Billings street is ill and has been confined to the house for some time.

Miss Carrie Sherman of Henry street is on the recovering list from a severe attack of the grip.

Quincy Council, Knights of Columbus, attended memorial mass in a body at the Sacred Heart church, Wednesday morning. Mass for deceased members was celebrated by the council chaplain, Rev. J. P. Cuff. The mass was sung by the choir of Quincy council. The De Profundis was sung by James A. Carey and D. J. Seward McCurdy sang Pie a Jesu.

Mr. Harry Hinkley, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hinkley of Billings street, has gone west on a ranch for an indefinite stay. He is delightfully situated and his future looks as if it were directly in the line of fortune's smiles.

Miss Lulu Kobb of Clive street spent Tuesday night and Wednesday in Lawrence, as a guest of her sister Mrs. Donna Caswell.

Rev. Jason F. Miller of the Atlantic Memorial church will exchange with Rev. E. N. Hardy of Bethany church Sunday evening.

Minstrel Show.

St. Mary's hall was not near large enough Tuesday evening to accommodate those who desired to attend the first minstrel show given by the members of the Copeland club. An energetic committee had labored hard to make the affair a success and neither time nor money was spared.

The gentlemen who composed the circle in the first part were arrayed in gorgeous costumes and were good to look upon and included some of West Quincy's best vocalists who were augmented by a chorus of forty voices. The show was given under the auspices of John A. McGowan, and the pianist was Russell Badger.

Councilman Joseph Flaherty was the interlocutor, James Daly, John Joyce and George Herbert rattled the bones, and Andrew Dinegan, Fred McDonald and George Ripley the tambos. The songs and local hits of the end men were a feature of the evening that was greatly enjoyed.

The chorus included William A. Farrell, Albert F. Martell, Lawrence D. Duncan, John F. Schatzel, Alphonse E. LeClair, Charles A. Martell, Napoleon J. Lorandeau, John J. Barry, E. J. B. Desmond, Cyril P. Morrissettee, George A. Berry, James F. Ogle, Bernard Hoffman, Joseph A. Morrissett, Thomas Barry, Wesley A. Beaulieu, Luther W. Nason, John Buckley, Joseph W. Youngworth, John Eagan, Joseph E. Belanger, Edward Berry, Bernard Riley Emanuel Perry, Jr., Walter K. Pendis, Alfred Bullock, Edward McCall, T. Willard Burke, Joseph B. Dunn, James P. Sullivan.

Part two consisted of banjo solos by Charles Barron, coon songs by Eben Johnson, vocal selections by Miss Nannie Martyn, original sketch by Andrew Dinegan and Fred McDonald.

The entertainment closed with a sketch, entitled "Trials of Married Life," by Joseph Daly, Miss Beatrice Joyce, John J. Joyce and Miss Cassie McDonald.

After the show there was a social dance.

District School.

Those who took part in the "District School of Bluberry Corner" at Bethany chapel on Wednesday evening, evidently enjoyed themselves and so did the large audience. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Dorcas society.

Scene one was a meeting of the school committee composed of Cady Davis as chairman, John Finlay and Joseph Griffiths. In answer to an advertisement in the Daily Ledger four applicants presented themselves for the position of teacher, viz.: Hazel Mowry, Edna Wood, Isabel Mitchell and Harry Bates. After a rigid examination Mr. Bates was selected.

Scene two was the school at which the pupils were Harry Holton, Nina Bates, Ella Packard, Charles Parker, Henry Taylor, Mildred Rogers, Hazel Mowry, Dula Miller, Helen Kingman, Benjamin Baltzer, Robert Mitchell, Robert Pratt, Margaret Laing, May Lovejoy, Wesley Beckford, Alden Blanchard and Carl Prescott.

Scene three was "Parents' day." Among the visitors were Isabelle Mitchell and Lottie Kingman, the latter accompanied by a child. The chairman of the School committee made an address.

The pupils were seated at benches as at the country schools in Wayback, and the rod and the dunce stools were in use. The children ate lunches in school and cut up pranks.

Between the scenes Miss Minnie Packard contributed solos, and at the close there was a candy sale.

Elks Organized.

A lodge of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks was instituted Thursday evening at Colonial hall. The new lodge, which will be known as Quincy lodge, starts off with a charter membership of twenty-seven and promises to grow rapidly.

The officers of Quincy lodge installed were as follows:

Exalted Ruler,—Frederick W. Tirrell.

Esteemed Leading Knight,—Daniel J. Deasy.

Esteemed Loyal Knight,—William R. Thomas.

Esteemed Lecturing Knight,—Edward J. Murphy.

Secretary,—E. W. Courtney.

Treasurer,—Benjamin Johnson.

Tyler,—Elmer E. Paine.

Trustees,—Perley R. Glass for three years, William T. Shea for two years, and Henry E. Emerson for one year.

Esquire,—Frank N. Benson.

Inner Guard,—Albert A. Murphy.

Chaplain,— James A. White.

Organist,—Harry W. Tirrell.

After the business of the evening a banquet was served and there was an entertainment consisting of vocal and instrumental music and speeches by the grand officers present.

An "S" Supper.

At Bethany chapel Thursday evening the Ladies' circle gave an "S" supper from 6.30 to 7.30, followed by a social with an impromptu entertainment of vocal and instrumental music. Seven Sedate Sisters Served the Supper, and "Ss" were conspicuous in the menu which follows. It Surprised Some how Such a Supper could be Served for Seventeen cents. Surely it was Sumptuous and Satisfying.

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MILTON.

The Milton High School Athletic Association has been admitted to the Eastern Massachusetts Interscholastic league and will enter the base ball contest.

The warrant for the annual town meeting was posted this week. It contains 54 articles. The larger part of the articles are to see what sums the town will appropriate for schools, streets, fire and police departments, etc. To complete Capen street, Brook road; to repeal the act relative to town ways; to appropriate $4000 to build two portable buildings to use in connection with the Glover school; to connect the fire stations with the sewer; to extend the water mains; to accept Chapter 103 of Revised Laws with reference to supervision of plumbing; to transfer land now used as a gravel pit to the park commissioners for a play ground; to appropriate $10,000 for extending the sewer system; to appropriate $1800 for the purchase of a combination chemical and hose wagon for East Milton, and to see what action will be taken relative to application of the proceeds of sewer assessments now in the hands of the treasurer, or that may be received; to meet appropriations for sewer construction and paying for bonds issued for sewer construction.

The last lecture in the course at the East Congregational church was given Tuesday evening by Col. Anderson, whose subject was "Public people whom I have met."

Patriotic exercises were held in the public schools Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. H. Bearse is attending the session of the National Dressmakers' association in Boston this week.

Dr. McIntosh gave a graphophone concert at the Thursday Evening club this week.

The alarm from Box 315 at 5.45 Monday afternoon was for a fire in a small building on Hillside street used by the Metropolitan Park Commissioners.

The Festines whist club will hold a gentlemen's night next Monday at the residence of Mrs. John Hennigan.

Huntington Wolcott, W. R. C., hold a whist party and dance at the Town hall March 3.

The magic mirror and living flag will be presented at the East Congregational church Saturday evening.

The whist club will meet next Tuesday evening with Charles H. Bearse on Brackett street.

Holiday Fair.

The annual fair of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Washington Street Congregational church opened Tuesday evening. The vestry was more elaborately decorated this year than ever before. The national colors were festooned over the walls and around the booths. Thanks are due Gilbert Damon who had the decorating in charge. The entertainment Tuesday evening was a farce, entitled "A Love of a Bonnet." The characters were:

Mrs. Clipper, a widow	Helen Lincoln
Kitty, her daughter	Esther Sidelinger
Aunt Jemima Hopkins, a little inquisitive	Marion Johnson
Mrs. Hortensia Fastone, very genteel	Eleanor Crane
Dora, her daughter	Christie Moody
Kitty Doolan, Irish help	Winnifred Baker

It was under direction of Mrs. T. B. Pollard. Julian Merchant and Mildred Newcomb contributed vocal numbers.

About the vestry were arranged tables for the sale of useful and fancy articles, housekeepers' supplies, cake and aprons. The tables were in charge of the following ladies:

Flower,—Miss Nan Carter.

Fancy,—Mrs. C. W. Newcomb, Mrs. M. E. Wight, Mrs. G. P. Eaton, Mrs. G. K. Carter.

Apron,—Mrs. S. Hayden, Mrs. Charles Damon, Mrs. Charles Sherburne, Mrs. George Sidelinger.

Housekeepers,—Mrs. Pollard, Mrs. R. H. Newcomb and Mrs. R. Clegg.

Mystery table,—Mrs. Pollard's Sunday school class.

Punch,—Miss Lapham and Miss Grace M. Lapham.

Candy,—Mrs. Stone, Mrs. Bailey, Miss Jones, Miss Bonney.

Cake,—Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Louisa Chubbuck, Mrs. T. W. Lincoln.

The entertainment Wednesday evening was a patriotic cantata, "Columbia." The parts were taken as follows:

Columbia,	Miss Nina Gage
George Washington,	James Melville
Martha Washington,	Ethel Hersey
Betsy Ross,	Mrs. Geo. Carter
Dolly Ross,	Clara Bushnell
Mrs. Jones,	Marion Tirrell
Mrs. Adams,	Loretta Lowe
Mrs. Polly,	Helen Lincoln

Puritans—Roy Sidelinger, Forest Hayden, David Melville, Fred Godfrey, Willie Thayer, Walter Mead, Joseph Lincoln, Helen Mayer, Helen Lee, Lulu Moody, Ella Melville, Erminie Caine, Rena Ferren.

It was given under the direction of Mrs. Leon H. Austin and Mrs. G. K. Carter.

The fair closed Thursday evening. A supper was served at 6.30, consisting of escalloped potatoes and oysters, maccaroni, beans, rolls, coffee and pies. The entertainment which followed was novel and amusing. It was a farce in one act, called "A Gentle Jury." The characters were:

Cyrus Hacket, sheriff,	Carl Sherburne
Mrs. Dingley, foreman,	Mrs. E. C. Page
Mrs. Blake,	Miss Etta Lapham
Mrs. Dyer,	Mrs. G. P. Eaton
Mrs. Fritz,	Mrs. C. W. Newcomb
Mrs. Small,	Mrs. H. D. Adams
Mrs. Fairly,	Mrs. C. C. Mueller
Mrs. Jones,	Mrs. R. H. Newcomb
Mrs. Fort,	Mrs. G. K. Carter
Miss Skinner,	Mrs. F. E. Drake
Miss Sharp,	Mrs. T. B. Pollard
Mrs. Jellyson,	Mrs. A. C. Selleck
Miss Smith,	Mrs. G. E. Bailey

The entertainment was under the direction Mrs. Percy Holman.

Paul Revere W. R. C. celebrated Washington's Birthday at the residence of Mrs. Angie B. Loud. The parlors were decorated with flags and potted plants. Mrs. Jennie Holten read portion of the scripture, after which the following members read incidents on life of Washington: Mrs. Catherine Cotter, Mrs. Mary A. H. Crane, Mrs. Laura Holt, Mrs. Jennie Ewell, Mrs. Kate A. Hayden, Mrs. Eliza Penniman, Mrs. Angie B. Loud and Mrs. Mary E. Powers. The exercises closed with singing of America and flag salute.

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On Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 28th, at three o'clock, Dr Greene will deliver a free private illustrated lecture to women only. Valuable hints will also be given in regard to the preservation of the health, maintaining and preserving a delicate complexion and keeping a youthful appearance to mature years, as well as other important information. As admission is absolutely free and all ladies are much interested in these matters there will doubtless be a large attendance.

Dr. Greene will deliver a grand, free private illustrated lecture to men only on Tuesday evening, Feb. 28th, at 8 o'clock. This lecture will contain valuable advice upon those important subjects of a private nature which all men should know and understand, but of which they are too often ignorant. Dr. Greene will also discuss that terrible disease—Nervous Debility—so common among men. Remember admission and seats are free to all parts of the house, and all men should attend this valuable private lecture. They will learn much to their advantage. Previous to all lectures the audience will be favored by Prof. F. Richard Davis with his pleasing Parlor Novelty and Entertainment. Each person attending these lectures will receive a trial bottle of Dr. Greene's Nervura free.

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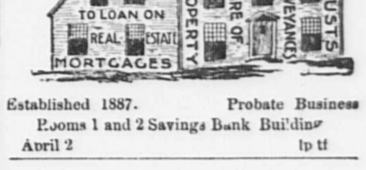

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SEXTUAGESIMA.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

First Unitarian Church—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

Universalist Church, Washington street—Rev. Charles H. Emmons, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor Subject: "Learning to be a Christian." Sunday School at 11.45. International lessons. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Preaching by the Rev. W. S. Perkins, D. D. Subject: "The Heart of the Gospel." Special music in the evening. The public is cordially invited to attend services.

Bethany Congregational Church, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Preaching by the Rev. Jason F. Miller of Atlantic in exchange with the pastor. Free seats and every one invited.

First United Presbyterian Church, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by the pastor. Men's Bible class and Sabbath School at 11.45. Junior C. E. meeting at 3 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Missionary. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "All things are good to children of God."

Wollaston Baptist Church—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Stability." Sunday School at 12.10. Boys' meeting at 4 P. M. Young People's service at 6.30. Social Praise service at 7.30. All not worshipping elsewhere are invited.

Memorial Congregational Church, Atlantic—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the Rev. Robert H. Cochrane of Weymouth. Subject: "The Christian's Possessions." 1 Cor. 3:21-23 Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. at 6 o'clock. Evening service at 7 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Edwin N Hardy of Bethany church. Subject: "Fay and Religion." You are cordially invited.

Methodist Church Atlantic, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "Dissimilar Stars in the Spiritual Firmament." Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30 P. M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Manhood and Miracle."

First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue.—Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Man." Golden Text: "Blessed is the man that trusteth in the Lord, and whose hope the Lord is" Jeremiah 17:7. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings with gentlemen in attendance. All are welcome.

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WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The National Granite Bank of Quincy," located in the City of Quincy in the County of Norfolk and State of Massachusetts, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882, as amended by the Act, approved April 12, 1902:

Now, therefore, I THOMAS P. KANE, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The National Granite Bank of Quincy," located in the City of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and State of Massachusetts, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association: namely, until close of business on Feb. 4, 1925.

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Seal
of the
Comptroller of the
Currency,
Treasury Department.

Charter No. 832.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1905.

WEEKLY ALMANAC,	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea Morn	Full Sea Eve	Moon rises
Saturday, Feb. 25,	6.27	5.29	3 0	4 00	12.03 A. M
Sunday, " 26	6 25	5 30	4 30	5 00	12.38 "
Monday, " 27,	6.23	5.31	5.30	6.00	1.40 "
Tuesday, " 28,	6.22	5.32	6.30	7.15	2.36 "
Wednesday, Mar. 1,	6 20	5.33	7.30	8.15	3.27 "
Thursday, " 2,	6.19	5.35	8.30	9.15	4.12 "
Friday, " 3,	6.17	5.36	9.30	10.00	4 51 "

Last Quarter, Feb. 26th, 5.04 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of month for three years:

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1904.	In 1903.	In 1902.
Sunday,	20	30	30	10	30
Monday,	38	43	34	31	34
Tuesday,	45	20	38	32	45
Wednesday,	22	29	48	34	41
Thursday,	27	20	45	39	39
Friday,	36	37	37	44	45
Saturday,	—	28	28	35	25

Notes and Comments.

After reading the account given by Mr. Bass in another column of the Patriot today, how George Washington was murdered, or more gentlemanly perhaps to say killed, we might with propriety lift our hands, and pray to God "to deliver us from our friends."

Shipbuilders' Club.

The weekly smoke concert of the Shipbuilders' Club passed off most successfully last week Friday evening, the capacity of the club being taxed to the utmost, indeed no further proof is needed as to the popularity of the club, or its inadequate accommodation for such entertainments.

It is now certain however that the latter difficulty will soon be obviated for Mr. H. R. Curwen, treasurer of the club, announced that he had interviewed the general manager of the works, and had suggested to him as a simple means of raising funds toward making the club premises more suited to their needs, that the new Fall River Line Steamer "Providence," now approaching completion be thrown open to the public for inspection at a nominal charge per person, the proceeds to be devoted to the purpose mentioned. Mr. Smith realizing that charity begins at home, cordially adopted the suggestion tendered him, and now it only remains to fix a suitable date and make proper arrangements for the reception of the hundreds of visitors who will no doubt avail themselves of the opportunity. Some thirty members of the club have already volunteered to show visitors through this magnificent vessel, and safeguard the interests of the firm, and no doubt a handsome sum of money will be netted for the worthy object in view.

A decidedly pleasing feature of the club's weekly entertainments is the hospitality practised upon such occasions, the expense of which is borne by some prominent official engaged in the works. Mr. James Gibb, head foreman in the S. F. department, was the practical sympathizer on Friday evening, and his good health was quaffed in a toothsome soup with attendant crackers and cigars afterwards.

The musical program provided, proved decidedly attractive and was thoroughly appreciated.

The accompanists were Messrs. Herman, W. E. Brown and Meadows, and the soloists Messrs. Hawkins, Tate, Mulheirn (composer) Meadows, Lyons, Neil, Loftus, Hynes, Hodge, Barrett and Dawkins, each of whom were well applauded for their efforts.

In a few well chosen remarks, Mr. J. C. Crain expressed his pleasure in being enabled to be present, and his confidence in the ultimate success of the club. The ever popular Councilman Hynes in proposing a vote of thanks to the various artists, remarked that the club was growing at a rapid rate, and was now an assured success and he thought the treasurer's suggestion a "providential one." Mr. Gibb who was unavoidably absent, was heartily thanked for his hospitality, upon the motion of Mr. Andrews.

Fifth Anniversary.

St. Ambrose court, M. C. O. F., observed its fifth anniversary Monday evening at Hibernian hall at West Quincy, which was decorated with flags bunting and evergreen for the occasion. There was a large attendance, and it was an enjoyable evening. Miss Catherine M. Shea, the chief ranger, presided, and was assisted by Mrs. Mary D. Mahoney, Mrs. William B. Barry and Mrs. William P. Reardon.

There were addresses by Rev. A. F. Roche, the chaplain, Chief Ranger James H. Elcock, William T. Shea and William P. Hughes. The entertainment also included selections by a ladies' quartette composed of Miss Berlo, Miss Kamp, Miss Becker and Miss Faudel, who were accompanied by Miss Ecker. Piano solos by William McConarty, Mrs. Tite and Miss Keating, and songs by James Ogle.

Wollaston Yacht Club.

At the adjourned annual meeting of the Wollaston Yacht club, held at the club house on Tuesday evening, the Executive Committee announced the Committees for the year as follows:

House Committee, Commodore S. B. Wiley, Jr., (Chairman), Vice-Commodore W. M. Chase, J. A. Fenno, E. G. Roberts, A. T. Barstow and George B. Fraser.

Regatta Committee, — C. W. Deil (chairman), H. C. Seymour, Walter F. Blake, H. C. Chase and F. E. Dawes.

Entertainment Committee, — Robert H. Fraser (chairman), John J. Henry and George H. Winslow.

Committee to have charge of Ball and Dancing,—H. A. Stevens.

Auditor,—Charles A. Pinkham.

Fleet Captain,—Samuel S. Delano.

Measurer,—James S. Baker.

☞ Toilettes. for March, just published, is replete with designs of the most fascinating character. The publishers of this magazine have again emphasized their right to the title of authority in all that pertains to Fashion. The present issue of Toilettes contains forty-four pages, in which are pictured the most stunning and up-to-date creations for women of taste and moderate means. This number also contains two plates, elaborately lithographed in colors, depicting gowns for Spring wear. Elegance is the dominating note, and yet all the fashions pictured are eminently practical. Toilettes also contains a large amount of literary matter, everything relating to dress and shopping being dealt with by acknowledged experts. Under the title of "The Practical Dressmaker" Marie Jarboe talks about dressmaking in a manner at once interesting and instructive, and the doings of dressmakers in all parts of the States are chronicled. Toilettes Fashion Company, 172 Fifth avenue, New York.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, Feb. 22, 1905.

Business has reached the stage in the legislature where something important comes up every day. The committee hearings are in full blast and remarkable headway has been made. They are reaching the ends of their dockets rapidly, as far as hearings are concerned and if the sessions do not yet occupy all of the afternoon of the house, yet many matters are disposed of, and the calendar is kept short. Speaker Frothingham pushes business vigorously, while President Dana, conducting the deliberations of the august senate, puts on much less distressful pomposity and orotundity than some previous presiding officers and gets through the calendar with business-like expedition. Unless something occurs which is not in sight yet, the session will be short.

Under the lead of the state board of trade, nominally, there is a movement to get biennial elections for state officers and members of the legislature on the off years, leaving congressional and presidential elections as they are now, and thus having elections every year. Some think that this measure will get the support of the former biennialist agitators, plus those who would like separate discussions of state issues on off years. The truth is that there seems to be but little interest in the movement. Only Charles E. Adams, president of the state board of trade, and Edwin L. Sprague spoke for it, while Gamaliel Bradford and representatives of the labor interests appeared against it. The entire body of organized labor is up in arms for annual sessions as the necessary means of progress toward attainment of its rights. At the same time, the popular majority of 50,000 against biennials in 1896 and other things have made a difference in the situation. One of the prominent republican leaders in the legislature from western Massachusetts says that the support for biennials is not as strong there as it was in 1896. No interest is shown here in biennials and our present system seems likely to continue as long as it has defenders, which will be for a very long time.

One of the most discussed labor measures for the session promises to be the petition for change in the law so that women and minor clerks may serve in retail stores during the Christmas holidays. The petitioners have put in a pretty strong case, but the remonstrants have not yet had their full say, although they have been heard in part. There seems to be a marked difference between the large cities outside of Boston and the Hub and its suburbs. Worcester, Springfield, Haverhill and other more separated cities made out quite a plausible case that the law of last year, forbidding such work during the Christmas season was an injury to the merchants and to their clerks alike, to say nothing of the convenience of the public, and that both classes would be glad to have the former privilege restored. But then came in the labor unions and the philanthropists and showed that there was another and important side of the case. Testimony was positive that the health of the young women clerks was improved by preventing their working evenings in the stores. It was noticeable that the Worcester and Springfield people did not bring any support from Boston for their petition, while the opposition came largely from Boston. This illustrates again how different conditions are in the Hub from those in other cities and how the feeling of the people is different.

Perhaps the woman suffrage people will make a contest on their proposition that women may vote in municipal affairs, or have the right to take part in caucuses for the nomination of members of the school committee. But they have given up their contention, for this year, on the word "male" in the state constitution, which they want to have stricken out. But the other suffrage matters mentioned are still pending and they have abundant opportunity to make their contention on them, if they choose.

The innholders have not yet shown their hand, whether or not they will try to have a bill substituted for the adverse report of the liquor law committee on their petition that they may be allowed to serve liquor to their guests till midnight. The report of seven to four against the petition is not what was expected early in the game, for there was an understanding that the committee stood eight to three in favor of the petition, and if five votes were changed from the innholders' side to the side of the temperance people, then it is strong testimony to the activity of the temperance people and to the strength of the forces which they can put in action. If they could do as much as that with the committee, it looks as if they would be able to manage a majority of the senate and house. On a straight liquor fight the temperance people always win.

Civil service reform people are pushing their cause of extending the system to the counties, and though they have not carried their point this year, there are signs that they will push it next year. Now, they have obviously got the ear of some newspaper editorial managers and are trying to persuade the public,—which is all legitimate. But some of this comment, which seems to come from them, is rather harsh, especially where it is said that about every county has a county ring and that the men who opposed the change were members of county rings. Most of the opposition came from Worcester county and the counties beyond, though county commissioners from Bristol and Plymouth were also there in opposition. But the case made out against the change, as far as these counties in the west were concerned, was so strong that the council for the civil service reform people himself said that there would be no need of reform if all counties were as clean. The trouble is that some of the business in this part of the state is rotten and that is where the need of reform comes in. The truth will not be hurt by being frank about it.

The liquor law committee is unanimous against the petition that the liquor license fees be divided equally between the counties and the state. Of course the purpose of the petitioners is to take away from the cities and towns the temptation to sell the privilege of doing a liquor business in order to put money into the city or town treasury.

Today Gov. Douglas held his first reception on the birthday of the Father of His Country, and its success over topped that of any previous similar occasion. The hours were from 11 o'clock till 12.30. But the people came in such a crowd that there was no break till seven minutes before 1 o'clock, when the doors were closed. The highest attendance at any previous reception was at that of Gov. Bates in 1903, when it was 3177. Next highest was Gov. Greenhalge in 1894, when 2653 came. This year, when the time designated was up at 12.30, there had been 3315 through, and when the doors were closed the number was 4175, so Gov. Douglas was an easy winner. Extra attractions were offered. Big palms decorated the corners and windows. Vases of roses and carnations stood on the center table. The orchestra of the 8th regiment band gave sweet music, and Lieut. Gen. Miles, in the full uniform of a lieutenant general of the United States army, besides the full staff in gold and trappings were present. But very few of the democratic leaders were present. Charles S. Hamlin was there. Ex-Senator W. T. A. Fitzgerald of Boston brought in a group of the democratic ward chairmen, but the prominent democrats did not come. But there was a great outpouring of the miscellaneous public and that was the main thing. President Dana and Speaker Frothingham were both there, and a few other members of the legislature.

Rule.

In Favor of Ex-Mayor Bryant.

The $50,000 slander case of Joel F. Sheppard & Sons vs. Charles M. Bryant came to a sudden end in the Norfolk Superior court Monday morning, when Judge Hitchcock took the case from the jury, and ordered a verdict for the defendant.

After the court convened at 10 o'clock there was a conference between the lawyers in the case and the judge, which lasted forty minutes.

That an appeal might be taken to the Supreme court a paper with the ruling of law and a stipulation of facts was presented by the plaintiff's lawyers, and after amendments was approved by the court.

Judge Hitchcock ruled that the testimony of Mr. Bryant before the committee of the Legislature in 1903, when the slander is alleged to have occurred, was "absolutely privileged," and it is upon this point alone that the plaintiffs will go to the Supreme court.

The case was opened in the Dedham court on Wednesday of last week, and the only witnesses were the stenographers who took the evidence at the State House hearing, and the plaintiffs Joel F. Sheppard and Eben W. Sheppard, the latter not completing his testimony.

There were three Quincy men on the jury which sit on the case,—John S. Odom, Michael Mularkey and John Hetherston.

The lawyers for the plaintiffs were A. P. Worthen, Esq., of Weymouth and George R. Swasey, Esq., of Boston, while the interests of the defendant were guarded by two ex-City Solicitors, Paul R. Blackmur and John W. McAnarney.

Fire at Baker Yacht Basin.

The two rounds from Box 72 at 10.10 P. M., Feb. 17, were for a fire in the boiler room in shop at Baker's Yacht basin. The fire was discovered by the watchman who notified Chief Williams by telephone. The chief started the central station apparatus to the scene. Knowing that unless an alarm was sounded there would be no men to handle the apparatus when it arrived the chief snapped in two rounds from Box 72.

There was quite a lively blaze in progress when the department arrived. The flames had worked up through the floor to the upper part of the building and was working its way toward the end of the building where several yachts were being built. Three lines of hose were run to the building which is located at the foot of a high embankment, and the fire was soon under control.

The fact that the building was situated practically under a hill sheltered from the wind, probably prevented a more serious fire. Had the southwest wind got at it the fire would have swept through the entire building. Chief Williams estimates the loss at $800. The fire started around the boiler.

Pine Tree State Association.

A meeting of the Pine Tree State Association was held on Tuesday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Yeaton, 44 Pearl street, and was well attended; a larger number being present than at any previous meeting held this winter. The members were glad to welcome several visitors, two of whom became members.

The evening was passed in a very agreeable manner. With the exception of a few minutes taken for the transaction of business, the time was given to music and pleasant conversation. Refreshments were served.

A very cordial invitation was given by Mr. and Mrs. Chase to the Sons and Daughters of Maine to meet at their home on Edwards street, March 9. All who wish to meet and become acquainted with people of their native state will not miss this opportunity.

St. George Ball.

Granite lodge, Sons of St. George, held its nineteenth annual concert and ball, Tuesday evening at Music hall. The order as its name implies is an English one and the sons and daughters of England turned out in large numbers.

There were also many friends of the order present, and a grand time resulted. During the first part of the evening there was a pleasing entertainment. The program included selections by the Lord family, little Helen Kennedy in comic songs and step dancing, selections by the John Bright quartet; and Goodrich and Drew the black face comedians, appeared in a comic sketch.

There was an exhibition of novelty and fancy bag punching by Prof. John Robertson, and a cornet solo by Frank Lashford.

The evening's entertainment opened by a short address on the aims and objects of the Order of Sons of St. George by Thomas A. Mort of North Adams, grand president of the order.

Following the entertainment there was dancing until 4 A. M., music being furnished by Wilson's orchestra.

Sewer Board Retires.

The entire sewer system of the city is now in charge of the Commissioner of Public Works. A part of the system, that had been completed, was turned over to the commissioner some time ago; the balance this week.

The entire system was to have been turned over Feb. 6, but on that date the Sheahan case was in progress, and the affairs of the office were not in proper condition to be transferred. Upon request of Mayor Thompson, the Sewer Commissioners remained in control until this week.

The Sewer Commissioners who retired were A. F. Schenkelberger, William T. Isaac and Thomas J. Lamb. Ernest W. Branch, who has been the department engineer from the first, has also retired from office.

These are the only changes that have been made, the office force remaining the same as it was under the board of Sewer Commissioners.

☞ At Skinner's, for $1.50 per dozen, quarter size Cabinet Photos.

Reminiscences.

Editors of the Quincy Patriot.

The Ledger of Tuesday contained a clipping from the Commercial Tribune of Cincinnati which illustrated the sterling honesty, accuracy, truthfulness and punctuality of President John Quincy Adams in all things—infinitessimal as well as great.

The language of the Tribune, anent Mr. Adams' punctuality—as a trait not only practiced by himself but exacted of others—is well attested by an incident which occurred in Quincy not less than sixty years ago in which the Selectmen of Quincy from their tardiness in meeting an engagement with Mr. Adams were worsted.

The Board of Selectmen wished to obtain the consent of Mr. Adams to take for the purpose of improving the highway a small piece of his land at the curve of the road on Penns hill leading to Braintree.

Mr. Adams had been consulted and as related, he had agreed to meet the Selectmen on the spot "at sunrise."

Mr. Adams was seen there at the appointed time. He stood there for a time making a survey but no Selectmen appeared. Finally Mr. Adams turned on his heel and extended his walk over the hill. The Selectmen showed up about one-half hour later, but Mr. Adams had disappeared and presently he left for Washington on public business and the Selectmen failed of the interview.

On this anniversary of the birth of Washington, I will mention another and more lamented occurrence. Whilst the bells of our city are now ringing in memory of the "Father of his Country," my eye rests on a sketch "Mount Vernon, by Lossing, 1859," describing the incidents of the last illness of Washington. From the full text I take the following excerpts:

"On December 12, 1799, at one o'clock P. M., snow began to fall, at Mount Vernon, which soon changed to hail and then to rain. Washington set out for a ride on horseback, as usual. He came back and sat down for a late dinner without changing his damp clothes. On the following day (Friday, December 13) he complained of a sore throat and he omitted his usual ride. After dinner his hoarseness grew worse, yet he regarded it as nothing serious. When Washington retired that night Mr. Lear, Washington's secretary, suggested that he take something for his cold as his hoarseness appeared to increase. "No" he answered, "you know I never take anything for a cold. Let it go as it came."

Between two and three o'clock the next morning (Saturday, December 14) he awoke with hoarseness and breathed with great difficulty and told Mrs. Washington he was very ill and had an ague.

Thereupon Washington sent for Mr. Rawlins (one of his overseers) to come and bleed him, while a servant was despatched to Alexandria for Dr. Craik, the family physician. Overseer Rawlins made an incision in the arm; about one half pint was taken and external applications made, but nothing seemed to relieve him. At about 9 o'clock A. M., December 14, Dr. Craik arrived. He at once took more blood from the General, put a blister on his throat, prepared a gargle of vinegar and sage tea, and ordered some vinegar and hot water for him to inhale the steam from.

The gargle almost suffocated him; he attempted to cough but was unable to do so. At eleven o'clock A. M. Dr. Craik requested Dr. Dick, with whom he often consulted, be sent for. Dr. Brown who had been sent for had not arrived.

Dr. Craik then bled the General again but no effect was produced. His inability to swallow anything continued. At three o'clock P. M. Dr. Dick arrived and after consultation with him, Dr. Craik again bled the sufferer. The blood flowed very sluggishly. Dr. Brown arrived soon afterward and after the three physicians had held a brief consultation, Dr. Craik administered calomel and tartar emetic, which the General managed to swallow.

Washington at about half past four o'clock P. M., Dec. 14, said to his Secretary, Mr. Lear, and to those at his bedside, "I find that I am going, I believed from the first that the disorder would prove fatal."

Doctors Craik, Dick and Brown were at the general's bedside between 5 and 6 o'clock, and about 8 o'clock the physicians tried other outward applications to relieve the sufferer, but in vain, and they left the room without hope at 10 o'clock P. M. On December 14 Washington murmured to Mr. Lear "I am just going. Have me decently buried and do not let my body be put in the vault in less than three days after I am dead."

Washington, just before he expired, on December 14, 1799, at the age of sixty-seven years and ten months, dying of an illness of two days, spoke these words to his secretary, Mr. Lear, asking him:

"Do you understand?"

Lear replied, "Yes."

Washington replied, "'Tis well."

These being the last words he ever spoke.

The medical treatment of President Washington as portrayed above, would seem to suggest that phlebotomy and the mercurial blue pill as practiced and administered in that day, were the sheet anchor of the profession,—ever efficacious in filling the graveyards.

LEWIS BASS.

February 22, 1905.

Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary.

The regular meeting of the Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. was held at the home of Mrs. Theo. King, Monday afternoon, with seventy present, in spite of the storm.

Rev. Mr. Gardner gave a very thoughtful talk upon a woman's influence for good in a community.

A few facts concerning Y. M. C. A. work at large were given by the secretary, Mr. Gay.

Mrs. J. D. Buckingham very kindly rendered solos during the afternoon.

The ladies also listened to a most inspiring talk upon the "Value of an Ideal," by Mrs. C. H. Gurney of Wollaston.

Day Nursery.

The Quincy Day Nursery Association was organized February 3d, 1903, with seven officers and about forty directors. During the year numerous sales were held which netted quite a sum of money.

In July, Mayor and Mrs. Bryant offered us the use of their spacious grounds for a lawn party and the sum of $746.77 was realized, making it possible for us to open our first Nursery in October on Elm street, with Mrs. Harry Talbot as matron.

The Nursery was not as great a success located in this section as we had hoped for and in March 1904 it was thought best to move the Nursery rooms to a district nearer the homes of the children attending.

A half house of five rooms with attic was rented on Copeland street near Brewers corner, thoroughly renovated and suitably furnished providing for the care of several infants in addition to the older children.

A little later we realized that we needed a resident matron, one who could give her undivided attention to the work and one was engaged, in September of the same year. Later an assistant matron was engaged.

We feel that the present matron is the right woman for our work, one who is always glad to receive all visitors and show the Nursery and tell them of the work that is being accomplished.

Miss Gore has won the hearts of the children and the mothers, and visits them in their homes, helping the mothers to find work. During the last four months the number of children in attendance has increased. The largest number attending during any month was in November, 174 children were cared for during the month with an average attendance of seven. A dinner is served each day and a luncheon in the afternoon a fee of five cents a day for each child is charged.

The members and friends of the Association have been very generous in giving time, money and useful articles for the Nursery's needs. The following list gives a little idea of such gifts:

Housekeeping articles, clothing, cooked food, groceries, fruit and flowers, toys, books and pictures, the Nursery sign, and books and index cards for Association work.

For the many generous donations by members and others the Nursery is genuinely grateful and for the cheerful services of the officers and members which have made this, the first year of real nursery work, a success.

It should now become a helpful factor in the city's life, toward the establishment of mutually helpful relations between the women of different stations in life.

Fanny F. Sears, Secretary.

After an unavoidable delay we are exceedingly pleased to place the first annual report of the Quincy Day Nursery Association before the public for careful inspection, trusting it will meet with the full approval of those interested, especially those who have so kindly contributed to its support. If you will permit me I will say a few words concerning it and its work. While an account has been kept of all food supplies donated and used to the best possible advantage, also duly acknowledged at the time, we can not now place the actual cost upon all of them, and for that reason they must be considered apart from the financial side of this report.

A day nursery in its simplest form is a home for children, whose parents through adversity are obliged to leave them daily, while they are toiling to keep a home and provide the actual necessities of life. The Quincy Day Nursery now located on Copeland street, is doing a noble work; twenty-two families being represented, the mothers bringing or sending their little children leaving them in perfect confidence for daily care. The matron is well adapted to the work and is giving excellent satisfaction, having had a large experience in other nurseries and public institutions of our state. While we are not looking for reward or praise in whatsoever has been done it is a great satisfaction and unspeakable pleasure to us when we listen to words of appreciation from these mothers, who best of all know how, and do appreciate what is being done for them and their little children. We would like to arrange for social gatherings for the mothers on the same principal as was our New Year's reception, so uplifting to all; meeting together for talks on subjects relative to right ways of living, mother's cooking and sewing classes, care of young children and babies. They who have worked most closely and critically in this work feel that it has been an unqualified success and that it should be placed on a permanent basis, because we believe that support can always be obtained for so important a philanthropy, and we desire to place the matter in your hands for whatever action seems wisest for the best interest of the Quincy Day Nursery.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary E. Addison,
Pres. Quincy Day Nursery Asso.

Treasurer's report from July 1, 1903 to January 1, 1905:

Cr.	
Stereopticon lecture,	$39 00
Dues,	62 00
Board money for children,	60 55
From friends,	43 73
Proceeds from:	
Lawn party,	746 92
Sale at house-warming,	1 75
Parsifal concert,	4 00
Rummage sale,	134 39
Candy sale at Mrs. Emery Crane's	19 00
Rebate on bills,	1 45
Dividends,	30 71
Gift from:	
Busy Bee Circle, Quincy Point,	25 00
Forget Me Not club, Quincy,	3 50
Clover club, Wollaston,	15 00
Quincy Fire Department,	33 50
Unity Circle, King's Daughters,	25 00
Charitable Ten, King's Daughters,	10 00
Bethany Circle, Bethany Church,	5 00
St. Margaret's Guild, Christ church,	5 00
	$1,265 50

Dr.	
Expenses of stereopticon lecture,	$3 00
Matron's salary,	395 80
Rent,	150 50
Advertising,	10 50
Groceries,	87 07
Coal,	6 15
Sundries,	1 93
Supplies, repairs, printing, etc.,	67 17
Cash on hand Jan 1, 1905,	495 88
Building fund in Quincy Savings Bank,	47 50
	$1,265 50

Clara C. Hunting, Treasurer.

I have examined the accounts to Jan. 1, 1905 and find all moneys credited as received properly accounted for, leaving a balance of

Building fund,	$47 50
Quincy Savings Bank deposit,	475 82
Cash on hand, Mrs. C. C. Hunting,	20 06
Total,	$543 38

Dexter E. Wadsworth, Auditor.

Officers of the association, 1903-1904:

President,—Mrs. Thomas A. Addison.

Vice Presidents,—Mrs. George Hitchcock, Mrs. Frank S. Davis, Miss Emily C. Wild, Mrs. Thomas J. Dion, Mrs. Arthur Sibley, Mrs. Harry W. Reed.

Treasurer,—Mrs. Nathaniel Hunting.

Secretary,—Mrs. John F. Merrill.

Corresponding Secretary,—Miss Alice Putnam.

Purchasing Committee,—Mrs. E. Granville Pratt, Mrs. Frank S. Davis.

Auditor,—Mr. Dexter E. Wadsworth.

Visiting Physician,—Dr. J. A. Gordon.

Directors,—Mrs. Walter Babcock, Mrs. Theophilus King, Mrs. C. M. Bryant, Mrs. Ernest Cockayne, Mrs. N. S. Hunting, Mrs. Dexter Wadsworth, Mrs. Walter Simmons, Mrs. J. Frank Merrill, Miss Margaret Thomas, Mrs. Charles Hayden, Mrs. Frank Brewer, Mrs. E. Granville Pratt, Mrs. Joseph Sheahan, Mrs. C. T. Hardwick, Mrs. Harry L. Rice, Mrs. Edward Sandberg, Mrs. Edward Crocker, Mrs. Harry Hanson, Mrs. George H. Brown, Miss Etta Prescott, Mrs. Charles Ewell, Mrs. Joseph Dasha, Miss Catherine Shea, Mrs. Charles Wilson.

As we look over our work during the past year our record shows a large number of children cared for; also, the work of the Day Nursery increasing in usefulness as well as in numbers. One of the most gratifying features is the spirit of interest and appreciation shown by the mothers of our little ones, one mother coming to me and saying "that we understood and knew how to take care of her baby better than she did or could," this is only one of the many instances of appreciation that comes to us very often. Our aim is not only to care for the children whose mothers are obliged to leave them, but to help and encourage these mothers in every possible way, endeavoring to keep before us that only real and true help to them is to help and encourage them to a life of usefulness. The pleasure it gives us to do this work to bring hope and a little sunshine to the needy ones is beyond words to express.

Through the kindness of Supt. Parlin a goodly number of children's books have been sent which will be a fine nucleus for a library that will be of great help and benefit to the children. Through the kind interest of a friend a suitable book was given in which to keep a record of visitors, in which every visitor is invited to register. To all who have helped in the good work by sending provisions, clothing and money, we extend our thanks.

Attendance from Oct. 1903 to Oct. 1904, 767.

Monthly average, 65.

Attendance from Oct. 1904 to Jan. 1905, 407.

Monthly average, 136.

Total attendance from Oct. 1903 to Jan. 1905, 1,174.

Visitors from May 1904 to Jan. 1, 1905, 253.

Addie M. Gore, Matron.

Jan. 1. 1905.

Quincy Fire Department.

The roster of the Fire Department for the ensuing year as announced by Chief Engineer Peter J. Williams is as follows:

District Engineers,—J. H. O Brien, first assistant chief. F. C. Packard, second assistant chief. D. J. Nyhan third assistant chief.

Captain Central fire station,—Charles P. Costa.

Captain Hose 4 house,—A. L. Mead.

Captain Atlantic house,—Faxon Billings.

Captain Wollaston house, — Frank Genero,

Captain Hose 3 house, — Jeremiah Lyons.

Combination Hook and Ladder,—M. Martin (foreman), A. C. Merritt, J. Minihan, S. J. Tutton, C. Hayden, M. Myatt, J. Connelly and W. E. Coffin.

Combination Company, No. 1,—A. McDonald (foreman), J. Malone, T. Hogan, J Gallagher, A. Robertson, B. Martin, W. Erickson and J. E. Maxim.

Hose Co. No. 4,—I. P. Bent, (foreman,) C. N. Hayden, C. Oliver, M. Gatcomb, H. Tucker and J. Avery.

Combination, No. 2,—J. F. McKenna (foreman), C. O. Connell, D. Golden, N. P. Hill, T. Leary, T. Kerigan and D. McNice.

Hose Co., No. 2,—G. H. Rhodes (foreman), S. P. Hanson, C. D. Sargent, K. F. Fisher and G. W. Leonard.

Combination Ladder Co., No. 2,—(foreman), J. W. Creeden, J. Fratus, F. L. Bent, A. E. Stephenson, M. Cremo and A. F. Kingsley.

Hose Co., No. 3,—E. Drohan, (foreman), E. Farrell, J. Curry, J. Murphy, T. Callahan and E. Minchin.

Hook and Ladder Co., No. 3,—Joseph Dillon (foreman), E. G. Hayden, H. Hughes, J. Joyce, R. Callahan, A. Bellevan and J. Creegan.

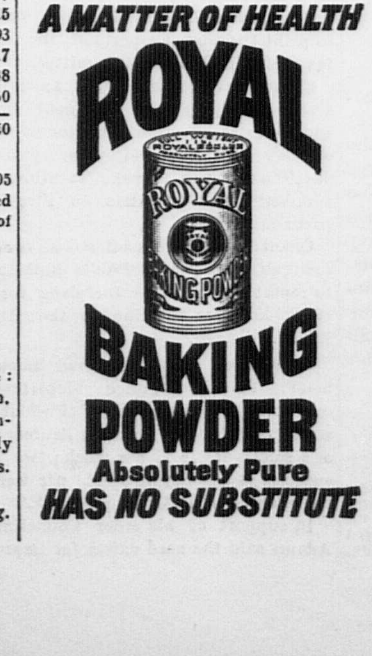
Hose Co. No. 5,—W. A. Taylor, foreman, E. W. Taylor, E. P. Venton, G. Neo, C. T. Cook, A. H. Dunham, H. Venton, M. S. Pain and W. Garbrino.

—Ex-Senator John F. Merrill of Quincy, thus early in the political game, announces his candidacy for county commissioner to succeed Mr. Wright of that city, the Democratic member of the board. The Senator has every qualification for the position, a host of friends, and experience in politics, but it seems to us that he ought to wait until the frost gets out of the ground before lining his friends up for such a lively contest.—Hyde Park Gazette.

Lemuel B. Burrill of New Bedford, who shot himself on a Norwich line boat Feb. 17th, was well and favorably known in Quincy. Mr. Burrill had long been employed as an agent of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and in that capacity had often been in Quincy to prosecute persons who did not properly care for their dumb animals.

—The funeral of Col. Henry S. Russell, late fire commissioner of Boston was held Saturday afternoon at 3.30 from his late residence at Milton. The interment was in the Milton cemetery.

The American Surety Company of New York, has given a bond, in the sum of $2,000, for Patrick J. Fallon, as Trustee for Lawrence Fallon. The bond was given through J. J. Houston, its agent at Hyde Park.



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Monday Evening Club.

The Monday Evening Club of Atlantic held its fourth regular meeting of the season, Feb. 20. One hundred and thirty-nine were present.

Miss Emily C. Fisher of Norwood addressed the club from the subject, "In Belief." Miss Fisher spoke of the different influences which are unifying American life, and with delightful optimism forecast America's social future.

Charles R. Safford made an address, instructive and exactly in touch with the times, on "Customs, duties and reciprocity."

Miss Florence Gray and William Gassett were the music committee, and provided the following program:

Selection—"We Meet Again Tonight Friends," Revere Rubber Co. Quartette

Vocal Solo—"Only in Dreams," Mr. Coughlan

Piano Duet, Mr. Townsend and Mr. Huff

Selection—"The Mermaid," Revere Quartette

Vocal Solo—"O Loving Heart, Trust On," Mr. Coughlan

Piano Duet, Mr. Townsend and Mr. Huff

With the exception of Mr. Coughlan and of Miss Gassett, who accompanied the music, was furnished by the office force of the Revere Rubber Company of Boston: C. H. S. Wetmore, first tenor; F. K. Belcher, second tenor; W. E. Belcher, baritone; W. S. Townsend, basso; Mr. Huff, pianist.

The next meeting of the club will be on March 6. Charles P. Sinnott of the Bridgewater Normal school will speak on, "The commercial rivalry among nations." Theodore Parker will read a fifteen-minute paper on "Taxation." Mrs. Harry Read and Charles Cherrington have the music in charge.

Holiday Dances.

A merry company of children celebrated Washington's Birthday by a masquerade party and dance, given in Wollaston hall, in the afternoon, under the auspices of the Ladies' Alliance of the Unitarian church.

The grand march was formed at half-past two o'clock and was led by Master Lester Rollins, dressed as George Washington, and little Miss Helen Moulton, as Columbia.

There was a great variety of costumes—some being very pretty and others unique. Among the noticeable ones were, two little Indians, student in cap and gown, gypsy girl, prince, boy blue, flower girl, old-fashioned girl and popcorn fairy.

After the march a two-step was danced and the children unmasked. The remainder of the afternoon was very happily spent in dancing and playing games. The afternoon program was very ably carried out under the direction of Mrs. Alfred R. Moulton. The other members of the committee were Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, Mrs. Park, Mrs. Lacey, Mrs. Delano and Mrs. Boyce.

Fancy crackers and lemonade were served and each child was presented with a little hatchet as a souvenir of the occasion. An appropriate feature of the program, was the singing of "America" by the children and the saluting of a large American flag that hung at one end of the hall.

The dance given by the Alliance in the evening, was well patronized the older as well as the younger set attending. All present were introduced by the ushers to the matrons, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Gurney, and Mrs. Baker. There were sixteen dances including a Portland fancy and Virginia reel which were enjoyed by all. Weston's four-piece orchestra furnished excellent music. Between the dances punch was served. The hall was beautifully and appropriately decorated with bunting, and was lighted during part of the evening by red, white and blue electric lamps, skilfully put up for the occasion. The ushers were Wallace Bennett, Ernest Arnold, Lawrence Loring and George Brown.

Bowling League.

It was two out of three in all the contests in the Old Colony bowling league Thursday evening. Those to get two being the Quincy Points, the South Braintrees and the Holbrooks. It was another set back for the Quincys, and the championship will go either to the South Braintrees or the Holbrooks.

The summary to date:

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
South Braintrees	31	23	.57
Holbrooks	31	23	.57
Weymouths	28	26	.52
Quincys	26	28	.48
East Weymouths	26	28	.48
Quincy Points	20	34	.37

George I. Kellie, the photographer, has sold out his studio to Boston parties.

The District Court.

The continued case of Jesse A. Case, for violation of the liquor law at Randolph, was called and again continued until March 7.

Carrie M. Wilbur was fined $50 for violation of the liquor law at Randolph.

The liquors seized from Carrie M. Wilbur at Randolph were forfeited.

The liquors seized from Mary E. Metcalf at Cohasset were forfeited.

Henry Brogido was fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

James Ferguson and Herbert Merritt were arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until Feb. 27.

George W. Wuest was arraigned for perjury at Quincy, in giving straw bail. Case continued until today.

Fred H. Lutts and Edith A. Thayer were arraigned for adultery at Weymouth. They were held in $1,000 each for the grand jury.

John M. Connell was arraigned for drunkenness, and for assault on Mary E. Crowley at Weymouth. He was fined $5 upon each complaint.

Edward Crotty was arraigned for loitering in a railroad station at Quincy and was fined $3.

Michael Carroll, John Batasta and Frank McFadden were fined $3 each, and John Kelly $5, for drunkenness at Quincy.

Thomas Tuell was arraigned for drunkenness at Weymouth. Case continued until April 1.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to publicly express our heart-felt thanks to the thoughtful friends and neighbors whose many acts of kindness served to comfort and cheer Mrs. Austin during her long and weary illness; also to the pastor and members of Bethany church and kindred organizations, and to each and everyone who so generously remembered us in our sorrow and affliction, we extend our grateful acknowledgement.

EDWARD H. AUSTIN.
CARROLL L. AUSTIN.

Quincy, Feb. 21. 1p

Deaths.

McCARTHY—In Quincy, Feb 23 at the City Hospital, Mrs. Rose A., wife of Mr. Thomas McCarthy, aged 46 years.

CRAFTS—In Quincy Point, Feb 17, Mrs Ella M., wife of Mr. Israel F Crafts, formerly of Charlestown, aged 4 years.

FIELD—In Boston, Feb. 18, Mr. J. Wellington Field of this city, aged 41 years.

BUTLER—In Milton, Feb. 17, Mrs. Minnie F., wife of Mr. William M. Butler of Smith road, aged 46 years.

BADGER—In Milton, Feb. 18, Alma G., youngest child of Mr. George Y. and Mrs. Isabelle Badger of Pleasant street, aged 12 years and 3 months.

NASH—In South Weymouth, Feb. 18, Mr. William G. Nash, in his 95th year.

POWER—In Boston, Feb. 19, Annie Power of 471 Bridge street, North Weymouth.

MILDRAM—In Dorchester, Feb. 18, Mrs. Nettie S., wife of Mr. Charles E. Mildram of 41 Auckland street, in her 57th year.

PIERCE—In Dorchester, Feb. 22, Mrs. Susan Jackson (Farnsworth, widow of Henry Pierce, aged 76 years, 6 months and 19 days.

GOODWIN—In Dedham, Feb. 18, Mr. William Hobbs Goodwin, in his 44th year.

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TO BOSTON Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
r *5 14	abcdefghi	5 42	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 27	cba	6 46 r
r 6 3	abc	7 03	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 27	cba	8 49 r
r 7 43	abc	8 03	9 25	ihgfedcba	9 54 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 27	cba	10 49 r
r 8 13	abc	8 33	11 25	ihgfedcba	11 54 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 27	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 57	cba	1 19 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	1 27	cba	1 49 r
10 01	Exp.	10 17	1 57	cba	2 19 r
r 10 13	abc	10 33	2 27	cba	2 49 r
r 11 09	abcdefghi	11 37	2 45	Exp.	3 03
r 12 13	abc	12 33	3 27	cba	3 49 r
r 1 13	abc	1 33	4 12	a	4 31 r
r 1 43	abc	2 03	4 27	cba	4 49 r
r 2 13	abc	2 33	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 13	abc	3 33	5 15	a	5 34 r
r 3 43	abc	4 03	5 19	dba	5 40 r
r 4 13	abc	4 33	5 27	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 13	abc	5 33	5 46	ihgfedcba	6 15 r
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 57	cba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 15	dba	6 36 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 27	cba	6 49 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	6 57	fedcba	7 23 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	9 27	cba	9 49 r
r 11 03	abc	11 32	10 27	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
			10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
			11 27	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

TO BOSTON Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
r 7 43	abc	8 03	6 24	ihgfdcba	6 52 r
8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
r 9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 08	abcdefghi	7 35	8 21	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
r 8 08	abcdefghi	8 36	8 43	Exp.	9 00
r 10 13	abc	10 38	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
			10 28	cba	10 49 r

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,
b Norfolk Downs,
c Atlantic,
d Neponset,
e Pope's Hill.
f, Harrison Square.
g, Savin Hill.
h, Crescent Avenue.
i, South Boston.
r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 10.19 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 10.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.40 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—7.51 8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 10.24 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 8.16 10.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

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Via Hancock Street,—5.40 6.05 6.10 6.40 A. M. and every 10 and 40 minutes past hour until 8.40 P. M. and 9.10 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7 30 A. M., and every minutes past the hour until 8.30 P. M., then 9.40 and 10.10 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.05 7.05 A. M, then every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 11.35 P. M.

NEPONSET TO QUINCY.

Via Hancock Street—6.05 6.15 6.40 7 7.16 and 7.45 A. M., then on the even hour and every 30 minutes past the hour until 5.15 P. M., then on the even hour and half hour until 9.30 P. M., then 10.30 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7.50 and 9 A. M., then on the even hour until 11 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.30 7.30 A. M., then on the even hour and half hour until 12 o'clock midnight.

Cars leaving on the even hour and half hour run through to Brockton and Weymouth Landing.

QUINCY TO NORTH WEYMOUTH.

5.45 6 05 6.20 6.50 7.50 A. M., then every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 11.20 P. M., Wednesdays and Saturdays 11.50 P. M., other nights 11.50 P. M., to Quincy Point only.

NORTH WEYMOUTH TO QUINCY.

6.20 6 50 7.05 7.20 7.50 A. M., then every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 11.50 P. M., Wednesday and Saturdays 12.50 P. M.

QUINCY TO BRAINTREE.

6.20 A. M. and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 10.50 P. M.

QUINCY TO EAST MILTON.

5.40 A. M. and every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 10.35 P. M., then 10.50 P. M.

EAST MILTON TO QUINCY.

6.10 A. M. then on the even hour and half hour until 11.30 P. M.

QUINCY TO WEYMOUTH LANDING.

5.20 5.55 6.30 6.55 A. M., then every 5 and 25 minutes past the hour until 9.55 P. M., then 10.55 P. M.

QUINCY AND HOUGHS NECK.

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Returning, leave HOUGHS NECK—Week Days—5.45, 6.40, 7.40, 8.30, 9.40, 10.40, 11.40 A. M., 12.40, 1.40, 2.40, 3.30, 4.50, 5.40, 6.40, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.30, 11.10 P. M.—Sundays—7.40 A. M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 9.40 P. M., then 11.10 P. M.

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We have purchased many copies of the World's Fair Albums, titled "Louisiana Purchase Exposition," size 6 by 9 inches, cover in red and gold, containing 36 handsome half-tone views of St. Louis and the Exposition, and shall take pleasure in giving one to each subscriber to the Patriot, while they last, who calls and pays for one year's subscription, either in advance or arrears.

Poetry.

The Tongue.

REV. PHILIP BURROWS STRONG.

"The boneless tongue, so small and weak,
Can crush and kill," declared the Greek.
"The tongue destroys a greater horde,"
The Turk asserts, "than does the sword."
The Persian proverb wisely saith,
"A lenthy tongue—an early death."
Or sometimes takes this form instead:
"Don't let your tongue cut off your head."
"The tongues can speak a word whose speed,"
Says the Chinese, "outstrips the steed."
While Arab sage doth this impart:
"The tongue's great storehouse is the heart."
From Hebrew wit the maxim sprung,
"Though feet should slip, ne'er let the tongue."
The sacred writer crowns the whole,
"Who keeps his tongue doth keep his soul."

Notes and Comments.

—According to the Hyde Park Gazette, the county tax this year will show an increase of about 40 per cent. and the state tax about 50 per cent., which will make about 60 cents per one thousand on Quincy's present valuation.

—It is suggested to the assessors of Hyde Park that land which is rented for bill boards be assessed as improved land. A good suggestion.

—The recent cold snap in the west has caused the death of upwards of 50,000 cattle, and some persons are wondering if this will cause an advance of a cent or two a pound in the price of beef.

—Some ultra-Republicans are becoming alarmed for fear that President Roosevelt will become too good a Democrat in his efforts to bring the dominant parties upon a line which will allow both some rights in the government of the country, instead of the rigid rules of one alone being closely following. He is becoming in fact the President of the United States as he should be, and those who wish the country well must applaud him.—Athol Chronicle.

—One of the Boston dailies the past week told of a young lady who had never been kissed, and gave her picture in connection with the story. It looks somewhat as if she was ready to make a trial test of the pleasure she has missed these many years.—Medford Leader.

—A current newspaper paragraph tells of a "motor-car savings bank" which makes journeys in the North of France, stopping in villages on stated days to receive such sums as thrifty country people, having saved may be desirous of depositing in a savings bank. The motor car, which is electrically driven, carries a small safe, a desk with folding shelves for the depositors, with accommodations for two clerks and a cashier and a seat for the driver.

—This is the age of electricity, and so great are the marvels of the new force that imagination hardly keeps pace with realization. Nevertheless, there is one specialist, Nikola Tesla, who keeps well in advance of everything we know. Mr. Tesla, in a recent magazine article, recounts some new inventions of his own which are to accomplish most astounding marvels. For instance, he has a machine, an "oscillator," which he says will create a current of electricity that will "rush through the earth at the rate of one thousand million horse-power, and strike the universe with blows that will wake electricians, if there be any, on Venus or Mars." Mr. Tesla also has a contrivance by which he can direct automatically a torpedo to a distance far beyond the range of any cannon yet produced, and thus blow up a battleship before reaching dangerous proximity. This invention is to forever abolish naval warfare. With his automobile torpedo in operation, modern navies will cease to exist. He will blow them off the face of the waters. There is another thing he has: a wireless telephone that one may carry in his pocket, by which one can communicate with any one else anywhere on the face of the earth. Time and space are to be annihilated. In Boston, one may listen to an opera sung in Paris. More than this, electricity can be conveyed without wires indefinitely by his appliances. As a people we are skeptical. Mr. Tesla has so far only told what he is going to do. Let him show it, and we shall believe.—Dedham Transcript.

—Expert testimony on the witness stand is expensive and often costs much more than it is actually worth. One expert in the recent Tucker trial for the murder of Mabel Page presented a bill for $1900 for his two or three hours' service on the witness stand. Judge Sheldon cut the bill down to $1000, and even at that figure the service would seem to be pretty well paid. The payment of exhorbitant fees to experts in handwriting and other subjects is an abuse that should be stopped. —Milford Gazette.

—The Athol Chronicle gives the following nut for the incredulous to crack. A reader of the Chronicle who has been a severe sufferer from varicose veins for years, in one limb, and which at times rendered walking very painful, and for which he had worn all kinds of stockings, etc., as curative agencies without avail, was told by an old Russian soldier to take off his shoes and set them, soles upward, under his bed for three or four nights in succession, when the trouble would disappear entirely. Much to his surprise he found it to be so, and has had no recurrence of the trouble since. Who can explain it?

—Pennsylvania has a surplus of $10,000,000 in the State treasury.

—The mercury has obviously contracted the habit of taking a drop too much, says the Mansfield News.

—It is estimated by The New York Times as a safe statistical forecast that by 1915, if not sooner, New York will have overtaken London and become the largest city in the world. This may be gratifying to the local pride; but whether we shall be any happier, more prosperous, or more in harmony with American traditions than now is a question which may be left to the speculations of those for whom it has interest.

—A writer in the February number of McClure's Magazine tells a story of a bank president who received an application from a modest young man who expressed a wish to become a depositor. The initial deposit was $100,000, but to the astonishment of the bank officials it was increased by regular weekly deposits until it attained the magnificent total of $35,000,000. It also appeared that the depositor had other little accounts at other national banks aggregating about $9,000,000 more. The bank people were unable to discover whence this money came, until finally they came to the conclusion that the strange depositor had discovered the secret of making gold in unlimited quantities. Whether it was made from sea water or what not, it did not appear, but made it could be by the barrel or in bars, as desired. Of course, the story is true, and is it not probable that the writer in McClure's has forestalled Mr. Thomas W. Lawson, and that the latter's remedy for existing financial distress is to make gold so plenty that the people will have no use for the "system?" This modest bank depositor is undoubtedly Mr. Lawson in thin disguise, and when he gets ready he will make gold and give it around in such quantities that the Morgans and Rockefellers and Rogerses possessions will look like thirty cents. We submit the question—Is not this really what Mr. Lawson is going to do? Is not this the great remedy which Mr. Lawson is going to give to the people? —Banker and Statesman.

—"Boys will be boys," is a mighty poor excuse for any act that is unworthy of a boy. Boys will be men is what should be borne in mind, and if they are manly boys they will be brave, generous gentlemen, and there's only one thing better—a true gentlewoman.

—The supply of clams from the many eastern shores from whence they are obtained is becoming more scarce every year on account of the beds being worked so close that the growth is not equal to the demand. The matter has become so serious that the State of Maine has passed laws forbidding clams being shipped out of the state.

—Congress can no longer evade the question of establishing a great national park in the White mountain region. New Hampshire's lower legislative branch passes a joint resolve to co-operate with the United States in whatever the government does. This is a more generous effort than has been made in any other state where national reservations have been opened. The country at large, not New Hampshire alone, has an interest in preserving the scenic beauty of the American Switzerland.—Boston Record.

—The oldest clock in England that is in working order is in the cathedral at Peterborough. It was made by a monk in 1320.

—General Miles was within the facts when he told the Grand Army man, at their banquet, on Wednesday, that this country was a world power long before Dewey entered Manila bay. He called the attention of the American people to the fact, which has been to some extent overlooked, that we became a world power when Capt. Parker told his men on Lexington Green that if there was to be a war with the mother country it might as well begin right then and there. It took some time for the nations of the world to recognize the fact that a new power had arisen, but the recognition came, and came to stay. But while we have been a world power for 130 years, it must be admitted that the events of 1898 greatly strengthened it, for while some of the foreign powers tactitly admitted that the United States was a powerful nation, they had some doubts of our ability to make good our claims. Those doubts no longer exist. We have made a full demonstration, and the right of this nation to stand in line with the great powers of the world is no longer questioned. If the power of the nation is wisely used, as no one doubts but that it will be, it can be used for the peace of the world to greater extent than has yet been done, and it will be so used, for the Americans are not a warlike people, and engage in war only after great provocation, and in the defence of great principles.—Lynn Item.

Majority Rule.

The management of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company believes that a clear statement of the company's position in the present unfortunate situation is due to the public which, in common with the railroad and a majority of its employes, is likely to suffer through the action of a small minority. The difference that has arisen is among the employes of the company resulting from a disagreement on their part as to the representation to be given to the organizations which they themselves have formed. The management of the road has been called on to make a decision which is not satisfactory to one of the parties to the dispute, viz.: the Firemen's General Committee of Adjustment. The dispute concerns a question of jurisdiction between this Firemen's Adjustment Committee and the Engineer's Adjustment Committee. The Firemen's Committee has refused to have the matter left to the decision of an independent arbitration board, and the officers of the road, on being compelled to make a decision, made it on the principle of majority rule.

In no quarter is the present trouble regretted more than by the management of the company whose patient and exhaustive efforts to satisfy the demands of the Firemen's Committee and end the dispute have extended through eight months. In the opinion of the management, if it had taken any other stand in the dispute than a decision based on majority rule, the result would be a splitting up of its employes of one class into various organizations. The disadvantages of this are obvious.

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The City Council.

The High school enlargement question came up again before the City Council Monday evening in the form of a report from the Committee on Public Buildings. There was quite a debate on the acceptance of the report and the subject in general, and the Council voted against acceptance of the report. The matter goes back to the committee.

Councilmen Barry, Gassett and Savage were absent.

The Mayor forwarded the appointment of John G. Best and W. G. Chubbuck as constables. Confirmed.

The Mayor forwarded the appointment of William H. Hildreth as weigher of coal. Confirmed.

The Mayor forwarded the annual budget which is given in full in another column and compared item by item with the budget of last year.

Councilman Stone presented a petition for the acceptance of Newcomb place as a public way. To Street Committee.

Councilman Loud presented a petition to change the grade of Hancock street south of the new Atlantic bridge from a four to a two per cent grade. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Adams presented a petition to lay out Maple place as a public way to Hancock street. To Committee on Streets.

The New England Telephone Company petitioned to attach wires to poles on Billings road and West Elm avenue. To Committee on Streets.

Edgar G. Cleaves and Charles H. Burgess petitioned for auctioneers' licenses. Laid on the table until later when orders were passed.

The Committee on Licenses reported on petitions for minor licenses.

The Committee on Finance reported on the order transferring $437.91 from Willard school heating to repairs of public buildings. Passed.

The Committee on Finance reported order for $55.25 to redeem estate of Elizabeth Smith, unlawfully sold for sewer assessment.

Order amended making the amount $56.50 and passed.

A public hearing was held on petition of Telephone Co. to attach wires to poles on Whitney road, North and Scammell streets and Central avenue. Hearing closed and order recommitted.

A public hearing was held on petition of the Electric Light Co. for location of poles on Temple and Hancock streets.

Mr. Fisher objected to more poles on Temple street. He was informed that the order put in one pole in place of two removed. Hearing closed and order recommitted.

The order for $3,000 to pay bill of Poor Department for 1904 was passed.

The Committee on Public Buildings reported a substitute to the order for $65,000 for building an addition to the High school. The substitute order was for $120,000 to complete the whole building.

Councilman Piper and Crane of the Committee dissented.

Councilman Piper opposed the acceptance of the report. He did not wish to criticise plans but they had not been properly considered by the committee. It did not appear from a financial standpoint that an appropriation of $120,000 could be made this year. We have a borrowing capacity of $160,000 and we have two bridges to look out for. We economized last year yet charged up $40,000 against debt limit.

Councilman Chase—This matter has been agitated for several years. There has been some prejudices and sides taken. Is there any one who will declare there is no need for a change? Is there one who does not believe that something should be quickly done? The maturing debt approximates $78,000 which will practically leave our borrowing capacity $240,000.

He would not advise appropriating $120,000 unless absolutely necessary. The School Committee state that no proposed construction for $65,000 can approach the necessary requirements of a High school. The present building was planned to accommodate 400 pupils and we now have 535 daily. The annual increase is 50 per year.

The chairman of the School Committee states that the Gould plan would place the High school in a position with High schools in other cities. The advantages open to High school pupils of other cities can not much longer be denied pupils of Quincy. They say the Gould plan will give accommodations for several years and give the same opportunities afforded other places.

If we spend $65,000 it will put on a piece, but cut off many things now deemed necessary in a High school. When we have expended $120,000 we will have a building not to be ashamed of, and even if we crowd the debt limit we have something good for years to come.

Councilman Stone started to review the High school problem and spoke of the South Quincy lot, but was called to order. He then favored the acceptance of the report. He did not believe the citizens would care for $120,000 if they got what they wanted.

Councilman Crane had hoped matter would be unanimous this year. But the committee in one short hour or two in the committee room can not frame any such report. To go into a committee room and in one short meeting vote for such an order was poor policy. He wanted more time to go into the matter thoroughly. It has been said that Gould would guarantee to build by his plans for $120,000. Mr. Jarvis informed chairman Porter of the School board last year that it would cost $160,000. Another says $175,000. He did not believe in jumping in without knowing what we are doing. If we have more time to consider plans we will have something that will meet with your approval. We should run affairs of the city as we run our own business.

The President cut off further debate by ruling discussion out of order, as the question was on the acceptance of the report.

The question of accepting the report was then put, and the Council voted in the negative.

Order was offered for electric lights on Woodward avenue, Morton street and Robertson street. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Stewart offered an order to print the annual reports of the city for 1904. To Finance Committee.

Councilman Stone offered an order amending the Fire Department ordinance so as to give the permanent men one day off at the end of every nine days and two weeks vacation in summer. To Committee on Fire Department.

Councilman Hughes offered an order for the Committee on Public Buildings to report on the order for plans for a single complete addition to the High school. Passed.

Councilman Adams offered amendments to the Police department ordinance providing for a chief at a salary of $1000 per year; a lieutenant, at a salary of $18.75 per week; two inspectors at a salary of $18.50 per week, and a sergeant at $18.25 per week.

In support of his order Councilman Adams said the need exists for improving the organization of the Police department on a different basis, so there will be better discipline over the men. In the Police department there is no intermediate officers like there is in the Fire department. He had consulted police departments in other places. The establishment of these four offices does not entail additional expense except $104. However the force will be increased by two men. The city would benefit in receipts. To joint Committee on Police and Ordinances.

Councilman Stone moved that the Committee on Public Buildings be instructed to report on the $65,000 order for addition to the High school at the next meeting.

Councilman Piper opposed and Councilman Hughes added an unfriendly amendment, and the motion was defeated.

Councilman Chamberlin offered an order appointing a committee of five with the City Solicitor to investigate the question whether price paid for illuminating gas is exhorbitant, and if so, to report as to the best remedy for obtaining relief. Adopted.

The President appointed Councilmen Chamberlin, Chase, Bass, Sidelinger and Stone.

The orders granting the Telephone company permission to remove two poles on Temple street and relocate poles on Elm and Water streets took another reading.

Adjourned at 9.03 to meet March 6.

Golden Wedding.

There was a happy and unusual gathering at the Swedish Methodist church Monday evening, the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Johannes Olson of Nelson street. The church was filled with relatives and friends, including many visiting clergymen. It was the first Swedish golden wedding ever celebrated in Quincy.

Potted plants and cut flowers, together with the Swedish national colors, were used in the decorations of the church, and the effect was charming.

At 8 o'clock, Miss Lydia Carlander, daughter of Rev. S. L. Carlander, pastor of the church, played a wedding march, and the entire congregation stood up as the rear door of the church opened and the bridal procession entered.

First came the ushers, August Serberg, a son-in-law, and Victor Serberg, a grandson, followed by two little flower girls, Victoria Johnson and Josie Mertenson. Then came the bridal couple, Mr. and Mrs. Olson, with slow and measured step, their faces radiant with blushes as when they approached the altar fifty years ago.

Following the bridal couple, came their five sons and daughters, now grown into womanhood and manhood, and twenty-seven grandchildren. It was a grand and glorious sight to see them all ranged about the old couple as the Rev. Mr. Carlander advanced to meet them. A similar sight was never before witnessed in Quincy and probably never will be again.

Rev. Mr. Carlander congratulated the worthy couple on the attainment of their fiftieth anniversary and pointed with pride to the fact that they were among the first members of the Methodist Episcopal church. He also gave a short sketch of their lives and presented them with $70 in gold, which was on a gold platter fashioned like a grape leaf, the handle being formed by a bunch of grapes.

The platter was inscribed "50th wedding anniversary, Johannes Olsen-Maria C. Olson—1855—Feb. 20—1905."

Several clergymen followed with cheering words. There was a short entertainment consisting of recitations by Miss Wolborg Peterson; duets by Mrs. Selma Johnson and Miss Mary Vitting; violin solos by Wesley Carlandar, and piano selections by Miss Lydia Carlander.

Rev. Mr. Carlander read three congratulatory telegrams from Pennsylvania and New York.

After the entertainment Mr. and Mrs. Olson held a reception and for over an hour were kept busy shaking hands with their friends and responding to words of congratulation. At 9.30 a wedding supper was served in the vestry.

Mr. and Mrs Olson were both born in Jerbo, Socken, Dalsland, Sweden. Mr. Olson Oct. 8, 1828, and Mrs. Olson, March 19, 1830. They were married Feb. 20, 1855. The first sixteen years of their married life was passed in their native place. They then went to Gefle and remained there until 1884, when they came to America and located in Niantic, Conn.

They remained there five months and then came to Quincy where they have since resided. Mr. Olson's trade in the old country was in a pottery manufactory. In this country, however, he learned the stone mason's business, at which he has been employed for many years.

Six children have been born to them. All but one are now living and were present at this celebration. They are John Olson, Emma C. Serberg, wife of August Serberg, Sven Peter Olson, Matilda, wife of Alfred Johnson, and Elizabeth, wife of William Mortenson. Taken as a whole it was a gathering that President Roosevelt would be glad to look upon.

Firemen's Relief Association.

The annual meeting of the Quincy Firemen's Relief Association was held at the Central fire station on Saturday evening. The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows:

President,—Chief Eng. Q. F. D. Peter J. Williams.

Vice President,—William F. Powers.

Clerk,—Walter P. Hill.

Treasurer,—Thomas F. Hogan.

Trustees-at large,—Peter J. Williams, Welcome J. Blake, John H. O'Brien, Murdock Martin, William A. Gavin.

Trustees from Companies,—F. L. Bent, from H. & L. No. 2; M. A. McDonald, from Comb. No. 1; C. O'Connell, from Comb. No. 2; James Dillon, from H. & L. No. 3; G. H. Rhodes, from Hose No 2; C. P. Costa, from Engine No. 1; E. F. Drohan, from Hose No. 3; Chris. Oliver, from Hose No. 4; and A. C. Merritt, from H. & L. No. 1.

☞It must have been a moralist who said to his daughter, when he took her to see the Siamese twins:—"Observe, Prudence, my dear, the care exercised by Nature when it united these two citizens, and think what a heavy and wearisome fetter that membrane, which attaches them together, would have been, if, instead of being brothers, they had been strangers to each other."—Lynn Item.

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THE ANNUAL BUDGET.

The annual estimates of Mayor Thompson and City Treasurer Fay for the current expenses of the city for 1905, to be raised by taxation, are a little lower than the estimates of Mayor Bryant last year. With the School Committee items added the total for 1905 is also smaller than 1904. But the maturing debt and interest are larger so that the total to be raised by taxation is $8,170 more than was contemplated last year.

In the summary below, the Patriot has compared the estimates of 1905 with the estimates of 1904. In the issue of Saturday the Ledger will compare the estimates of 1905 with the appropriations of 1904, which vary some from the estimates. The estimates of the School Committee are added to the budget of the Mayor below to make a complete document.

	1904.	1905.
By the Board of Assessors:		
Transfers from Register of Deeds and Probate, books, advertising, binding and postage, miscellaneous expenses, clerical services,	$2,815	$2,850
By the Board of Health:		
Miscellaneous expenses, abating nuisances and contagious diseases, and clerical services,	$3,100	$1,500
Inspection,	800	780
Garbage,	3,000	3,000
By the Managers of Public Burial Places:		
Cemeteries	$4,000	$4,000
By the Mayor: Approved by the President of the Council:		
Contingent fund	$150	$100
Advertising, printing and stationery	900	900
By the Auditor:		
Salary of city officers, including $175 for clerical services for the Auditor	$20,013	$20,613
By the City Clerk:		
Clerical services, advertising, printing, stationery and elections	$2,824	$3,074
State Aid and Soldiers' Relief	7,000	7,800
By the Chief Engineer, Fire Department:		
Pay of men	$20,500	$19,300
Horse shoeing and keeping	2,500	3,300
Fire alarm	1,200	1,400
Lighting engine houses	500	300
Fuel	500	500
Firemen's clothing	200	200
Repairs and fixtures	1,300	1,300
Miscellaneous	2,000	2,000
Keeping Chief's horse	200	200
Horses and harnesses	600	600
Hose	1,000	1,000
	$30,500	$30,100
By the Tax Collector:		
Clerical services,	$1,350	$1,500
Advertising, printing, stationery, and miscellaneous,	1,825	1,825
For collection of delinquent taxes,	——	400
By the City Treasurer:		
Clerical services and miscellaneous,	$950	1,000
Approved by the Committee on Finance:		
Grand Army, Post 88,	$400	$400
John A. Boyd Camp 2, S. W. V.,	50	75
City Hospital,	4,000	4,000
By the City Engineer:		
Expense of office,	2,500	2,500
By the Board of Trustees of the Thomas Crane Public Library:		
Replacing and purchase of books, periodicals, binding and printing, salaries and assistance, fuel and lighting, miscellaneous (including dog tax receipts), catalogues,	6,400	6,500
By Commissioner of Public Works:		
Bridges, culverts and drains	$2,500	$2,500
Removal of snow	7,500	5,000
Street lighting	21,800	22,300
Advertising, printing and stationery	300	150
Clerical services	780	780
Repairing public buildings and care City Hall	6,500	6,500
Miscellaneous expenses, repair of streets, maintenance of horses, and purchase of tools	23,500	24,500
Watering streets (schedule to be furnished by the Council)	6,800	7,000
Collection of ashes	1,500	——
	$71,180	$68,730
By the Park Commissioners:		
Parks	$1,200	$1,200
Tree planting	——	200
By the City Solicitor:		
Law library	$75	$75
By the Chief of Police:		
Chief of Police	$1,000	$1,000
Permanent men	19,656	19,656
Keeper of station	200	200
Special police and miscellaneous	4,295	3,300
Enforcement of liquor law	500	1,000
	$25,651	$25,156
By the Mayor:		
Miscellaneous city expenses and claims,	$3,000	$3,600
By the Overseer of the Poor:		
Almshouse and outside poor,	$8,000	$9,000
Clerical services,	400	
By the Sealer of Weights and Measures:		
Expense of office,	$175	$175
Totals by Mayor under $12 limit,	$202,258	$200,453
By the School Committee;		
Salaries, fuel, janitors, transportation, books, supplies and sundries, evening schools,		
Total by School Committee,	$114,965	$116,332
Total under $12 limit,	$317,223	$316,785
By the Treasurer:		
City debt,	$69,078	$77,942
Park debt,	2,000	2,000
Interest, Park debt,	1,600	1,520
Interest, City debt,	16,483	14,307
Interest, temporary loans,	10,000	12,000
	$99,661	$107,769
Total by taxation,	$416,384	$424,554
Water Department: To be paid from the water rates:		
Water debt,	$35,500	$37,500
Maintenance,	12,000	11,000
Interest on Water debt,	27,725	27,295
	$75,225	$75,795
Sewer Department: To be paid from Sewer Assessments:		
Maturing debt,	$14,800	$17,300
Interest on debt,	17,179	19,008
Maintenance,	1,500	1,500
	$33.479	$37,808
Grand totals,	$525,088	$538,157

—Philadelphia is well named "The City of Homes." Last year nearly 6,000 new houses averaging less than $2,000 in cost were built. That city has nearly 290,000 dwellings, an average of about one dwelling for every five persons.

Anecdotes.

Hoax—"Helloa, old man! I suppose you're giving up something during Lent?"

Joax—"Oh, yes; I'm giving up all the good resolutions I made at the New Year."—Philadelphia Record.

An American hostess was trying to add to the pleasure of a French gentleman by speaking French to him.

Observing her lack of fluency, with amiability he said: "Pardon, madame, somewhat the French is difficult for you. I am able to understand your mean-ness if you will speak English."

"Your son is an actor, you say, Mr. Maginnis?"

"Faith, he is."

"And what role does he play?"

"Rolls, is it, Faith, he rolls up the curtain."—Tid-Bits.

"Did ye hear about what happened to poor Donnegan, that kilt Malvaney?"

"No. Fhat was it?"

"The joodge sintinced him to jail for risht of his loife."

"Is that so? Poor Donnegan! It's me own opinion that he'll doie befoore he serves out half his terrum."

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Household Receipts.

Potato and Parsnip Stew. Two quarts of potatoes, after being sliced thin; one quart of sliced parsnip; one-fourth pound of salt pork, cut fine and par-boiled. Cook as above, seasoning only with pepper.

Baked Salt Codfish. Codfish is not half bad if, instead of being make into balls and fried, it is creamed and baked. Cream enough desiccated codfish to make a pint, add a few grains of paprika and from one-quarter to one-half a cup of grated cheese. Fill scallop shells with the mixture, cover with buttered crumbs and bake till a nice brown.

Boiled Stuffed Chicken. Boil till about half cooked enough onions to fill the chickens to be cooked, and drain; mash them a little, moisten with milk, season with salt and white pepper and a chopped celery stalk or two to them. Fill the chickens, truss them, and boil till tender. Let the water in which they boil cook away slowly till only a half pint or so remains. Add to this half a pint of rich cream, season as needed with pepper and. salt, thicken and serve.—The Epicure.

Fish Salad. Remove all the bones and skin, and pick up the fish into small pieces. Be sure to keep it on the ice sometime before serving. Place the fish in center of the dish on which it is to be served, and around the edge arrange a good quantity of crisp lettuce. Then slice some ripe tomatoes and place them on the lettuce leaves. Over the whole pour mayonnaise dressing and garnish with parsley.

Chinese Cream Toast. Toast six slices of stale bread, and cover with grated cheese. Make a cream sauce with a rounding tablespoonful of butter, a tablespoonful of salt and one pint of hot milk. Place the toast and cheese in the oven for a few minutes, then pour on the cream, and serve.

To Teach in Boston.

Chester Wilbar, principal of the Williams grammar school, Chelsea, for nearly three years, has sent his resignation to the school committee for approval.

Mr. Wilbar resigns in order to accept the position of sub-master in the Thomas N. Hart grammar school at South Boston. Mr. Wilbar is a native at Hyannis and went to Chelsea from Quincy, being principal of the Willard school in this city.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

William F. Sherburne to Alphonse J. Pontas.
Caroline P. Locke to Wildey Savings Bank, $3000.
John H. Dnegan to Wildey Savings Bank.
John S. Johnson to Martin Person.
Martin Person to John S. Johnson.
Dana I. McIntire to Maurice E. Kilpatrick.
George R. Frazer to Hazen R. Chapman.
Harold M. Crane to Carrie J. Crane.
Thomas G. Washburn to James Lonergan tr.
Julia E. Fuller to James Lonergan tr.
George W. Jones to Sarah E. Robertson.
Herbert T. Whitman et al trs. to Asa O. A. Sewell.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Tremont Theatre.

Mr. E. S. Willard, the distinguished English actor, who has not been seen in Boston since November, 1902, will reappear at the Tremont Theatre next Monday to fulfill a two weeks' engagement. He will devote the first week to the presentation of "The Brighter Side," a translation of Alfred Capus' play, 'La Chatelaine." The original work was a great success in Paris, where it ran an entire season at the Theatre Renaissance, and there was active competition among managers to secure the foreign rights. Mr. Willard was fortunate enough to acquire the rights for this country and had an English version made by the well-known London dramatist, Louis N. Parker. Mr. Willard will present no less than four plays during his second and last week, the programme being as follows: Monday and Tuesday evenings and Wednesday matinee, "The Middleman," by Henry Arthur Jones; Wednesday evening, "David Garrick," by T. W. Robertson; Thursday and Friday evenings and Saturday matinee, "The Professor's Love Story," by J. M. Barrie; Saturday night, "Tom Pinch," by Charles Dickens.

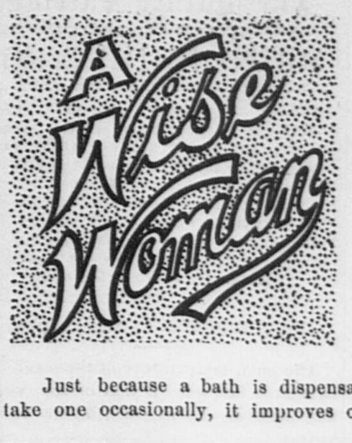
Boston Theatre.

The attraction this week and next is that greatest of all New England plays, "Quincy Adams Sawyer" which is playing a return engagement in response to an unprecedented demand. "Quincy Adams Sawyer" has the same big company, the same cast of principals and the same production that attracted such large audiences when it opened the season of the Boston Theatre last fall. Two weeks is the limit of the present engagement and the sale of seats is in such brisk progress that those who wish to see the show will do well to secure seats in advance. A souvenir afternoon and evening have been arranged for Wednesday, March 1st, during the second week of the engagement. This will be unusual for instead of a single souvenir performance there will be two, both afternoon and evening. In selecting a souvenir Manager McCarty has been most happy in choosing the well-known game, "Stage," which by a strange coincident is put out by the same house that published Charles Felton Pidgin's famous novel, "Quincy Adams Sawyer," from which the play was dramatized.

Castle Square Theatre.

An announcement of unusual interest is made by the management of the Castle Square theatre regarding the attraction at this popular play house for next week. Arrangements have been made with the Messrs Liebler & Compeny who have the control of Hall Caine's famous spectacular play "The Eternal City" by which the Castle Square company will make a production of this great drama with the use of all the stage settings and accessories designed for the original presentation of the play. Few of the productions of recent years have created such intense interest as "The Eternal City" and although the play differs somewhat from story in the book, the author has been equally successful in maintaining the dramatic interest in his story. It is announced for only a single week and the usual distribution of choice chocolate bonbons will be made at the Monday matinee.

United States Senator P. C. Knox of Pennsylvania, says the only way to become a successful lawyer is to study a case over and over again.



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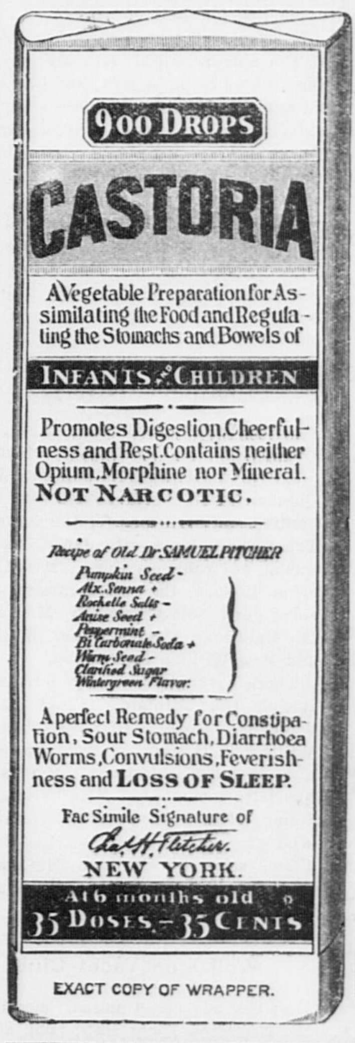
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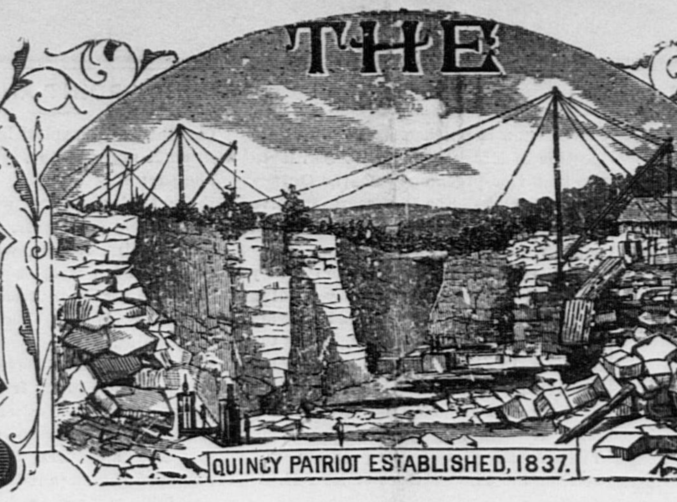

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SURPLUS over Re-Insurance,	$455,776.74
LOSSES paid the past year,	$42,201.94
DIVIDENDS PAID the past year,	$66,032 42
GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year,	$12,983.04
GAIN IN CASH FUND the past year,	20,297.34

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Cash Assets - - - -	507,409 00
Deposit Notes - - - -	627,581.17
Available Assets - - -	1,134,990.24
Total Liabilities - - - -	338 543.29
Cash Surplus - - - -	168,86 578
Gain in Surplus in 1904 - -	7,458.47
Gain in Assets in 1904 - -	35,012 93
Losses paid in 1904 - - -	103,055 43
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Disbursements in 1904 - - -	228,975.58

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DEDHAM, MASS.
STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1905.

Amount at Risk,	$24,627,979.48
Cash Assets,	668,766.38
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	193,222.23
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$475,544.15
Contingent Assets,	352,120.59
Total Available Assets,	1,020,886.97
Gain in Surplus,	17,211.34

Dividends are now being paid on five-year policies, 70 per cent.; on three-year policies, 50 per cent.; on one and two-year policies, 25 per cent.

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DEDHAM, MASS.
STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1905:

Amount at Risk,	$7,224,426.07
Cash Assets,	169,173.07
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	62,518.78
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$106,654.29
Contingent Assets,	111,131.71
Total Available Assets,	280,304.78
Gain in Surplus,	4,559.07

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In a way to beat the Dutch;
Wavin' their arms wild in the air,
And stampin' on th' floor—
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We gather there 'most every night
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An' sorter glance the kentry o'er,
Takin' a bird's-eye view
Of politics, diplomacy,
Religion, crops and soar
To patriotic heights—you bet!—
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When Russia gits a leetle fresh,
Or England throws a bluff,
Or Germany shoots off some more
Retaliation stuff;
Or Turkey holds her fingers to
Her snubby, turn-up nose,
Wigglin' 'em in the direction
Yer Uncle Samyel goes—
We ca'mly takes the matter up,
Prepared fer peace 'r war;
Don't keer much which, when we gits riled,
Daown to the Crossroads store.

Somtimes our argyments grow hot,
An' Deekin Brown rips out
A good old cuss word, like "Gol darn
What Italy's about!"
Then Granpop White jumps from his cheer
An' grabs an ole axe helve.
"By gum!" he speaks, "that what we done
'Way back in Eighteen-twelve!"
You can believe the eagle screams,
An' cannons crash an' roar,
When we're settlin' mighty questions
Daown to the Crossroads store.

—Harper's Magazine

Miscellany.

LATTA'S SUGAR CAMP.

A March day. A good "sugar" day, cool and crisp at the morning and evening edges of it, but warm in the heart of its noon with a caressing sunshine that coaxed the violets into bloom on sunny southern banks, and set the sweet sap of the maples dripping in the great sugar camp. The two women who stood on the south porch of the farm house could see the smoke of the fire in the sugar camp a quarter of a mile away.

"You'd better go down to the camp, Latta, and send the boys home to supper. It's nowhere near dark yet, and you can stay and tend the fire 'till they get back. Do wear your bonnet, child. This March wind tans you brown. What do you think Ethan Ames would say to see you running wild so?"

"He wouldn't say anything. He never did."

"Yes, he did—to me. I've never told you, Latta, but I have been thinking lately that I ought to tell you what Ethan said to me the day before we left Vermont to come west. He said he intended to marry you if I approved of it, and he hoped you would keep up your reading and not lose your refinement out west here. He said he would send you books and papers—I don't see why the American Missionary hasn't come this month—it's time—and Ethan said of course he shouldn't be able to marry you for six or seven years yet, as he has to go through college, and then go to the theological seminary, and then to get settled somewhere, and he said—Why, Latta, what's the matter?" The girl's blue eyes glowed, and the cool, pure color, in her cheeks deepened.

"And I'm not to be consulted at all?" she said passionately. "Why wasn't this said to me?"

"Don't be unreasonable, Latta. I dare say Ethan means to write to you in due time, but of course it was fit and proper that he should speak to me first, and I'm sure he has my consent. His mother and I used to buy your dresses off the same piece, and as we sat together making them up, we used to plan and hope for this very thing. She gave Ethan to the Lord as he lay in his cradle, and I gave you to Ethan. I am sure nothing better could happen to you, Latta, than to be the wife of a minister with a college education, and I shouldn't wonder if it would come about that Ethan would be settled at Embury, and you might go back and live in your old home. I do hope you won't fly in the face of providence by refusing him."

"I shall never marry Ethan Ames, mother."

"And why not I'd like to know? I'm sure you always seemed to like each other. You used to sit and sew patchwork together by the afternoon at a time and you never quarrelled."

"Quarrelled! I should think not. I would as soon have quarrelled with my rag doll. Why, mother," drawing her lithe shape up to its full height, "Ethan Ames isn't as tall as I am."

"Well—what of that? Your father was a small man and so was St. Paul. You take your height from me, Latta—but that didn't prevent him from being deacon in the first church, and no man in the place had more influence. If it is just height you want, you had better marry that Val Burlisle that's working here. He's six feet any day."

Latta Gardener walked slowly across the field to the sugar camp. She wanted time to lose the vexed color from her cheeks and the hot tears of anger from her eyes. She was hurt and angry with Ethan Ames that he should have talked her over in this way with her mother; that he should have thought her a woman to be won without any wooing. She tried to remember how he looked. His blue eyes and smooth face seemed no more to her now than a faded daguerreotype. She had grown very tired of the petty household economies of the little Vermont village, just as her brothers had grown tired of hard work and scanty profits, and together, their father being dead, they had persuaded their mother to come away, and though it was no further than southern Ohio, it was "west to them, and the people and the ways of the people were new. They were doing well. Their thrifty New England farming was making the most of the broad acres of river bottom and upland, and in these early spring days they had opened the sugar camp, and Latta, with the rest, worked hard. She liked the western men with their frank ways and rough riding. She liked their height and their breath of shoulder, and the strong clasp of the hand that helped her over the rough places. And somehow it happened that it was Val Burlisle who helped her oftenest, and she remembered certain looks of his that had made her flush with a strange, new shyness. But nothing had ever roused her to such quick consciousness as her mother's careless words that evening.

Marry Val Burlisle. Latta had never yet thought of marrying any man. She sent her brothers to the house and stood by the flickering camp-fire. And then she went out among the trees and found that some of the sugar troughs were running over, and pouring the sugar water into wooden buckets, she began to carry it back to the great hogshead that stood by the fire. A shadow fell across her path, and a hand took the bucket from her hand.

"It's too heavy for," said Val Burlisle "You've no call to do such liftin', what's your mother thinking about"

"O, I like it," said Latta, eagerly. "I want to help. I don't look very strong but I am."

"You look like the angel of God." The words came quick and low, below his breath. Latta started. Ethan Ames had never said anything like that. And then before she had time to speak, he had taken her hand in a grasp that hurt her, and laid his lips down on her cool, white arm and kissed her there.

"Oh, don't said Latta, faintly. "Let me go, let me go," she entreated.

"You hurt me."

He made her sit down by the fire, and then he went around to all the trees and when all was done he threw himself down in the doorway of the little cabin where the boys slept at night. "Do you mind my playing on the violin awhile?"

"O, no. I like it."

Val began to play. Sad plantation songs with the trouble beating of broken hearts all through the tangle chords, minor strains that had neither beginning nor end. It was Val Burlisle's one gift, and in this way he found expression for the dumb love that could find no other speech nor language. It was the same tone that she had heard in his voice an hour before,—it was the same passion that had pressed down kisses on her white arm. All the weight of a strong and hopeless love was laid on the little violin. It entreated, pleaded, demanded; once the chord broke almost into sobs. That was when she "hurt him."

Latta felt, half consciously, that passionate appeal. The music was the lover he dared not be.

"I never heard such playing, Latta," whispered her mother, who had come out to the camp to look after her. "It makes me feel as it did when they played "China" at your father's funeral. I thought violins were only for dancing music."

"I daresay he can play dancing music mother," Latta answered.

"Well he won't I hope. I shouldn't feel that that was right. Your father would never have approved.

"Are you going to teach the summer school?" he asked presently, as her mother moved away to look after the fire.

"Yes."

"I wish it was winter. I'd come to school to you. I need it bad enough. You can see that. I never had any chance. You can see that, and when I hear your brothers talk, I feel as though I had all the bark on. And yet my father was a Virginia gentleman. We've got blood in us. And we had good breeding, fifty years ago. Yes, an' later'n that. I can just remember how my father looked and talked. My mother was French."

"Do you remember your mother?"

"Not much, but I've got a picture of her, and some letters. She had a sweet face, some like yours, only she was dark, and you're light. I've been wantin' to ask you to look at that picture. It's in that little valise of mine upstairs at your house. I wish you'd get it and read the letters."

"You can show them to me some day."

"No—I'd rather you'd look at 'em by yourself. The boys might notice it, and I won't have them joking about you—an' me. You're as far above me as the stars above the valley, and yet I can't help thinkin' that if I'd only had a chance, there wouldn't a'been so much difference after all. S'pposin' I'd go away—it isn't too late yet—and make somebody of myself—Latta—could you ever love a fellow like me?"

And just then they all came back, and there was no time to answer.

"I believe I'll go hunting tomorrow," he said a little later, if you boys don't want me."

"Come, Latta," said her mother, and they went home.

The next day she looked at the picture, it was such a sweet, fine face, this French mother of Val Burlisle's. Tears came to her eyes. She felt that subtle, indescribable sense of kinship that sometimes, stronger than any bond of blood, binds together the only two women in the world who can love the same man without jealousy.

This mother, with her proud, tender face, seemed leaning down to her out of heaven, and pleading for her boy as he had not pleaded for himself.

That afternoon was the "sugaring off." The camp was full of merry people—men and women, boys and girls. The translucent amber of the syrup was poured off and set away to cool, the warm, sweet sugar grained and was moulded into solid cakes. With wooden plates and spoons they dipped the thick syrup out before it went to sugar, and twisted it into shining sticks of wax. Through the maples the soft spring sunshine flickered, and the warm, sweet air was full of bird songs and gay laughter. Val Burlisle was not there. He had gone hunting, as he said he should.

By and by Latta wandered away, a little tired of it all. Across the prairie, for so they called the timbered level that lay beyond the ploughed fields, the field was full of cattle.

She went that way to look at them. It was so still. The dry grass was warm under her feet. She heard the report of a gun. Was he somewhere near? She would not go into the timber at all, she thought, but would keep in the open, where she could be seen. And then, a little way in among the trees, she saw something lying. Some wounded thing had crept in there to die, she thought. With a vague, curious pity, she went in through the underbrush and came suddenly upon Val Burlisle, lying against the low log to which he had dragged himself, with his face as white as the face of the dead, and the blood ozzing from a wound in his side.

And then, all at once, Latta knew that the man who lay there was the man she loved.

Deftly and silently she did what he told her to do to stop the bleeding, and when he felt the tenderness in her touch and saw the yearning love in her eyes, he knew that at last this one sweet woman in all the world was his.

"It's worth being shot to have you look at me like that, sweetheart. Don't go, dear, I'm easy now. Stay by me."

"Dear love, I must go. We must have help," she said.

"You don't mean to sit up with him all night, Latta? One of the boys might just as well. He is out of danger the doctor says, and all he wants is to be kept quiet. He let his gun drop in getting over the fence—he says. And do you really mean to watch by him all night? I don't see why you should, and really, Latta, I don't think it's quite proper."

And for all answer Latta knelt on the floor by the low couch where her lover lay and said: "I am the one to stay with him, for—oh, mother, there was no time to tell you before—we love each other, and I am going to stay with him my whole life long."—Calista Halsey Patchin.

He Got the Goods.

"At the time of the civil war," said an old merchant, "Potter Palmer was in the dry goods business in Chicago, and Levi Z. Leiter and Marshall Field were working for him. Palmer wasn't so well known, but he had a good reputation in the trade, and he didn't have to introduce himself when he called on old A. T. Stewart to buy some goods. After some dickering they agreed upon the price, and Palmer calmly said that he would take about $100,000 worth. It was a little larger bill than Stewart exactly cared to sell young Palmer on credit, but he concluded to make the deal and told him to come in the next morning and arrange some final details. That night some big war news came, and it didn't require any declaration by the government to inform every dry goods man in the country that the price of goods would take a big spurt up. Stewart recognized it as soon as he had the news, and immediately thought of Palmer. He also thought of the big bill of goods Palmer had bought of him. It didn't particularly tickle Stewart, that thought didn't. But it required only a few scratches of his red head to fix things to his satisfaction. He would simply tell Palmer that he was sorry, but that he didn't feel that he could sell such a big bill on credit, and as he knew that Palmer couldn't raise the cash immediately, why that would end it, and the sale would be off. Well, young Palmer called early, and Stewart greeted him in his very abruptest manner, telling him how sorry he was, etc., but really he didn't think it wise business to extend credit for such an amount.

"'Just how much does the bill come to?' said young Palmer, seemingly sorrowful-like.

"'Just $110,000,' Stewart replied, and then he straightway gulped for breath as young Palmer drew an immense pocketbook from his inside vest pocket and, opening it, counted out 110 thousand dollar bills and, laying them quietly on Steward's desk, said: "If you will kindly count them and give me a receipt, I'll be obliged, as I must take the train home. Ship the goods soon as you can, and when you're out our way drop in. Always glad to see our friends.'"—New York Times.

Mustard and Horse-Radish.

The person who uses great quantities of condiments—mustard, pepper and the like, is laying up trouble for himself. Notice how the confirmed toper, whose stomach is in a bad way on account of his habits, piles on pepper and vinegar. The natural, healthy appetite rebels against such usage. Try to make a child eat a peppery pickle, and see how rebellion and tears follow as a natural consequence. Such condiments should be used, at most, only occasionally and in very trifling quantities.

Condiments of all sorts, says Dr. Kellogg, are productive of great mischief, producing inflammation and catarrh of the stomach, hardening of the liver, disease of the kidneys, dropsy, hemorrhoids, ulceration of the stomach, catarrh of the bowels, and many other maladies dependent on those which have been mentioned. We must include in this list mustard, pepper, cayenne, ginger, spices, curry, horse-radish, and all other substances which produce a smarting sensation in the mouth, or are capable of producing irritation when applied to the skin.

When mustard or other irritants are applied to the stomach, the entire gastric mucous membrane is irritated and injured, and the whole stomach is crippled. It should be remembered that the stomach has a limited area, hence a small amount of any irritating substance may damage the entire stomach surface.—Healthy Home.

A sad-looking man went into a drugstore and asked the druggist if he could give him something to drive from his mind thoughts of sorrow and bitter recollections. The druggist nodded, and put him up a mixture of quinine and wormwood and rhubarb and epsom salts, with a dash of castor oil, and gave it to the man; and for six months he could not think of anything except new schemes for getting the tastes out of his mouth.—New Idea.

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Greased the Track.

The scheme of greasing railroad tracks to slow up a train is due to an old Frenchwoman, who saw with regret her son's income as a train robber running down. "I can't board those fast through freight trains," he complained, in excuse; and his confederates who were his sons, backed him up in it.

"Then grease the track," retorted the indomitable old lady, "and don't stand there ha-ha-ing like so many sillies. Try it, and you will find out who is silly, you or your old mother!" The boys called it grandma's idea," but they tried it. For months after the date of this conversation the freight department officials of the Paris, Lyons and Midi Railway company continued to be mystified over the unaccountable loss of valuable merchandise from the fast freight train that had been their pride and boast. The packages simply disappeared.

Detectives pursued clews in vain. The traps laid for the robbers caught nobody, and the robberies grew more and more audacious. They sealed the cars on their departure. The cars arrived at their destination with the seals intact. The cars were specially watched from the moment of their loading and sealing until the moment of departure. At every station trusted employees examined them and stood by them until the train started off again. They discovered nothing. The chef de train—an honest man—offered to resign. The story got into the papers, and a wonder mongering philosopher of the type of M. Flammarion wrote articles about it, bringing in a fourth dimension of space, "cracks in the universe," and the innate perversity of inanimate objects.

One day a track walker happened to observe along the line between Savigny and Juvisy-sur-Orges a scattered row of white sugar coated cough drops, extending from the middle of the track to where they lost themselves in a mass of shrubbery at the side. Following them as Hop o' My Thumb followed the white pebbles, he found them leading to the roadway, across it, into a field, and there the clew gave out. Evidently some one had carried a bag of cough drops over the route, a bag with a hole in it, through which the cough drops fell and scattered.

The indication was precious, because there was precisely a bag of sugar coated cough drops among the merchandise that disappeared the night before from the fast through freight train. Reporting the incident, a careful search was made of everything in the vicinity, and, much to the astonishment of the detectives, the tracks were found to be thickly smeared with lard. Smeared with lard! Lard! Why, of course, it flashed on them immediately that some one must have put that lard there. Why? That was the mystery, and they pondered over it three days. Then one of the detectives had a great thought, "Let us lie in watch around that neighborhood, and perhaps something will turn up."

That night as the detectives of the Paris, Lyons and Midi Railway company were lying hidden by the track they perceived dark shadows moving toward them. Three men, a boy, and two women came up and began mysterious operations. They carried buckets and worked kneeling down along the track. They were greasing the rails again. The detectives allowed them to work on in peace till all was finished. They remained in hiding while the mysterious track greasers, all but one man, hurried down the line in the direction of Paris. They waited. The moments seemed long. At last, however, the rumbling of an approaching train was heard. It was the fast through freight.

The freight train was coming down upon them at the rate of 30 miles an hour. When it struck the grease, they could see it slide along for quite a distance, then slow up to a remarkable degree. It almost stopped. Away ahead the locomotive puffed and labored. Did the engineer and fireman feel the slacking up? It seems not. The train labored on awhile yet till the puffing locomotive had dragged it clear of the last greased rails and then resumed its former speed. But the detectives, always watching, saw the whole trick and admired its ingenuity. A freight car door was open, and some one inside was throwing out all kinds of packages, while the family picked them up along the track. From the top of the freight car, just beside the door, there hung and swung a kind of rope ladder. They saw the man inside the car, when he had finished throwing packages, come out and support himself on the ladder. They saw him slide, shut the freight car door, seal it again, climb the ladder, unfasten it, throw it off and then jump off himself just as the train was getting up its speed again. The trick was discovered.

There was nothing left but to arrest the robbers. Caught with their booty in their hands, they made a full confession. "It was grandma's idea," the ungrateful men clamored. All the same they could not prove it. And grandma when they came down upon the house, was found in bed, as innocent as any little child. "Why, what naughty boys," she said, "to try to drag their poor old grandmother into their troubles." The family got various terms of imprisonment, excepting the old lady, against whom there was no proof.—Exchange.

A Baby Engineer.

The little-three-year-old son of Engineer W. B. Evans, of the Fort John, Ore., motor line, recently gave his father and every employe along the entire line of the road an exciting time. He climbed into an engine which was standing in the yard with full steam on, and opened the throttle wide. His father, hearing the engine moving off, started in pursuit. Quickly he telephoned to the stations ahead, but when Portsmouth, the next station, was reached, no one dared to board the engine as it thundered past, until within three hundred yards of the end of the line the steam gave out, and a heavy grade slackened the speed.

—A nimble worker makes an easy dollar.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, Feb. 25, 1905.

Seldom has a Congress of the United States ended its days under more peculiar or conflicting conditions. The country is prosperous, peaceful and hopeful in the midst of political and industrial conditions and outlook that is little short of revolutionary. The indictment of the beef trusts involving prominent railroads and the summoning of clouds of witnesses, the investigation of the Standard oil Monopoly. The railroad rate bill passed almost unanimously by the House but held up by Senators Elkins, Kean and other representatives of the roads in the Senate portend other far reaching and far searching investigations of monopolies until the country is on tip toe of hope and expectation. What will the summer's incubation bring forth? It is not doubtful that the country is behind Theodore Roosevelt, more powerfully behind him and with him than it was on the fourth of November, for that splendid majority has been reenforced by Bryan, and a powerful Democratic contingent. Will the Senate continue its obstructive or to be polite, its deliberative tactics? It is believed in political circles here that there will be a called session of the new Congress in September or October and that the Senate will not then stand in the way of what the country so unanimously demands.

Congress is finishing up in hot haste. One day this week a hundred and thirty bills were passed in less than forty minutes.

The Canal bill passed the Senate Thursday notwithstanding the newspaper prophecy that it would not be taken up at this session, but the recommendation most desired by the President that the Canal Commission be abolished was stricken out. Secretary Taft has been most outspoken in declaring that the Commission has been an obstruction rather than an aid in the administration of canal matters and the House bill made provision for the abolishment of the Commission but the opposition in the Senate led by Senator Allison who is a close friend of Rear Admiral Walker the president of the Commission, and Senator Gorman, resulted in the elimination of the provision. The bill as it passed the Senate states that the President shall have authority to appoint a person or persons to govern the Canal zone and that the President shall be given further authority to direct such control but it is not likely that the House will accept this most important amendment and the bill will go to conference. Among the reasons that have made the President so eager to have the Canal commission abolished was the lack of actual work done under the commission.

The House Committee has threatened that if this provision of the bill were eliminated by the Senate it would lay before the President a statement of the facts developed at the recent hearings regarding the acceptance of fees on the part of the Commissioners for acting as directors of the Panama railroad, and it is probable that the Committee will proceed to make the report at once. The acceptance of such fees was in direct violation, the committee states to the order of the President.

Indications now are that a sea level canal will be dug. Engineers have been watching with great interest the work on the Simplon tunnel, the longest subterranean road in the world and it is argued that experience in this great excavation will greatly aid in tunneling the Culebra mountain and letting the Chagres river out through the tunnel, thus eliminating the flood problem which has been the greatest, or in fact the only obstacle in the way of a sea level canal. The Simplon tunnel is twelve miles long, the Culebra tunnel will need be only four miles long and will probably not cost more than the Bohio dam and locks would cost.

Representative Campbell who has emerge from youthful obscurity to be one of the most talked of men of the day by his introduction of a resolution recommending the investigation and criminal prosecution of the Standard Oil Company insists that he has the evidence in hand to prove all of the charges he has made against the company to Commissioner of Corporations Garfield. The development of the situation in Kansas, taken in conjunction with the popular feeling aroused by the many newspaper and magazine articles of late on the subject, gave Mr. Campbell's act a peculiar timeliness and the House indicated its feeling by adopting the resolution regardless of party lines. When the Government starts the investigation it will measure strength with one of the most powerful industrial and financial institutions in the world, and the movement may well be regarded as the most momentous begun in this decade.

Adams.

School Pupils' Dissipations.

Teachers generally agree on one thing; they say let night entertainments, if they have to occur in the school child's life, come on Friday or Saturday night, but do not let them break in on study days. One teacher tells me she would much prefer it did not occur at all, and she points out as her best student the rosy-faced, plainly-gowned little girl with her hair neatly parted and hanging in a long braid down her back. "Not only my best pupil," she adds, "but my best girl; sweet tempered, courteous and kind to all her fellows, rich or poor. She is simple in her manners as in her clothes, and just a girl, not a young lady yet. You ask why? Simply because she has a lovely, wise, womanly mother, with the best interests of her child and the interests of the whole school at heart, yet she is one of the wealthiest women in the city."—Good Housekeeping.

☞Scientists provide us with all manner of means of combating our faults and failings. We can be careful about our wallpapers, we can take color baths, and, above all, we can feed ourselves in such a fashion that we can at will either increase our viciousness and weaknesses, or turn ourselves into very agreeable members of society.—Ladys Pictorial.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1905.

Granite Men Out.

It was with a general feeling of regret that the citizens of Quincy Wednesday learned that the Granite Cutters' Union had refused to accept the proposition of the Manufacturers and that there was a suspension of work. The general feeling however, is that the strike will not be of long duration.

The proposition submitted to the Cutters' Union at the conference Monday night, was that the minimum wage be $3 per day, but that men unable to earn this amount should be permitted to work for less.

This proposition was very favorably received by the Cutters' Committee on Monday but they did not have full power to settle, and were obliged to submit it to the Union. This they did at a meeting of the Cutters' Union held Tuesday evening at St. Mary's hall.

The meeting was largely attended and was addressed by Secretary Duncan, who is reported to have said that he did not wish to interfere with the local affairs but that he desired the union to decide the question itself.

A vote on the question was taken by a show of hands and the proposition was voted down.

The committee then came to Quincy and met the Manufacturers' Committee in conference, as agreed upon, and reported the result of the West Quincy meeting. The conference was of short duration.

Wednesday the men went out as the existing bill of prices had expired.

The number of Union men affected is 865, of which 785 are granite cutters.

There was practically no change in the granite situation Thursday. The meeting of the cutters at St. Mary's hall Wednesday did not develop anything new.

The meeting was adjourned from the previous evening and was called to hear the report of the Union committee as to what transpired at the conference late Tuesday evening with the manufacturers.

After hearing the report the men were admonished to stand firm, and the meeting adjourned.

Although the union cutters were all out Wednesday there was not an entire suspension of business. At the Merrymount granite works and at Joss Bros. Co., where the employes are members of the corporation, work was progressing as usual.

More or less work was also being done in all of the yards. Manufacturers, many of whom had served their time at the trade, had their coats off and were hard at work. Some of the manufacturers were sharpening while others with apprentices were finishing up stones that had been left by the workmen.

Some of the workmen picked up their tools and put them away in their boxes while others had left them on the stone upon which they were at work when quitting time came Tuesday night.

Some of the workmen left town immediately seeking work elsewhere. The great majority, however, spent the day as their individual taste dictated.

Thursday was practically a repetition of Wednesday. Quincy cutters are a peaceful body of men and there is no fear that there will be disturbance of any kind from them.

Arbitration Board Here.

Another conference between the committees representing the Granite Manufacturers' and Cutters' Unions is the latest development in the granite trouble. This conference was held on Friday at 2 o'clock at the rooms of the manufacturers' association in the Adams building.

The request for this conference came from the State Board of Arbitration this morning, in the form of a communication sent to both committees, requesting them to hold another conference. Who was at the bottom of the suggestion does not matter as long as the desired result is reached.

Both sides immediately complied with the request, and the meeting was arranged as announced.

The Master Builders' committee had also called for a meeting for yesterday to take the necessary steps toward getting the two committees together in conference. They will not be displeased however to learn that someone has forestalled them.

Other than this there is nothing new in the situation from what it was Thursday. It is the general hope that this afternoon's conference will bring forth a speedy settlement of the differences which seems to be largely one of misunderstanding.

Messrs. Palmer, Barry and Howland of the State Board of Arbitration were present at the conference.

At 5 o'clock Friday night the two committees were still in conference with the State Board.

Better Train Service.

It is more than probable that Quincy will see a decided improvement in its Boston train service within a few days. The conferences between the Special City Council Committee and T. E. Byrnes, assistant to President Mellen, have been most congenial.

Mr. Byrnes is a thorough railroad man and has taken an unusual interest in Quincy. He is anxious to cooperate with the people and will do everything in his power to give Quincy better service than it has ever had.

He intends to entirely revise the Quincy schedule, and when the new timetable is issued there will be many important changes, which will include practically half hour service in the morning, new express trains and a late theatre train.

In the meantime Quincy is not to be neglected. Within a few days there will probably be two new inward express trains in the morning about 9.01 and 11.01 and a new evening express about 7 o'clock.

For the outward service there will probably be four or five new express trains.

The exact time cannot be given as yet, but there will probably be an express leaving Boston between 9 and 10, one between 10 and 11, one about 11.45, one about 12.45 and one about 3.45. These will be in addition to the present schedule.

—It was definitely learned on Thursday that the offer of Andrew Carnegie to contribute $400,000 to the city of Boston, to be added to the $400,000 that has accrued from the bequest of Benjamin Franklin, would be accepted, and that the entire sum would be devoted to the founding of an institution for mechanical learning such as the Peter Cooper Institute of New York.

—The public charities committee at the State house on Thursday reported a bill which calls for an appropriation of $180,000 to establish the Massachusetts hospital for consumptives. In this state last year there were 2,200 deaths from consumption. The doctors say it is a curable disease.

CITY BRIEFS.

Two unusually cold months of 1905 have passed.

Henry P. Kittredge is expected home from the south soon.

These pleasant days are thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.

Gates are to be located at the Saville street grade crossing at an early date.

A public telephone booth has been installed in L. M. Pratt & Son's store.

President Bowles of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company is in Washington.

Master Charles Irish is the happy owner of a very handsome dog, a fox-terrier.

The new house off Hancock street near the car barn is nearly ready for occupancy.

Lester M. Pratt is confined to his home on Bigelow street with nervous prostration.

Mrs. Elsie L. Robinson of Roxbury was entertained by friends in this city on Saturday.

The Thayer Academy basket ball team was defeated by Weymouth High on Saturday 27 to 15.

Mrs. E. A. Penniman has been spending the past few days with her sister at the Point.

The sidewalks are pretty rough in some places, although the ice is fast disappearing.

The new house of Freeman D. Grant, off Hancock street, is about ready for the plasterers.

The ladies of the First Parish are to serve one of their fine suppers at their fair on the fifteenth.

Mrs. W. W. Ewell of Foster street, entertained Mrs. Swan and Mrs. Cook of Abington last week.

If every month had but 28 days there would be 13 months in a year and landlords would get rich.

There are now direct mails between Quincy and Braintree, giving quick means of communication.

Miss Helen Rhines of Miller Stile road has been entertaining at her home Miss Pearl Weiss of Roxbury.

C. M. Jenness of Hancock street has recovered from his recent illness and is able to be out and around again.

The real estate men report considerable activity, and that there will be a great deal of building in the spring.

Miss Mary Webb of Washington street has been enjoying a much needed rest the past week from her duties in Boston.

G. A. Lyons, Washington street, clerk at L. M. Pratt & Son's, has been quite ill with the prevailing epidemic, the grip.

Councilman Piper and Crane of the Public Buildings Committee have been looking over the High school building this week.

Thomas C. Hewson, of Newcomb place, has been entertaining the past week his brother, M. J. Hewson of Baltimore.

Mrs. H. O. Souther has been confined to her home on Edison street by sickness the past three weeks, and is yet unable to go out.

The entertainment committee of the Granite City club are arranging for the annual banquet and theatre party to be held early in April.

There were only four days in March last year when the noon temperature was 32 or below, and in March 1903 the lowest noon temperature was 33.

Miss C. S. Hubbard is ready for the spring trade, advertising ginghams, percales, etc., for shirt waists and suits, also veilings and neckwear.

A big load of hay went through the square Tuesday morning and on the top were two men in fur coats and hats; a combination of winter and summer.

The Young People's Religious union of First church had a most delightful party in Colonial hall, February 24th, There was a large attendance of young people.

A large delegation from Maple Lodge. K. & L. of H., attended the visitation of the board of Grand officers, at Unity lodge, Washington street, Boston, on Friday evening.

Miss Eva Marden of Coddington street has returned from a three weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Fall River, and has accepted a position with J. F. Sheppard & Son.

Mrs. Benjamin Johnson, Jr., of School street entertained a number of lady friends at whist February 24th. Pretty souvenirs were awarded and the play was followed by a supper.

George W. Morton of Spear street always has the first spring blossom and under his library window a brave little snowdrop and yellow crocus have pushed their way up through the snow and ice.

Quincy and Braintree people were guests on Saturday evening at the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. George Austin Hunt of Front street, Weymouth. They were assisted in receiving by two daughters and one son.

County Commissioner Marshall P. Wright is one of the former pupils of Miss Julia E. Underwood, who is saving Herald coupons for her. He was one of her first pupils, attending school first in the Lyceum and later at the Coddington which was built in 1855. Mr. Wright was born in 1847 and is only eight years younger than his first teacher.

The dormitories at the Y. M. C. A. building are nearly ready for occupancy. One is all ready and has been taken by Guy Crowley, an employe at the Fore River plant. The others will be ready early next week and several have already been engaged. Physical Director Bugbee is to occupy one of the new dormitories and expects to be installed there in a few days. The opening of these rooms will fill a long felt want, as well as furnishing a source of income to the association.

The announcement has been received of the marriage of William Harrison Whitney of Gay street, this city, and Miss Edith Eliza Dopp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Dopp, at Petersburg, Penn., on Tuesday last. After a short wedding trip they came to Quincy where they are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Curtis of Orchard place for a few days. They are to reside at 264 South Central avenue, Wollaston, and will be at home to their friends after April 11.

The first of the series of Sunday afternoon religious meetings, in the gymnasium at the Y. M. C. A. building, was well attended, about 200 men being present. Dr. C. T. Sherman presided and the meeting opened with a song service led by T. B. Pollard. Devotional exercises followed during which the boys' choir of Christ church sang two anthems. The address which followed was by Rev. Dr. William T. McElveen the talented pastor of the Shawmut church, Boston, which was very interesting and helpful.

Spring begins Tuesday, March 21.

Lent begins next Wednesday—Ash Wednesday.

March weather seems to be all right; cool but pleasant.

Next Monday will be town meeting day in towns about Quincy.

Frank C. Gilbert has closed his variety store at 1060 Hancock street.

Rev. Mr. Latimer of Salem, has been the guest of Rev. E. C. Butler this week.

Probate court for Norfolk County will be held at Quincy next Wednesday morning.

Mrs. L. F. Callan of Woonsocket, R. I., is visiting Mrs. Peter F. Talbot of Chestnut street.

All parts of Quincy were well represented at the Dawson meeting Wednesday evening.

F. D. Grant has started the foundation for another three-apartment house off Hancock street.

Rev. E. C. Butler took part in installation exercises of Rev. F. W. Pratt at Hopedale last Tuesday.

Mr. George B. Dewson of Adams street is in Washington enjoying the inauguration ceremonies.

The price of eggs has begun to fall; later than usual this season, owing to the cold weather the past month.

Fred P. Bennett, who underwent an operation at the City Hospital last week is reported as very comfortable.

Dalcevare King was elected one of the board of directors of the Watch and Ward society at its annual meeting on Wednesday.

Lieut.-Col. Henry L. Kincaide of the Governor's staff was a guest of Co. L, Eight regiment, M. V. M., at Lawrence, February 24th.

Rev. W. Charles Wilson of Spring Hill Mines, N. S., addressed a meeting in the interest of Christ church periodical club this week.

The March meeting of the Quincy Day Nursery association will be held on Tuesday afternoon, at half-past two in the Council Chamber at City hall.

Miss Grace E. Lingham, a former Coddington teacher, is among those interested in the success of Miss Underwood, having forwarded a bunch of votes.

Albion F. Hall, who recently moved his grocery store from Washington street to 1609 Hancock, has now closed the latter place and disposed of his stock.

The Junior Friday club meets on Monday afternoon with Miss Abbie Wood of School street, with the literary program in charge of Mrs. Perry Lawton.

Next Saturday evening Founder's day is to be observed at the Woodward Institute, when at eight o'clock a play will be given in the school hall by the students.

Mrs. George Frothingham of Wibird street is entertaining her father for a few days, he having come on from Washington for a few days as a pleasant surprise for her.

It is currently reported that the B. F. Curtis estate on the corner of Washington and Elm street has been sold to Henry E. Hardwick and will be occupied by Dr. Hardwick.

Word come from the south, where Henry P. Kittredge is passing the winter months, that he has become an expert at golf, and that he won a loving cup in a recent tournament.

The two family house building on Woodward avenue at the foot of Whitney road presents a very attractive appearance so far and when completed will be a desirable addition to the locality.

Rev. A. A. Ellsworth of Russell park is to occupy the pulpit of the First Evangelical Congregational church of Milton Sunday morning. The pastor of the church is spending several weeks in California.

Pro forma verdicts were given the defendant in the cases of Sally A. Weinschenk and Carl H. Weinschenk of Quincy vs. the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. in the Norfolk Superior court on Wednesday.

Mrs. A. E. Sproul of Hancock street entertains the Friday club at her home next week Friday afternoon. The committee on the literary program is Mrs. W. E. Alden and Miss Elizabeth Souther and the subject, John Ruskin.

Inquests were held before Judge Avery, Wednesday, on the death of Julius Nelson, who was killed by the cars at the Saville street crossing on Feb. 2; also on James Sears, who was killed by the cars at Atlantic, Feb. 3.

The Quincy Women's club has started off well financially as members are already paying their annual dues so as to have a fund to work with. Very few clubs start off as auspiciously, with a club house and large charter membership.

Adams Chapter Daughters of the Revolution hold their annual meeting on Monday afternoon at three o'clock at the birthplace of President John Adams. Tea will be served at the close of the business meeting and a social time enjoyed.

Quincy women feel that they can hardly express in words their appreciation of the thoughtful kindness which prompted Dr. Brackett to offer his homestead on Presidents hill for a club house. It is hoped it will be the seed from which will grow an ever vigorous plant which will put for good fruit.

A busy week socially with the Myra Kelly monologues Monday evening, meeting of Quincy Women's club Tuesday afternoon, dramatics of Manet club Thursday evening and vaudeville by the Social club on Friday evening besides several good concerts and entertainments in the various wards.

The course of entertainments by the Cochato club of Braintree is nearing the end of the season for the next to the last one is scheduled for next Tuesday evening and will be a musicale by an instrumental sixtette from the Boston Symphony orchestra, with soprano soloist. A progressive whist party will close the season.

Those who have met Mr. and Mrs. Binnian who have recently come to Quincy to make their home, having taken the Whicher place on Adams street, find them most delightful people. When they are settled in their new home they will doubtless receive a cordial welcome. At present they are stopping with Mrs. Keyes of Alleyne terrace.

The ladies of the Fragment society have enjoyed the box luncheon parties which they have been holding every other Wednesday in the parlor of First church. They have been very social and many regret that the fair to be held in the chapel on the fifteenth, removes the necessity of having more of them. Some beautiful things have been made for the sale.

Fresh mined coal was received this week by J. F. Sheppard & Sons.

Founder's day will be observed at the Woodward Institute on Saturday evening, March 11.

The street railway has begun to break in conductors and motormen for the summer season.

No more cases will be heard at the civil sitting of the Norfolk Superior court at Dedham.

The I's of Bethany church met Thursday evening with Albert Prescott. Rev. E. N. Hardy was a guest.

Dr. Gordon returned on Thursday evening from a very pleasant southern trip of several weeks.

Clifford Bradford of Spear street, has been elected president of the Arts and Crafts society of Melrose.

The special committee of the City Council to investigate the price paid for illuminating gas in Quincy will meet tonight.

The sleighing continues good on most of the side streets, but in City Square and the main thoroughfares there is considerable bare ground.

Mrs. Mary E. Tisdale, who was reported seriously ill en route to California, is much improved and has been able to continue her journey to Pasadena.

Several heads of departments appeared before the City Council Committee on Finance Thursday evening, and considerable progress was made on the annual budget.

There will be a candy sale at Bethany chapel, Thursday evening, March 16, when the "District School of Blueberry Corner," will hold another session. It will be for the benefit of the Sunday school.

The first practical test of the new rules posted in street cars regarding smoking and spitting came yesterday on the special cars which bring the Fore River workmen from Neponset. The men filed into the car two thirds of them smoking or chewing tobacco. The conductor politely called their attenion to the signs and pipes immediately disappeared.

Dramatic evening of the Manet club brought out an audience that comfortably filled Colonial hall. "Mr. Bob" the play selected, while not new to many, as it has had several presentations in Quincy, is always well received and enjoyed, as it abounds in amusing situations. Thursday evening's production was particularly enjoyable, the local cast giving a fine performance.

WEST QUINCY.

A young son of Santino Rizzii, of Bunker Hill avenue, while coasting on Larry place Saturday, ran into a passing team, the wheels of which passed over his arms. The little fellow was quite severely bruised and it is thought that his arm was broken.

Miss Helen L. O'Brien of Bates avenue, has severed her connections as bookkeeper with Julius Johnson and Miss Nellie O'Dowd of Copeland street has accepted the position.

Rev. David Martin, formerly pastor of the West Quincy M. E. Church, is suffering from an attack of appendicitis. He is being treated in a Boston hospital.

Work will be resumed on the West Quincy section of the boulevard as soon as spring opens.

Although the weather has been severe this winter considerable work has been done in the quarries.

Since the narrow escape from a serious accident at the Willard street grade crossing, many think that gates would not be out of place.

The Misses Schneider entertained the Monday night whist club at their home on West street this week. The usual two hours at whist were enjoyed after which the members sat down to a very enticing table of delicacies. Dancing followed for a short spell and all returned to their homes pleased with the evening's enjoyment.

Mr. and Mrs. John Evans left Wednesday, for Washington, to witness the inaugural of President Roosevelt. They are the guests of their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur V. Curtis of Lincoln Park.

A vegetable team from Braintree, driven by an Italian whose name could not be learned, was struck by a train at the Willard street grade crossing near the West Quincy depot, Feb. 24th and the driver had a narrow escape from being killed.

J. Warren Nightingale has returned from his trip to Jamaica and Cuba. He brought home a supply of cigars which he has distributed among his friends.

The St. Marys basket ball team won again Thursday evening, defeating the Jamaica Plain F. C. A. A. 23 to 7.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Mrs. Edward Richardson of Gay street is confined to the house with the grip.

Herbert T. Whitman reports the sale of 16,000 square feet of land on Totman street to William R. and Richard S. Williams, who will erect a granite manufacturing plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mitchell of Franklin street left Saturday for Orleans on Cape Cod where they will be entertained for two weeks by John Shaw, brother of Mrs. Mitchell.

Mrs. August V. Johnson of Kendrick avenue is still confined to her home a sufferer of muscular rheumatism.

The Snow King, double runner used by the coasters on Granite street weighs when loaded, over a ton; is 25 1-2 feet long, and equipped with two steering wheels, automatic brake, and twelve inch gong. The record trip was from Hitchcock's quarry to the junction of Granite and Parker streets in two minutes, covering eleven hundred feet of level ground, and climbing one hill en route. During the months of January and February it carried between 12,000 and 13,000 passengers.

The choir of the United Presbyterian church will give a recital at the church on Thursday evening, Mar. 9.

—The past month proved to be one of the coldest since the establishment of the Hatch experiment station at Amherst. The mean temperature was lower than any previous records excepting January 1893 and January and February 1904. During the first twenty days the temperature never rose above the freezing point and on seven dates the minimum fell below zero. The small precipitation and large amount of sunshine were also prominent features of the weather.

The bill to exempt from taxatation property of civil war veterans to the amount of $2000 providing such veterans are incapacitated was killed by the Senate Thursday after debate.

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WOLLASTON.

Wollaston is much pleased over the election of Mrs. Chandler W. Smith to the first vice-presidency of the Quincy Women's club. She is a representative Wollaston woman, widely known and popular.

The regular meeting of the Unity club will be held next Friday evening in the vestry of Wollaston Unitarian church. Mrs. E. G. Cummings has the meeting in charge; the subject being Protection of Children, with papers on provision for homeless children; child labor and training abnormal children. The musical part of the program will be from the compositions of Mrs. H. H. A. Beach.

Rev. Preston Gurney, the former pastor, will preach at the Wollaston Baptist church Sunday morning

W. C. West who has been spending a few months' vacation at his home on Highland avenue, after three years in Mexico, left on Monday last for that country. Mr. West is connected with the Candelaria Copper Mining Co., as chemist and assayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene H. Sprague, Mr. Walter M. Hatch and Miss Eugenia Hatch and Mr. Rufus Poole of the Wollaston Unitarian Parish attended the installation of Rev. Frank W. Pratt at Hopedale, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryant Fairchild, Jr., (Marion Bailey) of New York are receiving the condolences of their friends, their little daughter Gertrude Marion, born on February eighteenth, passing away on the twenty-second. It is hoped when Mrs. Fairchild fully recovers her health she will come on to Wollaston for a visit at her old home.

A meeting of the Men's Congregational club of Wollaston was held in the vestries of the Wollaston Congregational church, Tuesday evening. Mr. Goodspeed gave an interesting talk upon books, having with him samples of books from the 14th century up to the present day. Mr. Leofler executed some very difficult music upon the piano, and Rev. E. A. Chase read dialect poems. After the entertainment refreshments were served. The committee in charge were John Lynch, Elliot Taylor and Chester Tenney.

It is reported that a woman is working servant girls about the city out of their good money. The woman, who is said to be good looking and wearing a blue skirt and brown waist has been calling at houses in Wollaston and offering to tell fortunes for twenty-five cents. If they refuse the woman then says she will tell their fortunes for nothing. After this has been done she demands twenty-five cents, and if not paid then the woman makes a fuss, and in the end to save further trouble, usually gets her money.

Mrs. Walter M. Hatch has been confined to the house over a week with a sprained ankle.

Alfred H. Richards, secretary of the Masonic lodge, Wollaston, has been suffering from a severe case of the grip.

Miss Corlew's Wollaston dancing class will be postponed for one week. Miss Corlew will take a much needed rest from her classes for a week, and in company with her friend, Mrs. Annie Bynner Wellington of New York, will take a short pleasure trip.

"The Round Robin club," a society of young ladies, met February 24th with Miss Mary Patterson of Wollaston. Invitations had been extended to gentlemen friends and an enjoyable evening was spent in playing German whist. Refreshments consisting of ices, cakes, and nuts were served.

A more lively, gay and happy party is seldom seen, than that to the number of thirty which assembled at the home of Mrs. J. F. McLeod, 143 Arlington street, Wollaston, from Newton, Allston, Boston, Neponset, Quincy and Wollaston, on Tuesday evening. It was to surprise their friend, Miss Lizzie Warren, who, for a few moments, was so overcome that she could not say a word. After recovering from her surprise she extended the hand of fellowship to all, and hoped the evening would be one of pleasure and enjoyment, which from all accounts proved to be so. During an intermission, Miss Tina Warren, in behalf of those assembled, presented her with an elegant gold bracelet, with monogram inscribed. She was also remembered with beautiful flowers and a cake brilliantly illuminated with twenty-four candles, in honor of her passing another milestone in life's journey. A banquet was served by her friends.

The regular meeting of the Wollaston Ladies' Alliance was held in the Unitarian vestry Wednesday afternoon. After the usual devotional exercises and a short business meeting, Mrs. Chandler W. Smith, president of the Alliance, introduced the Rev. George W. Cutter, pastor of the Neponset Unitarian church as the speaker of the afternoon. Mr. Cutter's subject was "Life in the slums of a great city by a medical missionary," and he gave a very interesting and instructive talk from his own personal experiences. While pastor of one of the churches in Buffalo, N. Y., Mr. Cutter was on the visiting board of a charitable organization, and in this capacity became very familiar with tenement life in the slums. Rev. Frank W. Pratt, upon the invitation of the president, made a few remarks upon the same subject, after which tea was served, and a pleasant social hour enjoyed.

Wollaston lodge, A. F. and A. M., will have work at the next communication.

Robert Park, of Wollaston, has just returned from Tuskegee, Alabama, where he has been for the past few weeks studying the negro question.

The bass drum to be used in the grand finale of the minstrel show has arrived in Wollaston. The "Big Brass Band" promises to be quite a feature.

Mrs. Robert Park, of Beale street, has had for a recent guest, her mother Mrs. Cahill of Lansing, Mich.

Y. M. C. A. Service.

The Sunday afternoon meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building on Washington street promises to be an interesting and profitable service. The speaker is the Rev. John A. Higgins, D. D., pastor of the Central Congregational church in Chelsea. Dr. Higgins not only comes highly recommended as an earnest and forceful speaker, but also as a professional tenor soloist, having had charge of large choirs and of the music in churches in New York and Philadelphia before entering the ministry.

These meetings will provide a place so that the men of Quincy can spend an enjoyable hour on a Sunday afternoon. There will be good music, a short and earnest address by some noted speaker each Sunday. All men are invited to attend and no tickets or membership cards are required. The time of the meeting is 3.45 P. M. The attendance last Sunday was nearly 200.

—Not less than 30,000 people will be in the inaugural parade in Washington today.

—Sometimes one seems in doubt whether Thomas W. Lawson or the gas companies have the more gas.

QUINCY POINT AND NECK.

The Shipyard hospital has been fitted with an X-ray machine.

The payroll at the Fore River Shipbuilding Co.'s works last week contained 3,556 different employees.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams, whose wedding took place a few weeks ago, are making their home for the present with Mr. and Mrs. C. Willis, Thompson street, Quincy Point.

Miss Ethel Gordon Hersey entertained a number of her young friends and class mates at her home Wednesday evening, at a heart party in honor of her birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hersey threw open their beautiful home to the young folks and a most delightful evening was enjoyed. Miss Hersey was kindly remembered by her young friends and many dainty tokens serve as reminders of her host of young friends. During the evening ices were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tanner of East Howard street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Chief Engineer Williams is arranging to have the fire alarm whistle formerly on the street railway power house at Quincy Point connected on the new power station.

The big four-masted coal schooner which has been at the Fore River docks for some time, left Monday.

After debate in the National Senate on Monday the Naval bill was passed as it came from the House, with the provision for two new battleships retained, Mr. Carmack's motion to cut out one of them being voted down, 38 to 22. The bill carries a total appropriation of $100,300,000.

W. S. Allen, foreman of Q department is to give the members a sample of New York hospitality at the Shipbuilders club on Friday evening.

Edwin C. Bennett, formerly with the New York Shipbuilding Co., Camden, N. J., has commenced his duties as assistant chief draftsman in the hull department of the Fore River works.

Rev. Mr. Crathern of the South Braintree Congregational church exchanged pulpits with Rev. Leon H. Austin Sunday morning.

The father of the infant burned to death at Weymouth, Saturday afternoon is an employe at the Fore River shipyard, Henry Delorey. He reached home just before his little daughter died.

A little boy from the Point had a narrow escape from drowning one day this week. While out picking up drift wood, he fell through a hole in the ice but was quickly rescued by a couple of men who happened to be near.

The new social club at Quincy Point held a business meeting Tuesday evening. Reports of the committees were read and other important business transacted. A whist party will be held in the club room Thursday evening, March 2, at 8 o'clock.

The funeral of Miss Alice Dean was held from her father's residence in Stockbridge, on Monday afternoon. Miss Dean leaves a father and two brothers, beside a host of young friends to mourn her loss. One brother, Harlow F. Dean is a student at the New England Conservatory of Music.

Master Charles Tanner, Jr., is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Haynes of Upland road.

Miss Sadie Perry has accepted a position at Mrs. Sears' restaurant on East Howard street.

Friends of Mr. Elijah S. Brown will be sorry to learn that he has been in very poor health for the last few weeks.

The last of the monthly men's meetings was held at the Washington Street Congregational church, on Friday evening, March 3. The leader of the meeting was City Auditor George A. Sidelinger and his subject: "Liberty, from a biblical standpoint." Mrs. E. C. Page contributed vocal solos, accompanied by Harold W. Newcomb.

Robert Clegg has severed his connection with the Fore River Shipbuilding Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffin of Beacon street are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter.

The new social club at Quincy Point held a whist party in the club rooms Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoel (Mrs. Mary Keenan) have moved from the Point to their new home in Somerville.

Some of the school children gathered large branches of pussy-willows in the woods this week. This is a sure sign that spring is not far off.

Some mischievious boys amused themselves Thursday afternoon, by pulling great branches off the apple trees on the vacant lot, corner of East Howard and South streets. This sport continued until an officer happened along and drove them off.

Tour of Inspection.

Lieut. Col. Henry L. Kincaide of the military staff of Gov. Douglas has just returned from a tour of duty as assistant inspector general in the western part of the state, including Worcester, Springfield, Westfield and Holyoke. He was accompanied by Gen. Miles.

A Worcester daily said in part: Lieut. Col. Kincaide came to Worcester Thursday night, a stranger to the men of the 2d regiment, to which he has been assigned for this season. All that was known of him was he had been a captain of K Co., 5th Massachusetts Infantry, and he was to take the place which Lieut. Col. Edward J. Gihon has been an inspector several years.

He gave the City guards, A Co., a thorough inspection Thursday night, and the night following the Wellington rifles, H. Co., got the same dose. One of the members of the militia who was watching the inspection of A Co. Thursday night, held his watch, and said afterward the front rank of the company was kept standing at attention for 35 minutes. Some of the men were seen to sway a little as they stood there, while the inspection was going on, but they all stood it well. It was nearly as long as that the men of H Co. had to stand at attention the night following.

Last year there was a regular army officer accompanying the state inspectors, but this year there had been none, and no hint of one to come.

The Springfield Union said in part: Militiamen are awaiting the inspection tonight with no little interest. Lieut.-Col. Kincaide is said to be the most thorough inspecting officer that the militia has had in years. The men who have been subjected to the tests of Lieut.-Col. Gihon in years past in Worcester say that it was like a summer picnic in comparison with the rigidity of Lieut.-Col. Kincaide's methods.

Gen. Miles is to accompany Lieut.-Col. Henry L. Kincaide when the latter makes his inspection of the Springfield militia companies tonight, it being his first appearance at such a function since the orders for mobilization were issued Saturday.

Gen. Miles and Col. Kincaide on Tuesday inspected the proposed camp at Westfield, and that evening were guests and speakers at the banquet of the Holyoke Business Men's Association, when over 400 covers were laid, and the ladies were entertained.

ATLANTIC.

Mrs. Roger H. Wilde will represent Atlantic on the board of Directors of the Quincy Women's club.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Tracy, recently of Faribault, Minn., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sedgwick on Goffe street. Mr. Tracy has been appointed by the government an assistant weather observer for Boston and vicinity.

Mr. J. Everett Drew of Dorchester, formerly of Quincy, announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Flora Everett, to Mr. Fred Irving Rayner of Dorchester.

Miss A. Maud Briggs of Appleton street one of the members of the Boston Teachers' School of Science, attended the annual banquet and reunion given at Hotel Brunswick Friday evening, Feb. 24.

With cold weather and plenty of it, Atlantic for the first time this year offers no skating possibility. There used to be a time in the long ago, when a few energetic young men always looked out for this pastime. The old Mill pond was always in prime condition, and for those nearer the Downs, Jackson's field offered itself with excellent results. But unfortunately those young men—now a bit gray about the temples—have either married or moved away, and Atlantic is left at the mercy of the rising generation, which as yet has failed to rise to the occasion.

The Quincy Women's club has strong supporters in Atlantic. Such a club has long been needed to unite the several wards with a common bond of interest among the women folk.

Mr. Charles R. Hendrie of Davis street gave a luncheon Wednesday for Mrs. Walter Pessels of Brookline.

The weather will soon be such that work on the new Atlantic bridge may be continued.

Frank C. Dunn, a Boston merchant at 209 Essex street, living at Atlantic, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities are $12,674.37, all of which is unsecured, the principal creditor being William F. Swan, Melrose, $6000. Assets $4886.44, of which $2409 is represented in stock to trade.

Those men who patronize the first train to Boston from Atlantic also patronize the station these frosty mornings. If they must chew the weed that kills, is it necessary to make the floor a recipient of waste saliva? The station agent can't be a perpetual scrubman for he has other duties more important.

It is not the fault of the Squantum car that it is in need of cleanliness. It is earnestly hoped however, that the dirt within it contains no germs. What a blessing it would be if someone would spill several pailfuls of purifying soapy water over its windows and floor. Of course the fault comes with the Hancock street bridge, which in its present condition prevents the Squantum car from going to the car house for its weekly bath.

A petition, that has already been largely signed, is being circulated, addressed to the Mayor and City Council, praying that they compel the street railway to build its tracks across the new Atlantic bridge, and run through cars to Neponset. The petitioners seem to lose sight of the fact that the street railway have no location over the part of the bridge that has been built, and that last year's City Council refused to give them a location.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Sullivan of Madison street, Atlantic, was held from the Sacred Heart church yesterday at 9 o'clock. Mass was celebrated by the pastor Rev. Fr. Cuffe. Mrs. Sullivan was one of the oldest residents of Atlantic, being in her 72d year. Two sons survive her. The interment was at West Quincy.

The seventh meeting of the Smart Set whist club was held Thursday evening with Miss Nancy Woy of Botolph street. The tally cards were poignant reminders of the menagerie at the Zoo. Prizes were won by Miss Woy and Miss Corinna Wilde, Miss Ruth Bassett and Miss Laura Hall; Miss Emma King was tie with Miss Hall but lost by a cut of the cards. After the refreshments, stories were told, followed by music. For all the club are extremely modest young women, they have come to the conclusion they are a pretty fair looking set of girls taken as a whole. It would be a rare field for a male harvester to look over.

MILTON.

Rev. Theodore I. Reese entertained the choir boys of the Missions church Wednesday evening at a turkey supper. During the evening Mr. Jackson contributed piano solos and songs.

Mrs. Thomas Hook of Granite avenue is ill with pneumonia.

There is but little excitement this year over the annual town meeting.

The whist club met Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bearse. Prizes for the best scores were awarded Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dougherty, Mrs. McIntosh and Mrs. Ernest P. Lilly.

George Clements, driver of Hose 2, has been off duty this week an account of the grip.

A pleasing entertainment and social was held at the Baptist church Wednesday evening.

Michael Barry is improving the looks of his house with paint.

A cake and candy sale was held Friday afternoon and evening in the basement of the Mission church by the young people.

The dancing party given by the Viscaria Oculata Club of Milton in Ellsworth hall, East Milton, Wednesday evening was in every way a great success. The matrons were Mrs. John Connell, white silk with pale blue, and Mrs. James MacKay, white tulle with imported lace. The guests were ushered by Miss Anna McCloud, white peau de soie with violets; Miss Mary Banning white lace over satin with rose trimmings; Miss Grace Barry, white crepe de chine with real lace and Miss Alice Gunning, pink moire with white roses. The hall was prettily trimmed, and Cuff's orchestra furnished the music. This party is the beginning of many social events to follow by the Viscaria Oculata Club.

Bowling League.

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
South Braintrees	32	25	.56
Holbrooks	33	24	.57
Weymouths	30	27	.52
Quincys	27	30	.47
East Weymouths	28	29	.49
Quincy Points	22	35	.39

South Braintree won the first game at Holbrook Thursday evening by two pins, but was not in it a little bit in the second, when the Holbrooks rolled up 477. Holbrook won the rubber and the championship by one pin in an exciting finish—449 to 448.

The Quincys missed their opportunity to jump into third place, being defeated by Weymouth two out of three. They lost one game by one pin, and the rubber by 17 pins.

There was a poor exhibition of bowling at East Weymouth. The Quincy Point team won the first game 401 to 396. They lost the second 381 to 409 and 396 was the best either team could do on the rubber and the home team won on the roll off.

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Quincy Day Nursery.

To the Editors of the Patriot:

The first meeting in the interests of the Quincy Day Nursery was held Jan. 19, 1903 in a vacant room in Adams block. The day was the coldest of the winter and but seven women were present, Mrs. Zenas Arnold, Mrs. W. R. Blanchard, Mrs. W. T. Babcock, Mrs. Frank Davis, Mrs. Kate E. Hayden, Mrs. Theophilus King and Mrs. Herbert Lawton. At that meeting furniture was promised and thirty-five dollars pledged. For the next meeting the Council Chamber at City hall was secured and through the courtesy and assistance of City Messenger Tirrell has continued to be at our disposal. There was a good attendance and the interest shown warranted the forming of a Day Nursery Association. Feb. 24, 1903, the matter was put in the hands of the following committee: chairman, Mrs. W. T. Babcock; secretary, Mrs. Joseph M. Sheahan; treasurer, Mrs. W. R. Blanchard, with Mrs. A. E. Sproul, Mrs. King, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Hayden, Mrs. Lawton, Mrs. E. Granville Pratt, Miss Elsie Russell, Miss Dora French, Miss Emily Wild, Mrs. Charles M. Bryant, Mrs. George H. Brown, Mrs. Percival Sears, Mrs. Frank Brewer, Mrs. Eliza Penniman, as directors.

Meetings were held once in two weeks until July 7, 1903 when the large results from the successful garden party at Mayor and Mrs. Bryant's brought the sum already in the treasury to an amount which warranted the opening of Day Nursery rooms. A place was very difficult to secure but after diligent effort on the part of those in charge two rooms were taken temporarily on Elm street, and on Oct. 16, 1903 the Quincy Day Nursery began its work. It is proper here to pay tribute to the interest and efficiency of Mrs. Harry Talbot the matron selected from several applicants. The fact that she was a widowed mother with young children, as well as her natural ability as a nurse and housekeeper made her services of particular value during the first hard months of establishing the nursery. In spite of an invalid child and her own home duties, she was always prompt and cheerful, her records carefully kept, and the Day Nursery a model of neatness and order. It was with regret the association parted with her and she took with her a letter acknowledging her excellent services.

After the rooms were opened the Association found it had reached proportions requiring a formal organization. Up to this time anyone willing to contribute advice, money, or furniture, or lend even a listening ear might belong to the Day Nursey committee, and were listed under the head of "endorsers." The work had been carried on as though all were sisters of one family. The day arrived for enlarging our boundaries and strengthening our stakes by reaching out into all the wards of the city, and in Nov. 1903 a constitution was adopted, and a new set of officers installed. The work and its value has increased slowly but surely from the beginning. Those best acquainted with it realize not only its present, but its future value.

We are with our excellent matron Miss Gove and her assistant, Miss Long, giving little children love and care as though they were our very own, and making men and women and citizens. We need larger quarters, a house all to ourselves, a sunny yard with a big tree, also a district nurse ready to go to the little children and mothers who cannot come to us. I want means to help not only the widowed mothers, but also the mothers burdened with ill health, small means and many little ones. I want room to establish a clothes exchange as a source of income to us, a relief to those with overfull attics, and as a help to needy mothers and children. The woman who washes and scrubs all day cannot sew evenings as a rule, and little children need many stitches.

Let us remember the words of good Bishop Brooks: "He who helps a child helps humanity, with a distinctness and immediateness and a kind of help impossible to give in any other stage of human life."

Frederica C. Babcock.

Quincy, March 1, 1905.

DOWNS AND PARK.

The Downs and Park are represented in the Quincy Women's club by Mrs. Frederick Peirce, who is one of the directors.

L. F. Loring of Willow street, Wollaston, is a guest at a house party given by friends in Springfield.

—Mrs. Stanford, who has given a fortune to the Leland Stanford, Jr., University at Palo Alto, California, was poisoned by strychnine at Honolulu on Tuesday. An analysis by physicians shows that in the bottle of bi-carbonate of soda, of which she took some on retiring, contained 662 grains, enough it is said to kill a regiment. Her death has caused immense excitment at Honolulu. Her body has been embalmed and will be taken to California and placed beside her late husband.

—The State of Washington will erect a handsome building at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. The structure will cost $25,000.

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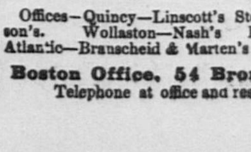

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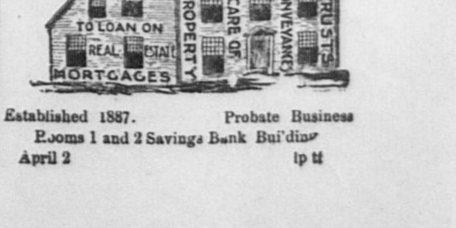

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We have purchased many copies of the World's Fair Albums, titled "Louisiana Purchase Exposition," size 6 by 9 inches, cover in red and gold, containing 36 handsome half-tone views of St. Louis and the Exposition, and shall take pleasure in giving one to each subscriber to the Patriot, while they last, who calls and pays for one year's subscription, either in advance or arrears.

Poetry.

A State of Mind.

In the State of Mass.
There lives a lass
I love to go N. C.;
No other Miss.
Can e'er I Wis.,
Be half so dear to Me.

R. I. is blue
And her cheeks the hue
Of shells where water swash;
On her pink-white phiz
There Nev. Ariz.
The least complexion Wash.

La! could I win
The heart of Minn.,
I'd ask for nothing more,
But I only dream
Upon the theme
And Conn. it o'er and Ore.

Why is it pray,
I can't Ala.
This love that makes me Ill.?
N. Y., O., Wy.
Kan. Nev. Ver. I
Propose to her my will?

I shun the task
'Twould be to ask
This gentle maid to wed;
And so, to press
My suit, I guess
Alaska, Pa. instead.

Notes and Comments.

—A new trade mark law has been enacted by the present Congress and will become operative on April 1st, 1905. Under the provisions of this law a person who has used a trade mark in interstate commerce can have the same registered by complying with the conditions of the law and paying a government fee of $10, provided the same trade mark has not been used on a similar class of goods by another person, firm or corporation.

—The open winter and fat graveyard philosophy is relegated to the rear while the present generation remembers. We have had a steady, cold severe winter, in these respects as good as the "oldest inhabitant" can recall. Yet withal we have an unusual amount of grip, pneumonia and similar sickness. We long for the warmer days and open air living.—Spencer Leader.

—The state highway commission is to plant trees in Middleboro. It is to be hoped the plan will take root in other towns.

—A bill has been introduced in the New York Legislature to remove entirely the tax on real estate mortgages. There has been talk of an act to impose a uniform tax on mortgages in the state, but the proposed bill would make the law in New York like that in Massachusetts.

—Easter hats will be small this year. Prices and husband comments will be of the usual dimension.

—The ridiculousness of some of the theories of modern educators is supreme. One of the New York superintendents objects to the carrying home of school books by the children, because the weight of so many books is likely to produce curvature of the spine. If his conclusions are right, what is the country lad likely to get from juggling with the buck saw before and after school? It certainly is a wonder—in the light of modern discoveries—that any of us ever lived through the schooling period.—Spencer Leader.

—Gov. Douglas believes in education of a manual nature, and that youth is the time when all education should tend to make useful men in future life. The boys of the period are early driven by necessity to earn their own living, and we believe the state should step in and give them a lift in obtaining it. There would be a less number of criminals in all our state institutions if that course should obtain.—Athol Chronicle.

—Statistics show that imports of crude India rubber into the United States have increased from 23,672,563 pounds in 1884 to 61,889,758 pounds in 1904. The increase since 1894 has been from 35,370,889 pounds. But while the quantity imported is nearly three times larger than 20 years ago, the value is more than four times larger—being $47,477,230 in 1904 and $10,194,385, 1884. During the latter year the price was about 43 cents while last year it averaged about 70 cents. Automobiling and the electrical industries are largely responsible for this change of conditions.

—The President and some of the members of Congress seem disposed to go into a wholesale investigation of the trusts. It is a course that the trusts would probably choose to have taken if they were to direct the work themselves. It would appear wiser to take them one at a time. Business of this kind is better done at retail—Banker and Tradesman.

—The United States Supreme Court has rendered a decision, upholding the constitutionality of the Massachusetts vaccination law, which gives authority to the health authorities of cities and towns to impose compulsory vaccination. The ground taken by Justice Harlan was that the protection of the health of a community may be exercised by the state as a police regulation. This probably setles the case as far as this particular law is concerned, and the "antis" will now need to have some different legislation enacted if they expect to secure any advantage for their side of the question.—Old Colony Memorial.

—All the Cabinet members have sent in their resignations to the President. All will be reappointed except Postmaster General Wynne, who will be appointed Consul General to London.

—Indications point to a most magnificent display at Washington on the occasion of the inauguration of President Roosevelt today. The officials in charge have been deluged by applications from military and social organizations for space in the lines, and many are disappointed by declinations for want of room. It promises to be the most extensive inaugural procession ever held in the history of the country, and one worthy of observation.

—Sixty years ago last week citizens of some of the South shore towns, including Duxbury, Marshfield and Scituate, held a meeting in Cohasset and resolutions were passed favoring a railroad from Duxbury to Quincy. A committee was appointed to petition the Legislature for authority to construct the contemplated road.

—The Norfolk County Commissioners received sealed proposals, last week, at the Court House, for a loan of $40,000 on the credit of the County, as authorized by law, loan to be upon notes of the County, payable $20,000 each by July 1, 1917, and July 1, 1918, interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually. Six Boston firms contested. Merrill, Oldham & Co. were awarded the loan, with a bid of $1064.29 per $1000. Other bidders were: E. H. Rollin & Son, $1062.56; Adams & Co., $1060.27; Blodget, Merrill & Co., $1057.80; Blake Brothers & Co., $1057.70, and W. J. Hayes & Sons, $1057.55, with another bid of $1007.55, at the rate of 3 1-2 per cent.—Dedham Transcript.

—A bill for postal savings banks has recently been introduced into the House of Representatives by Hon. Gilbert M Hitchcock of Nebraska. This bill provides that every money-order post-office in the United States shall be a postal savings bank, where men, women, and children may deposit their savings at interest. As there are over 30,000 of these, the plan is to start with those of the first, second and third classes The department would thus begin business with about 6,000 government savings banks. A dollar is required by the bill to open an account, but after that time the deposits in mutiples of ten cents may be made as low as the ten-cent piece itself. No person can deposit over one hundred dollars in one month, and no person will be allowed to have a deposit exceeding $2,000. The rate of interest shall be three per cent. The first country in the world to adopt postal savings banks was Great Britain.—Brookline Chronicle.

—In commenting upon a bill introduced in the Massachusetts legislature, which would give to depositors in savings banks the privilege of voting for directors, one of our exchanges says that the printing presses of the state would be kept running day and night for a time printing trustee writs—should the publication of the depositors' names be a part of the law. There are grave reasons why the legislation referred to would be unwise, but that referred to above is not one of them. It would be a mighty good thing if the trustee process could be applied in a very great number of cases. Those having a snug bank account while the butcher and grocer carry on their books an uncollectable account against them ought to be reachable in some way. The law, unhappily, throws more safeguards about the dishonest debtor than it ought to and we wish, for the sake of the great majority of tradesmen who are barely squeezing out a living, that some of the dead-beats with a hidden bank account could be made to uncover their hoard, and be taken out of that too numerous class known as "execution proofr."—Spencer Leader.

—A sleigh, believed to have been built about 100 years ago, now the property of the heirs of Otis Cary, has recently been brought into daily use by members of the Cary family, who reside in South Foxboro. For years it was stowed away in a barn, and little value attached to it. But lately it was seen that the sleigh would answer the demands of the family better than a more modern one, and therefore its redemption. It is a commodious, double affair, and built on antique lines. The original owner was Gen. Leach of Easton, who controlled the iron founderies in this section, and during the winters drove in ths sleigh to his places of business in Dorchester, Chelmsford, Norfolk and Easton.

—It looks very much as if Boston would have its zoo, for already public-spirited citizens have sent to Messrs. Kidder, Peabody & Co. of 115 Devonshire street, subscriptions in varying amounts until nearly $15,000 has been subscribed. This is considered a very good beginning toward an object in which the public is becoming more and more interested each day. For it becomes more and more apparent that this zoo would not only be of vast interests to all citizens, and especially to children, but from the further fact that it would add one more to the list of civic improvements which have made Boston famous—especially the beautiful park system. There is nothing that attracts much more attention in New York perhaps than the Bronx park zoo. That too was started by public-spirited citizens in every walk of life. And what is true of New York is equally true of other cities and especially of foreign cities. More people go to see the zoos in London and Paris than to any other attraction in either city.—Sunday Globe.

—Glass hives for the observation of bees at work have been in use for many years, and recenly ants' nests have been on view at Crystal palace, London; now, a firm in London has actually put on sale a contrivance called "The Lubbock Formicarium," which is really a portable ants' nest," which can be moved anywhere without trouble or inconvenienience, and which, it is claimed, will last for upward of six years with ordinary care. The species selected is the small yellow ant, Formica flava, and the nest is inclosed in a frame ten inches square, resembling a picture frame, except that it must, of course, be laid flat, and the cover must be kept over it, except when the ants are under observation. The nest contains ants in their various stages, and some of the other insects which are associated with them, and it is supplied with or without a queen, and accompanied by full directions as to management. This novelty has attracted much attention and visitors show much interest in the exhibition.

—A writer to the Stoughton Sentinel says "I think I never knew frost so deep in the ground as at the present time. In many places in Stoughton water pipes are frozen that are laid from three to five feet under ground and in a number of instances householders are compelled to carry water to their homes as it is found impossible to dig down to the frozen surface pipes without great expense and hard work. At the High School the service pipe leading to the street is frozen and workmen have been for the past two days burning wood on the ground so as to thaw it out sufficiently to get at the trouble."

Under the Water.

Many have heard of the experiences of Hiram W. Phillips, the ex-Councilman of Quincy, as a diver, but they can be reread with interest. From a two column sketch in the Globe the following is of more than local interest:

"While the career of a submarine diver," says Hiram W. Phillips of 734 Washington street, Quincy, "is always attended with many perils, I have followed the calling for now 40 years and am here to tell about it.

"I have participated in a great many different undertakings that have demanded men of skill and experience in my profession, have traveled the bottom of the seas at many different localities, and I have just completed the laying of two miles of five-foot iron pipe at the bottom of bay, extending in two lines from Nut island, Quincy, to the center of the bay, or in the direction of the main channel of the harbor.

These are sewage pipes, a part of the metropolitan sewage system, and the pipes have been laid in accordance with a device of my own invention, the attachment of the pipes to a huge wooden air chamber 52 feet in length and 6 feet square.

Four lengths of the huge pipe are chained to the top of the air chamber, when by an arrangement of the tackle I cause the wooden air box to 'turn turtle' as it were, placing the pipe at the bottom of the box, and by the aid of the sustaining power of the great box of air I can lower the pipe at will and place it directly on the spot, at the bottom of the bay, where it is intended to be located, or precisely at the end of the pipe previously laid. Divers follow these different layings and make all proper connections.

"I expect another contract for similar work from the metropolitan board, and the district of Columbia commissioners are also contemplating the use of my system in placing submarine sewage across the Anticosta river."

Not Many Ex-Governors.

Hon. George S. Boutwell, the oldest ex-Governor of Massachusetts, died at 7.12 A. M. Monday after a brief illness of pneumonia, at his residence in Groton.

The grand old man seemed to realize the seriousness of his illness. He made a grand rally, Sunday, and his mind was clear and active to the last.

Massachusetts now has but four ex-Governors: Hon. John D. Long, the oldest in point of service, being Governor in 1880, 1881 and 1882; Hon. John Q. Brackett served in 1890, Hon. W. Murray Crane in 1900, 1901 and 1902, and Hon. John L. Bates, in 1903 and 1904.

Mr. Boutwell was one of the organizers of the Republican party, although when he first went to the Legislature in 1841 it was as a Democratic representative. He helped draft the internal revenue bill under Lincoln, and was secretary of the treasury under Grant. He was one of the men most prominent in the attempt to impeach President Andrew Johnson, and was active in connection with the spoliation claims of the government. At that time his opponents called him a "country trader," but Harvard College vindicated him by conferring the degree of LL. D.

After serving as Governor, Mr. Boutwell continued to be an active force in politics, supporting Gen. Fremont for presidency, and in 1860 voting for the nomination of Abraham Lincoln in the Chicago convention. He was a member of the peace of congress that met in Washington in 1861. He was elected to Congress in 1862, and continued in office until 1868; was a member of the committee of 15 that reported the 14th amendment to the constitution of the United States, and had the distinction of drafting and reporting the 15th amendment, and conducting the debate in the house.

In 1870, when Henry Wilson was elected Vice-President of the United States, Mr. Boutwell resigned as secretary of the treasury, to succeed him in the Senate. He took his seat in March, 1873. Four year later President Hayes appointed him a commissioner to revise the statutes of the United States, and in 1880, he was made counsel for this country before the French and American claims commission.

Upon the death of Secretary of the Treasury Fogler, in 1884, President Arthur tendered the position to Mr. Boutwell, but he declined, preferring to continue his law practice in Washington. Mr. Boutwell had a large farm in Groton, and for years that has been his home, but when favored with good health he spent considerable time in Boston. Of his active interest in the question of imperialism there have been too many evidences to make any extended mention of it necessary here.

Since 1851 twenty-three men have been elected Governors of Massachusetts, but only five are living.

Sued for $50,000.

Miss Signa Gustafson, the young woman who was injured at the Saville street railroad crossing, has brought suit against the New York, New Haven, & Hartford Railroad Co. for $50,000, through her attorney, W. W. Jenness.

Miss Gustafson is still at the Quincy Hospital and not entirely out of danger. Three amputations of one leg have been necessary. Her companion at the time of the accident, Julius Nelson, was killed.

May Hunt Tax Dodgers.

Malden school teachers want higher salaries, says the Transcript. The school board says that the city cannot afford to grant the increases unless it has a greater income. It has been claimed in the board of aldermen that there is much personal property in Malden that is untaxed, and that if this were located there would be money to increase the salaries of school teachers and for other purposes.

Therefore it has been suggested that the school teachers emulate Margaret Haley of Chicago, and conduct a campaign for the purpose of bringing out the unassessed personal property of the city. Whether such action will be taken is not certain, but the school teachers, at the suggestion of the school committee, have the move under consideration. If they do, it is fair to assume that next May will bring to light numerous tax-dodgers.

Steamer Contracts.

The Eastern steamship company will award the building of its two new turbine steamers to the Eastern shipbuilding company at Groton, Conn. These steamers will cost $500,000 each, measuring 300 feet on keel, and will have a freight carrying capacity equal to 80 carloads, or about 3000 tons. They will have three propellers of 500 revolutions each, which will drive the craft from 18 to 20 knots an hour.

The steamers will be able to cover any route of the company, but will probably be placed on the International division between Boston and St. John.

Miss Julia E. Underwood.

For Quincy to be successful in the new Boston Herald contest, started Feb. 20, it will be necessary for the whole city to unite promptly on one school and one teacher, and to enter but one division either High or Grammar. As Boston, Cambridge, Somerville and other cities in the greater Boston district have larger High schools and alumni, it will probably be better for Quincy to enter its candidate in the Grammar school list.

One of the oldest schools in the "City of Presidents" is the Coddington, and it has a teacher whom all the city honors. One who on April 1 of this year completes fifty years of very faithful and successful service. In 1895 Quincy observed the completion of forty years of teaching at the Coddington school by Miss Julia E. Underwood, and presented her with $40 in gold.

This year there should be a grander testimonial and the Patriot would suggest that her name be entered as the sole Quincy representative in the Herald contest and that she be sent to the World's Fair at Portland, Oregon, during the school vacation next summer.

Supt. Lull in his report for 1895 said: "Miss Underwood is one of our young teachers." She is young because she adopts new methods as readily as those younger in years. We know of no one who deserves well of Quincy people, or who would appreciate a trip to the Pacific coast better than Miss Underwood.

If the services of the 5,500 school children of Quincy and their 11,000 parents can be enlisted in the contest for Miss Underwood, there are 2,500 men and women who have been her pupils, who would like to assist and make the completion of fifty years of service a memorable event, and a royal good time for her.

Among "her boys" was Frank F. Prescott of the Quincy Patriot, and his sons, and they invite all Herald readers to forward their coupons to them. If the coupons are cut out uniformly just outside the border, the name, etc., can be printed in at the Patriot office. Coupons should not be rolled, but kept flat.

The Herald offers in addition to the trip to the World's Fair, a group of art treasures to the school which receives the most votes. In appreciation of cooperation on the Coddington school and Miss Underwood, the writer thinks the Coddington will waive all claim to the art treasures, and agree to divide them among the other school buildings of the city after this plan. The school contributing the most coupons to Miss Underwood to have first choice; the second largest number the second choice, etc.

There are nine statues, reliefs and busts in the group offered for the first prize, as follows:

1. Statue. Polyhymnia, in the Berlin Museum.
2. Relief. Boys singing and playing, Lucca della Robbia, in Florence.
3. Relief. Parthenon Horsemen, in the British Museum, London.
4. Relief. Angels blowing the flute, Donatello, in Padua.
5. Relief. Angels singing, Donatello, in Padua.
6. Statue. Minerva, Giustiniani, in the Vatican.
7. Bust. Hermes at Olympia.
8. Bust. Venus of Milo, in the Louvre, Paris.
9. Statue. Goose man, Pankratz Labenwolf, at Nuremberg.

Remember, prompt and spontaneous work in gathering coupons will be necessary to win, and that it is necessary for Quincy to unite on one school and one teacher, and not to enter the High school division as that would divide the coupons.

To enlist the cooperation of all the 2,500 pupils of Miss Underwood and others a small fund will be necessary. It is not proposed by the promoters, at present at least, to buy any coupons. Should any sum accumulate it will be given to Miss Underwood in cash.

Please fill out all coupons as follows, or send blank coupons to Frank F. Prescott at the Daily Ledger office, and they will be printed:

Name of School,—Coddington.
City and State,—Quincy, Mass.
Name of Teacher,—Julia E. Underwood.
Name of Pupil,—Henry C. Prescott.

The principals of all the Quincy schools are invited to act as an advisory committee.

Miss Underwood is today the leading candidate in the contest. Vote early and often.

Farewell Sermon.

In both the Unitarian churches of the city on Sunday were read invitations to attend the installation of Rev. Frank W. Pratt as pastor of the Memorial church at Hopedale on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 28. Rev. Mr. Pratt has been pastor of the Wollaston Unitarian church since January 1900, and has been very successful. Sunday morning he preached his farewell sermon before a large congregation, his subject being the "The glorification of the commonplace." He said we should find inspiration in everyday life, not in the exceptional experiences, but in the common experience which comes to every one of us. Religion shows us how we may find the divine in the commonplace. But little was said in farewell, all being confined to the last sentence. He thanked all for the very hearty cooperation during his pastorate, and wished one and all continued success.

Concert—Lecture.

One of the most enjoyable concerts ever given in the city was enjoyed Monday evening by an audience which filled the Wollaston Congregational church. Miss Rosabelle C. Temple is a host in herself, and her talk on the song poets, illustrated by solo and part songs, was intensely interesting. Miss Temple's charming personality contributed much to the success of the lecture-concert which is a novelty in Quincy. On two or three occasions she sang the solos, which were received with approbation.

The soloist of the evening, however, was Anna Ellis Dexter, the soprano, who delighted the audience with "The year's at the spring," "The roses in June," "Little Boy Blue," "'Tis Maytime," "Jean" and "The rosary."

Finely executed violin solos were given by Anna Eichorn, a very talented artist. Her obligato was also admired.

The Ladies' Musical club, under whose auspices the concert was given, contributed part songs, including "Stars the night adorning," "Lullaby," "Wynken, Blynken and Nod," "A song of seasons," and as a grand finale, gave "The lost chord" with organ, piano and violin accompaniment. Miss Temple conducted the chorus, and the accompanists were Mrs. Carolyn Luard of Wollaston and Miss Sara Coolidge of Cambridge. The chorus deserves much praise.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case, no matter of how long standing, in 6 to 14 days. First application gives ease and rest. 50c. If your druggist hasn't it send 50c. in stamps and it will be forwarded post-paid by Paris Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo.

Jones—Garden.

The residence of Mrs. P. S. Garden of Granite street was the scene of a quiet, but pretty home wedding Tuesday evening, Feb. 21, when her daughter Miss Jennie M. Garden was united in marriage to Mr. Harry E. Jones of Malden.

The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. E. Gardner of Christ church.

The bride was attired in a handsome dress of green with white satin and white applique trimmings. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Margie Brady of Randolph, who wore a handsome suit of blue, trimmed with white. The groom was attended by Mr. James Nicol, grandfather of the bride.

After the ceremony a bountiful collation was served.

Friends were present from Hyde Park, Randolph, Malden, Charlestown and Quincy. Mr. and Mrs. Jones will make their home in Melrose.

Native of Quincy.

A native of Quincy will be honored by the citizens of Somerville this evening when a complimentary banquet will be tendered at Young's Hotel to George Lewis Baxter, headmaster of the Somerville High school, Chief of Police Parkhurst, Chief Engineer Hopkins, and City Messenger Mann, all of whom have been in the city's service more than 30 years.

Mr. Baxter is the son of the late William W. and Ann E. (Weld) Baxter, and was born in Quincy, Oct. 21, 1842.

Mr. Baxter has been teaching more than 40 years, since Sept. 1867, in the Somerville High. He has seen the school grow from 119 to nearly 700, and has graduated about 2,000 scholars. His services have been appreciated as his salary has been increased from $1,800 to $3,000.

Mr. Baxter resides with his wife and son at 27 Warren avenue, Somerville. There is a pleasant romance connected with his marriage in 1872 to Ida F. Paul of Somerville. Mr. Baxter first formed her acquaintance when he entered upon his duties as master of the high school, when she was a member of the junior class. They have one son, Gregory Paul Baxter, who graduated from Harvard University in 1896, continued his studies there for three years, and received the degree of A. M. and Ph. D. in 1899. He is at present instructor in analytical chemistry at Harvard.

With the exception of four months in 1892 Mr. Baxter has not been absent from his school a day on account of illness since the fall of 1867. He says he feels as strong physically as he ever did, and it is his intention to continue teaching as long as his health and strength permits. He now teaches Greek and laboratory physics, and frequently Latin.

Mr. Baxter is a member of the First Unitarian church, Somerville; an honorary member of John Abbot lodge of Masons and Somerville Royal Arch chapter; member of Coeur de Lion commandery, K. T., of Charlestown; member of the Massachusetts Schoolmasters' Club and High School Masters' Association; a former president of the Massachusetts Classical and High School Teachers' Association; is one of the incorporators of the Somerville Savings Bank, and has been a trustee since its incorporation, and for nearly 20 years he was secretary of both John Abbot lodge of Masons and Somerville Royal Arch chapter.

Quincy Steamer Appreciated.

Quincy's steamer did good work Monday at the conflagration at Whitman. The fire started at 10.30 Sunday night in the Jenkins' block, the largest brick structure in the town. The fire soon got beyond control and aid was asked from surrounding cities and towns. Word that aid was wanted was received in Quincy about 2.10 o'clock, and the Chief's call was sounded on the fire alarm circuit.

Chief Williams acted promptly and at 2.40 the steamer drawn by five horses was on its way toward Whitman. Sometime later a telephone message was received that the steamer had arrived and was at work.

As soon as the apparatus had started the relief steamer was backed into the Central fire station. Chief Williams sent four of his own horses to the station to draw the relief steamer should an alarm sound in Quincy.

Chief Williams and the members of the fire department can always be relied upon to be quickly on hand when their services are needed. It matters not whether the call comes from a fire near at hand or from a distance. "Get there" is the motto the chief has so thoroughly enthused into the men under him that they need no urging now.

The "Get There" system was never better illustrated than when the call came from Whitman for aid.

Whitman is about sixteen miles away, and it was the longest run the Quincy apparatus was ever called upon to make.

This was not thought of however, and at 2.40 A. M. the steamer drawn by five powerful horses started on its errand of mercy. James Connell was in the driver's seat, and handled the reins, while Charles Reddy was the engineer on the rear of the apparatus.

Whitman, sixteen miles away, was the goal. It was a record breaking run. Here is the summary:

Distance, 16 miles.
Left Quincy, 2.40 A. M.
Arrived at Whitman, 4.20 A. M.
Elapsed time, 100 minutes.

Apparatus from other places near by was also present but none came as far as did Quincy's steamer,

The chief and town officials of Whitman thoroughly appreciated the services rendered by our department and no little praise was bestowed upon it for its prompt response.

The steamer arrived back in Quincy at 12.40 having been absent from the city ten hours.

Boston sent two steamers and Brockton one, also hose carriages.

The loss at Whitman was over $100,000.

Among the losers were:
Marble & Nevins, gents' furnishings.
E. C. Howard, hardware.
H. Howey, druggist.

The telephone exchange. The Y. M. C. A., the K. of P., the A. O. H. and the K. of C.

Store Entered.

Early Monday morning Officer Crooker discovered that the store of the Quincy Sporting Goods Co. on Chestnut street had been entered. Examination showed that a small piece had been broken out of one of the windows in order that the catch might be turned.

Evidently the parties were unable to turn the catch and the window was smashed. On the outside of the window was an empty cracker box and salmon can.

Later Inspector McKay made an investigation, but far as could be seen or learned from the proprietor nothing had been taken from the store.

Quick Service.

The Quincy Patriot received a letter before 8 A. M. Wednesday that was collected that morning from a mail box in Braintree.

Hereafter people in all parts of Quincy can receive mail in the morning that is deposited in any part of Braintree early the same morning.

On the other hand mail collected in Quincy in the first collection will be delivered the same morning in all parts of Braintree.

The schedule is as follows:

MAILS CLOSE.

At Quincy for Braintree and South Braintree at 6.20 A. M., 2.20 and 4.20 P. M.

At Braintree, for Quincy, at 6.45 A. M. and 1.45 P. M.

At South Braintree, for Braintree and Quincy, at 6.30 A. M. and 1.30 P. M.

MAILS ARRIVE.

At Quincy, from Braintree and South Braintree, at 7.30 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.

At Braintree, from Quincy at 7 A. M., 3 and 5 P. M.

At South Braintree, from Quincy and Braintree at 7.15 A. M., 3.15 and 5.15 P. M.

On Sundays the Braintree office will be open an hour in the morning and an hour in the afternoon. A mail will arrive from Boston at 9.30 A. M. and close for Boston at 6 P. M.

The Sunday service at South Braintree will continue as at present.

East Braintree which was in dispute, and all parts of Braintree are covered in the delivery. Three carriers started from the Braintree office as follows:

Edward V. Heffernan, who covers the west side of the railroad.

Alverdo Mason, who covers East Braintree.

Henry J. Scanlan, who covers the east side of the main line of the railroad towards East Braintree.

From the South Braintree office two carriers start, as follows:

Thomas F. Carey, who goes to the south.

Cornelius Connors, Jr., who goes toward Braintree and westerly.

Seventeen mail boxes have been located in the town.

March Magazines.

From cover to cover the March McClure's teems with interest. In the discussion of vital topics, in romance, in action, in humor, and in verse it runs the gamut of human experience. It is a number with never a dull page and crowded, too, with sound, solid matter which takes high place in the arena of public discussion—matter that it is not possible to miss and yet pretend to follow the drift of civic life. Mary Stewart Cutting has another "Little Story of Courtship," a sweet tale of the winning of the right girl. There is the quality of truth in these stories.

The leading feature of Lippincott's Magazine for March is a novelette by Captain Archibald W. Butt, U. S. A., called "Both Sides of The Shield." The Shield is, of course, the South before the War. A writer on a Northern paper goes to Georgia to report conditions and falls in with a typical Southern family, much reduced in estate. He also falls in love with the daughter, and when his newspaper revelations come to her ears she indignantly rejects him. The Spanish-American War, strangely enough, brings a truce to the bitterness, and all ends in charming appropriateness.

Important articles of timely interest, and a wealth of fiction, are noticeable in the Century magazine for March. Mrs. Kate Douglas Wiggin contributes the first part of an idyllic novelette called "Rose o' the River," the colored frontispiece of the magazine being George Wright's ideal of her heroine, a village belle; Alice Hegan Rice carries forward the fortunes of her new hero, "Sandy," and other stories are contributed by Maud Wilder Goodwin, Anne Warner, Anne Douglas Sedgwick, Caroline Abbot Stanley, L. Frank Tooker and Cloudesley Johns.

The March St. Nicholas is a fiction number, fiction that will please not only the girls and boys, but the grown-ups of the family as well. There are more chapters and colored pictures, of course, to carry on the fun and adventure of L. Frank Baum's "Queen Zixi of Ix." Then Agnes Louise Provost's "When the Ice Came Down" is a pleasantly seasonable story, and one to enthuse all ambitious lads. There is another of the delectable "Pinkey Perkins" stories, telling this time "How Pinkey Got Even." Every reader will laugh with Pinkey and rejoice over the success of his mischievous schemes. Belle Moses's "The Revenue Fund" is good reading for all the family.

Grandma beside the evening lamp, scanning the pages of her old scrapbook makes beautiful the cover of the March number of the National Magazine of Boston. And the contents of the number sustain the happy first impressions given by the cover. For the National is essentially a high-class home magazine, and it brings into the widely scattered homes of its readers each month the story of the whole world's larger aims and undertakings, told in the simple, direct language of the home.

—One way of getting a reputation for being a good conversationalist is to push the button of a man's self conceit. He'll do the rest.

—The man who goes back on his friends seldom has a come back.

—Some children are quite gracious when their parents apologize to them.

Anecdotes.

Teacher—What is a farm?

Bright Girl—A piece of land entirely covered by a mortgage.

Jakey (suffering from an extremely active cold in his head)—Ma, didn't you say an organ has stops?

Ma—Yes, Jakey.

Jakey—Then what do they call a nose an organ for?

Marie—"I told papa, Willie, dear, that I thought you were just too lovely for any use."

Willie—"And what did he say, darling?"

Marie—"He said he feared as much. Now, what could he have meant by that, Willie, dear?"

"De righteous hez a hard time in dis old worl'."

"Think so!"

"I knows it. Dar's Br'er Jinkins, wid de rheumatism in his good leg, whilst his wooden leg is leanin' 'gin de wall, des ez healthy en hearty ez kin be!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Young Student—"This cook book says that pie crust needs plenty of shortening. Do you know what that means, pa?"

Father—"It means lard."

"But why is it called shortening?"

"Because it shortens life."

Household Receipts.

Mock Bisque Soup. Season one-half can of tomatoes with one teaspoon of minced onion, one-half inch bay leaf, one cardamon seed, one-half teaspoon of salt, and one-fourth teaspoon of paprika; stew ten minutes, add one-fourth teaspoon of soda, stir till effervescence ceases, then strain it into one quart of milk which has been thickened with one tablespoon of butter and one tablespoon of cornstarch cooked together. When well mixed, add one heaped tablespoon butter, a quarter of it at a time, and more salt and pepper if needed. Serve very hot, with browned crackers or fried dice of bread.

Stuffed Mutton. Take one cup stale bread crumbs, moisten with a little hot water, add two ounces of pork chopped fine, a saltspoon of salt, a pinch of cayenne pepper, teaspoon of chopped onion and twice as much chopped parsley. Mix these ingredients together and fill with the stuffing the place left by the bone. Chop a small turnip, one carrot, a stalk of celery and a sprig of parsley together; put them into the middle of a dripping pan, and place the prepared meat upon these vegetables, and cover them with a well-seasoned stock. Put the meat into a hot oven and bake it two hours, basting frequently with the stock. Make the dressing by taking some of the liquid and thickening it with browned flour, then strain it around the meat.—Athol Chronicle.

Potato Omelet. Allow two tablespoonfuls of cold boiled potatoes, chopped fined, to each egg; make the omelet as for a plain omelet and have ready the potatoes, which have been put into a frying pan with some hot butter, seasoned and shaken over the fire until a nice brown. Give them a sprinkling of finely minced parsley and spread in the omelet just ready to fold.

Ship Builders' Club.

The weekly entertainment given at the Shipbuilders' club, Quincy Point, Feb. 24, passed off as successfully as upon former occasions. The program under the guidance of Mr. Andrews was of a varied and lengthy description and was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience present. The gramaphone selections given by Mr. Pitts were especially fine and the vocal rendering of the "Lost Chord" by Mr. Maybery was worth going miles to hear. Mr. Brown at the piano and violin, and Tom Foley with the piccolo proved adept accompanists, and Messrs. C. Cook, Hugh Butler, G. Casy, Mulheirn, Loftus and Hawkins each contributed songs in a highly creditable manner. The refreshments were generously provided at the expense of Councilman Hynes, and he was heartily thanked for the same. Votes of thanks to the various artists concluded the proceedings.

Not this Time.

Quincy will not be remembered by the present Congress with an appropriation for a government building, as will be seen by the following Washington dispatch to the Herald:

Speaker Cannon has won a complete victory in his fight on the public building bill. The committee admitted Tuesday that there was no chance for the bill, and gave up the contest. When the committee members circulated a petition and obtained the signatures of nearly 90 per cent. of the House in favor of bringing in a rule to allow the bill, the speaker saw he had a strong rebellion to put down.

His final move was to call the attention of some signers of the petition not directly interested in the bill to the manner in which "the pork" was distributed. It was found that each member of the committee had taken splendid care of himself and his personal friends, and that some structures were going to little villages all over the country. The bulk of the House members immediately lost interest in the measure.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

Following is a list of the recent real estate sales:

Ella L. Nickerson to George S. Blaisdell, (2).

Mary C. Adams by tr. to Valentino Di Flavis, $2200.

George W. Patten to Dudley Talbot tr

Isabella F. Bugbee to George C. Wales.

Elizabeth S. Logan to Mary Lynch.

Harlow H. Rogers to Elizabeth Lotterhand (2)

Thomas J. Dwyer to Mary L. Derby.

Nathan G. Nickerson to Jennie E. Hull.

Walter T. Fuller to Natick 5 cents Savings Bank, (2)

Clifford S Drake to Alice A. Wilson.

George M. McCallar to Emma E. Storey. $4000.

Frederick E. Tupper to Heroert T. Whitman.

Robert H. Barham et al to Rachel S. Hewitson.

Rachel S. Hewitson et al to Robert H. Barham.

Robert H. Barnham et al to Lucy E. Johnson.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Castle Square Theatre.

The management of the Castle Square Theatre announce for next week's attraction at this popular play house Arthur W. Pinero's most amusing comedy "The Magistrate" which has not had a Boston production since it was last seen at the Castle Square Theatre nearly five years ago. "The Magistrate" is sufficiently described when it is said that it is a farce comedy patterned closely after "The Pink Dominos" model; it is the old story of martial sprees and splashes, freshened by novel incidents and with such unflagging spirit and unceasing drollery that the tale takes on new interest in all its scenes. The play is announced for only one week.

Tremont Theatre.

Mr. E. S. Willard, who has been cordially welcomed back to Boston by large audiences, has only one more week to stop at the Tremont Theatre, and in response to almost innumerable requests, will devote it entirely to revivals of plays which he has presented during previous visits. On Monday and Tuesday evenings and at the Wednesday matinee, Mr. Willard will give his powerful impersonation of Cyrus Blenkarn in "The Middleman." It was in this role that the distinguished English actor made his first appearance in America, and so profound was the impression made by his remarkable work that the public still demands, whenever he returns to this country, that he again undertake the character of the grand old potter. On Wednesday evening, Mr. Willard's polished, graceful and fervent performance of "David Garrick" will be the attraction. Thursday and Friday evenings and the Saturday matinee will be given up to Barrie's delightful comedy. "The Professor's Love Story" and Saturday evening to "Tom Pinch."

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Certificate Re-extending Charter.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
OFFICE OF
COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4, 1905.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The National Granite Bank of Quincy," located in the City of Quincy in the County of Norfolk and State of Massachusetts, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882, as amended by the Act, approved April 12, 1902;

Now, therefore, I THOMAS P. KANE, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The National Granite Bank of Quincy," located in the City of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and State of Massachusetts, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association; namely, until close of business on Feb. 4, 1925.

Currency Bureau Seal of the Comptroller of the Currency, Treasury Department.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and Seal of office this fourth day of February, 1905.

T. P. KANE,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

Charter No. 832.

Extension No. 501.

Quincy, Feb. 11, 1905. 5w

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9909.

TO the creditors of GEORGE A. DEAN of Westwood in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of February, A. D., 1905, the said George A. Dean was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1905 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Mar. 1, 1905. 4-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts, In Bankruptcy. No. 9833.

TO the creditors of ELI J. BOYCE of Braintree, in the County of Norfolk and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of February, A. D., 1905, the said Eli J. Boyce was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 11th day of March, A. D., 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Mar. 1, 1905. 4-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9732.

TO the creditors of CHARLES G. FARWELL of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 2d day of January, A. D., 1905, the said Charles G Farwell, was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 11th day of March, A. D., 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Mar. 1, 1905. 4-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9918.

TO the creditors of LINDSLEY H. SHEPARD of Brookline, in the County of Norfolk, doing business as Shepard, Farmer & Co., in the County of Suffolk and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of February, A. D., 1905, the said Lindsley H. Shepard was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1905 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

The bankrupt has given notice of an intention to make an offer in composition of 20 cents on the dollar at said first meeting.

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The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1905.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.		Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea Morn	Full Sea Eve	Moon rises
Saturday. Mar	4	6 15	5 37	[illegible]	10 45	5.26 A. M
Sunday,	" 5	6 14	5 38	11 00	11 30	5.59 "
Monday,	" 6.	6.12	5.39	11.45	12.10	sets
Tuesday,	" 7	6.11	5.41	12 00	12 15	7.11 P. M
Wednesday,	" 8,	6 09	5 42	12.30	12.45	8.08 "
Thursday.	" 9,	6.07	5.43	1.15	1 30	9 04 "
Friday,	" 10,	6.05	5 44	1.45	2.00	10 01 "

New Moon, Mar. 6, 12.19 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of month for three years:

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1904.	In 1903.	In 1900.
Sunday,	34	20	27	42	23
Monday,	33	38	28	54	12
Tuesday,	29	45	35	40	32
Wednesday,	33	22	33	41	42
Thursday,	31	27	43	38	41
Friday,	34	36	48	33	35
Saturday,	—	38	27	48	40

Notes and Comments.

Let us hope that the Fore River Co. will get the contract for one or both of those two new battleships to be built.

The Patriot office is up against a rush season and the editor is most at his wits end. When fifty people want printing done all at the same time it is hard to live up to one's reputation for promptness and good work. It is good to be busy but if our patrons rush us this month as they have the last few weeks we shall have to enlarge our force and indulge in several more presses.

Evidently Quincy has been backward and modest in its claim for a government building if towns of 1,000 to 6,000 are to be favored with appropriations of $30,000 to $100,000 in the omnibus bill which is pending at Washington. Quincy has a population of 30,000 and postal receipts in excess of $50,000 annually, and is unable to obtain quarters large enough for the rapidly increasing business.

The women of Quincy are showing the men that it is possible to unite all parts of the city in a common cause. Success to the Quincy Women's Club which has started so auspiciously. If the club accomplishes nothing more than to harmonize Quincy and create a unity of action, it will do more for the city than any organization in the past. But the Women's Club promises to do much more and we believe it will, not on social lines alone but in a sphere of usefulness.

There are the same objections to a minimum wage rate for granite cutters throughout the country that there is to a minimum wage rate for all men in a city. Men are capable of earning different wages, and conditions are different in different parts of the country. Quincy granite cutters who at times have gone to other places to work, at what appeared to be an advance in wages, have found they were deceived and they were glad to get back. Between the West and the East the conditions are very marked. Would it not be fair to compromise on a $3 average wage, that those who can earn $3.50, or $4, or more, may be paid accordingly.

Rebekah Initiation.

One of the most enjoyable evenings of the season, was that held in I. O. O. F. hall, Thursday evening, by Geo. L. Gill, Rebekah lodge, when over one hundred assembled to witness the initiation of five candidates, which was done by the degree team, in almost a letter perfect manner. After the business of the lodge, remarks were made by P. S. D., Mrs. Annie E. Sawyer, P. S. G. M., Mrs. Nellie Harrington of Boston, and other visiting members. Delegations were present from Braintree, South Weymouth, East Weymouth, Cambridge, Dorchester, Newport News, South Boston, and other places. At the close a fine banquet was served, after which the evening was spent in social intercourse and dancing.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

QUINQUAGESIMA.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 10.30 holy communion and sermon. 12 M., Sunday School in the parish house. Rector's Bible class in the church. 7.00 evening prayer and address. All welcome.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Charles H. Emmons, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "He that Overcometh." Sunday School at 11.45. International lessons. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Preaching by the Rev. W. S. Woodbridge, Professor of Old Testament at Tufts college. The public is cordially invited to attend services.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, Franklin street, —Rev. William Alva Brady, pastor. Residence 179 Franklin street. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 11.45 A. M. B. Y. P. U. at 6 P. M. Preaching at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. All welcome.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Leon H. Austin, pastor. Morning service at 10.45, with celebration of the Lord's Supper. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.45. Evening prayer meeting at 7.30. Friday evening prayer meeting at 7.30. All cordially invited.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the Rev. Preston Gurney. Sunday School at 12.10. Boys' meeting at 4 P. M. Young People's service at 6.30. Social Praise service at 7.30. All not worshipping elsewhere are invited.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "At his feet," followed by the celebration of the Lord's Supper. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. at 6 o'clock. Topic: "The making of a Christian; his speech." Evening service at 7 o'clock, conducted by the pastor. Subject: "The night parade, and its lessons." You are cordially invited.

METHODIST CHURCH ATLANTIC, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "The Conquest of Difficulties." Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30 P. M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "A Composite Portrait of Womanhood."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue. — Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Substance." Golden Text: "Take no thought, saying, what shall we eat or what shall we drink or wherewithal shall we be clothed? But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you." Matthew 6:31-33. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings with gentlemen in attendance. All are welcome.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, March 1, 1905.

Whatever was the intent of the famous semi-colon law has now become a mere academic question, as they say in the case of arguments which have no practical bearing. For the second time, by its action this week, the Massachusetts legislature has passed upon its purpose regarding the sale of of liquor till midnight by licensed innholders. Last year and this, the majority has been too strong to be overcome that the present law shall stand, limiting sales to 11 o'clock. The fight for repeal has been in the committee and in the effort before the hearings to make it appear that local interests and the majority of the people favored a change and would be benefited by one. But the organized temperance workers have been fully alive to the situation. It would surprise those who are not in position to know to see the large number of remonstrances from all parts of the state which have been put in steadily from the beginning of the session against any extension of the time for selling liquor. The side of petitioners is not represented by any such demonstration. They put in their petition and rested their case there, trusting also, apparently to the ability of their counsel and to the supposed strength of their case. But the churches and young people's societies all over the state have been worked faithfully and their constant remonstrance, as it has appeared by the reading from the desks and in the printed journals, day after day, has shown that there is a great sentiment all over the state against permitting the sale of liquor till midnight. Mr. Luce of Somerville put it as the case of a few hotels and commercial travellers against the sentiment of most of the people of the state. But whatever the cause, the house stands by 83 to 126 against the bill and the contest is ended for this year.

Because there has been a great crowd at the Lawson circus it does not follow that there is general belief in the truthfulness of the implications in the Lawson advertisements. If Lawson had fulfilled the expectations which he aroused a few years ago when he who before the legislative committee in manufactures, he might come before the public with more confidence now. But the fact is that at that time there was about the same bold denunciation of the opposite, represented them by Henry M. Whitney, and the same posing for effect. But when it came to the pinch, he never told the committee anything which was worth anything as an exposure of corruption. The investigation made a prodigious display, but it ended in nothing at all of value to the state in way of purifying such legislative corruption as might have existed. Hence there is abundant warrant in not being duped today by his hysterical denunciations. Yesterday's meeting, with its eager crowd, which has been duplicated today, shows how ready the public is for a sensation. Perhaps it shows that some of the people actually believe that Lawson will do something against great corruption. But those who have seen how Lawson fell far below expectations before, look upon this performance as a farce, entertaining to the onlookers, an advertisement of Lawson, incidentally, perhaps, a promoter of popular indignation against monopolies and corruption, but nothing important in way of genuine reform.

Queer it is how some seemingly small matters will draw great crowds. The other day one of the largest committee rooms was packed with icemen to protest against the states forbidding the cutting of ice on great ponds, and yesterday the biggest committee room in the state was thronged with poultry dealers and others who protest against the pending bill to require poultry to be drawn before it is offered for sale. Odoriferous and otherwise vigorous language, a frozen hen in a stage of putrefaction and high personal temper were incidents of his picturesque hearing.

School children in all parts of the state have a direct interest in a bill which was reported in the house unanimously by the committee on education. It is based on a petition of George I. Aldrich, superintendent of schools in Brookline and it says that school committees shall have control over all organizations composed of children of the public schools which bear the name of the schools and that they shall also have power to regulate contests between any of these school organizations and similar organinizations of other schools. Put into other words, this seems too mean that the football and baseball matches have got to such a stage that the boys are regarded as in need of some supervision and that it is believed to be time to let the school committee supervise. Of course the law will apply equally to debating teams and to basket ball matches, but such affairs do not carry the pupils to such extremes as the rougher sports.

Another educational report of importance is that against any official recognition of music in the schools. Several propositions were pending. One was for a state agent to supervise instruction in the public schools and one to permit regular instruction in music in the schools. The former proposition was reported against unanimously, but the adverse report on the other had some dissenters. Secretary Martin of the state board of education is in favor of instruction in music in the high schools. He made a careful investigation during the recess of the legislature and his annual report gives strong reasons for his recommendation. He argues that music has a distinct educational value. One feature of his report is the great efficiency and growing demand upon the agents of the board. Now only three are available for general work, against five a few years ago. The board needs more of them and the educational work warrants the employment of more.

It was the latter part of this afternoon when the house reached the school bill referred to above, giving the committee the control of the athletic organizations. Friends of the school boys, headed by Representative Schofield of Ipswich, immediately challenged the passage of the bill, saying that it went too far when it put the base ball teams under the management of the school committee, even during the vacations. Friends of the bill replied that in some cases the names of schools had been disgraced by the rough conduct of clubs playing under those names, and that it was best to have some oversight. If they wanted to take some other name during vacation, they could do so, but if they went in the name of the school, they should be under control. But it was replied that this would be encouraging the boys to deception. If they were really of a particular school they ought to be allowed to take the school name and not hide under something different. The upshot of the matter was that the bill was defeated by a decided majority.

It looks as if the insurance companies had become aroused against the bill to permit cities and towns to establish municipal building insurance funds. The bill seemed to be going along all right and smoothly and took its first stage easily, but on the second stage it was strongly opposed and the opposition was such as to make it seem probable that the bill will be defeated in the senate. Under present laws cities and towns are shut up to one of two courses either they must insure their public buildings in the regular insurance companies, or they must go uninsured totally. This is in consequence of a decision that towns have no authority to set apart a sinking fund for insurance purposes. It was figured out that it would be good finance to permit such a system, and the bill had strong support in the house, but if the insurance companies fear that it will hurt their business of course they will kill it in the senate, if possible.

Every year since the close of the war with Spain the soldiers of that war have come to the legislature and asked for a law to give them practically full swing in the civil offices of the state. That is, they have asked that they may be appointed to public office without examination, whereas all other persons, except the veterans of the civil war, must pass examinations. At the annual hearing this forenoon on this petition, there were many women present in opposition, for the auxiliaries of the civil service reform association have interested themselves in this matter. This afternoon the committee on military affairs reported unanimously in the senate against the petition. This is the first time that the report has been made so promptly. It is of reference to the next legislature and not a direct defeat, but it is unanimous for the first time since the petition was put in and it looks as if the support of the movement were weakening, considering the growing bad effects of the veterans' preferance law relating to the civil war men in causing poor service to the public.

The committee on agriculture hopes to get after the gypsy moth speedily and to report a bill within a week. Spring is coming and the caterpillars do not wait for the movements of the legislature, but hatch out as soon as the days become warm.

A crowded hearing occurred this forenoon on the petition for state aid for the proposed canal between Quincy and Taunton, through Brockton. A warm argument was made on general grounds of the benefit of waterways, but specifications were not given. Brockton business men are enthusiastic for the plan and argue that it will save many lives which would otherwise be lost in vessels passing around Cape Cod. But the legislature is still incredulous.

Rule.

Myra Kelly Monologues.

A special car and many carriages conveyed a large party to the Quincy Mansion school Monday evening, which comfortably filled Livermore hall. All interest centered on Miss Myra Kelly, of New York, who has become widely known through her writings of the children in the Russian-Jewish quarter of the city. Miss Kelly was introduced by Dr. Willard, and for an hour and a half delightfully entertained her audience with monologues. Those who had read her short stories as they came out in the magazines found new pleasure in the interpretation by the author.

The humorous and the pathetic side of the little children of the slums was interwoven in the stories, making its appeal to every one in the audience.

Miss Kelly was often applauded, and at the close an informal reception was given her. She is unspoiled by all the praise and honor showered upon her, and it was a pleasure to meet and talk with her.

School Committee Meeting.

Messrs. Burke, Churchill, Hallowell, Miller, Porter, Record and Smith were present at Tuesday night's meeting of the School Committee.

The resignation of Miss Janie C. Michaels of the High school was accepted.

Miss Adele Schroeder was elected to fill the vacancy.

An informal discussion of school matters followed.

The expenditures of the School department to date was reported as follows:

Salaries,	$17,418.46
Janitors,	1,231.58
Books, Supplies and Sundries,	1,515.13
Fuel,	——
Transportation,	123.80
Rents,	112.50
Evening School,	——
Total,	$20,401.47

Quincy Representatives Against.

Both Representatives Freeman and Nicol of this city were with the majority on Tuesday in voting against the motion to substitute for the Committee's report, a bill providing that liquor may be sold by licensed inn holders in Boston up to midnight.

The vote was 83 yeas to 126 nays with four pairs.

The substitute was favored by Fisk of Boston and Serberlich of Boston.

In opposition was Luce of Somerville.

Rev. Mr. Pratt Installed.

Quincy and Wollaston were represented on Tuesday at the installation of Rev. Frank W. Pratt, recently of Wollaston, at the Hopedale Memorial church.

The Rev. E. W. Whitney of Milford, formerly of Quincy made the opening prayer, the scripture lesson was read by the Rev. C. A. Roys of Uxbridge, the installation sermon was delivered by the Rev. C. E. St. John of Boston, and the installation prayer was made by the Rev. A. S. Garver of Worcester.

The charge to the new minister was given by the Rev. Ellery C. Butler of Quincy, after which the Rev. C. G. Horst of West Upton extended the right hand of fellowship. Frank J. Dutcher welcomed the new pastor in behalf of his new congregation.

The Rev. L. G. Wilson, recently pastor of the church, also spoke. The closing prayer was by the Rev. David Howe of the Union Evangelical Church and the new pastor pronounced the benediction. There was singing by a quartet.

Mayor Buttrick of Melrose has sent communications to the heads of all the departments having offices in the City Hall requesting that they prohibit smoking in their offices in business hours. It is said that complaints have been made by women who have business at city hall about the smoking by the officials. The board of health of Melrose has also issued notices that there must be no more spitting on the sidewalks, in the public buildings or in the cars, and that prosecution will follow any violation of the law.

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Quincy Women's Club.

Another large and enthusiastic meeting of women interested in a woman's club for Quincy was held in the chapel of First church on Tuesday afternoon. Over two hundred were present. Miss Elizabeth Johnson presided and called for the report of the committee appointed to confer with Dr. Jeffrey R. Brackett on the advisability of using his homestead on Goffe street as a club house.

Mrs. John W. Sanborn, chairman of the committee, said they met Dr. Brackett and went over the house thoroughly, and found it in good repair. She read a letter from Dr. Brackett in which he says:

"If my house is taken for the purpose of a home for a large and representative women's club and a centre for educational and philanthropic effort, I shall take pleasure in putting into it a large furnace, in addition to the one now there, and in painting the house outside. Mr. Bates assured me that a large furnace, placed under the parlor, will heat that room, the front hall and the two rooms over the parlor, besides taking the chill off the upper hall. The present small furnace, which heats the southern part of the house and is connected with one register in the parlor will do alone for spring and autumn."

The committee's report was accepted and it was voted unanimously to accept Dr. Brackett's generous offer.

Next in order was the report of the committee on constitution and by-laws. Mrs. Wilson Marsh, the chairman, read the constitution as a whole, and then section by section, each being acted upon separately. The first relating to name brought out considerable discussion, and it was decided that no better name could be found than "Quincy," a name that means much, not only to inhabitants, but to the whole country. A question of Woman's or Women's club arose, and on a close vote it was decided that the club should be called the "Quincy Women's Club."

Section two, the object of the club was unanimously voted as follows: "Its object is to become an organized center for united thought and action in social, literary and humanitarian work."

The club is limited to three hundred and the annual dues are three dollars. Elections will be biennial, which is something new in club work. There will be meetings on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month from October to June with meeting for election of officers in May. No officer can hold the same office for more than two consecutive years. The by-laws as drafted by the committee were accepted with slight changes.

Besides the officers of the club there will be various committees on house, art and literature, social, philanthropy, educational, civic improvements, etc., which will interest all sections of the city. The chairman of these committees to be members of the executive board.

Mrs. W. E. Alden, chairman of the nomination committee, presented a list of names for the officers and the following were elected:

President—Mrs. Everett C. Bumpus.

First Vice-President—Mrs. Chandler W. Smith.

Second Vice-President—Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. John W. Sanborn.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Wilson Marsh.

Treasurer—Miss Annie L. Prescott.

Auditor—Mrs. Zenas Arnold.

Five Directors (with above ex-officiis) —Miss Margaret Thomas, Quincy Point; Miss Abbie Wood, South Quincy; Mrs. George L. Badger, West Quincy; Mrs. Frederic J. Peirce, Park and Downs; and Mrs. Roger H. Wilde, Atlantic.

Papers were passed for the signatures of those who desired to become charter members and over one hundred and seventy-five signed, which, added to those who signed at the first meeting brings the number well up to two hundred and fifty, so the club starts out near its limit of three hundred.

There was much enthusiasm and unity throughout the meeting, and it was most pleasing to see the representative women of all sections of the city entering heartily into the club idea. It was the wish of all that the club work heartily for its object, unity in social, literary and humanitarian work, with special emphasis on the word unity. With such sentiments the club is bound to prosper and its influence for the uplifting of our city will become an important factor in years to come.

Success to the Quincy Women's club.

New Keeper Wanted.

Overseer F. F. Green of the Poor department has requested George Wilson, keeper of the almshouse, to resign, and Mr. Wilson has refused. What will happen next?

Rumors have been freely circulated about the city during the past few days that Mr. Wilson was to get out, and that George Westland was to be appointed as his successor.

When seen this morning, Mr. Wilson admitted that he had received a letter from Overseer Green dated Feb. 27, requesting him to hand in his resignation March 4. He further said that he had paid no attention to the request, and that he did not intend to send in his resignation.

Mr. Wilson says that he was appointed under the veterans service act, and that he cannot be removed except for cause. He further says, that if charges are preferred against him, that he will contest them.

Overseer Green when seen yesterday admitted that he had requested Mr. Wilson to hand in his resignation March 4, and no reply had as yet been received from the request. He said he should wait until after that date before taking the next step.

New Spitting Rule.

The street railway company, with the assistance of Chief of Police Burrell and his officers, are to strictly enforce the recent rule adopted by the Board of Health relative to the spitting in the street cars. There has been many complaints relative to this filthy habit, aside from the danger to public health that arises from it.

The officials and employes of the company have tried in every way possible to put a stop to this nuisance, but have been unable, as there was no prohibitive rule of the Board of Health. Now that the Board of Health have acted the officials and police will do their part.

The company has caused signs to be printed in large plain letters to be posted in all of the cars. One of these signs prohibits smoking and the other is a notice that spitting is prohibited by the Board of Health under penalty of $100.

Chief of Police Burrell will it is said enforce this rule, and an example will be made of the first man caught violating the rule by bringing him into court.

The loss at the Whitman fire Sunday night is now estimated by the assessors at $150,000. The Jenkins block was one of the handsomest in Plymouth county, and is a total loss. The outlook for rebuilding is not bright.

Cutters' Side.

Secretary Duncan authorizes the following statement of the situation:

"Irrespective of the manifested desire of the Quincy branches of the Granite Cutters' National Union, for a pacific adjustment of the wage rate with their employers preparatory to March first, the date of change, the granite cutters of Quincy found on February 28 that their employers had again resorted to their old-time tactics of leaving the question of adjustment of the wage rate to settlement after a suspension of work has been made. The granite cutters were extremely desirous not only on their own account and because of the effect a suspension would have locally, but because of the harm that would come to Quincy trade in the granite line through it being known so near to Decoration Day, which is an objective date in the monumental business, that granite work had suspended.

"After waiting for weeks without the manufacturers giving them an opportunity through their committee to meet and finally discuss the points at issue, they called for a meeting of the Manufacturers' committee to meet their committee on February 27, at which time the best offer the Quincy manufacturers made was one which, while theoretically appearing beautiful sentiment, in reality meant that the $3 minimum rate for day work, asked for by the Granite Cutters' committee, would be considered by them practically a maximum rate and that men they considered unworthy of that rate should have their wages graded downwards accordingly.

On the other hand, the Granite Cutters' committee called for a $3.00 minimum for day men and which rate or a minimum much higher, is already recognized in 99 per cent. of the granite cutting branches of the trade, and that a man whom the employers did not care to hire by the day should be employed by piece work and paid according to what he could make. The $3 rate being an anchorage for the ordinary kind of day-work granite cutter, and which rate is based upon what an ordinarily fair workmen can earn on a piece rate mutually recognized between employer and employe.

"The granite cutters in Quincy, like their fellow craftsmen elsewhere, believe they are entitled to as fair compensation for their labor in Quincy as elsewhere. They are competent workmen and have no difficulty in commanding the best wages paid elsewhere when employed outside of Quincy, and are very often selected for the best work to be done, which perhaps is the best tribute to their mechanical ability which can be shown them.

"They are not so illogical as to take the position that an old, or a maimed man whom the employer will neither hire by the day nor give them piece work, shall be debarred from following the trade, so have in their proposition the usual "Old man's clause," whereby an aged or maimed member may have a special rate of wages commensurate with his earning power, but beyond this for day work employment, the $3 minimum rate is called for, not only in accord with the minimum rate paid elsewhere, but in strict accordance with a clause in the constitution of The Granite Cutters' National Union, that $3 per day shall be considered the minimum wage rate to any ordinary day workman in any part of the United States.

"In short, the manufacturers in Quincy, have been offered the lowest rate now or to be recognized hereafter in the granite cutting trade in any part of the United States, but evidently place their city and their product at a lower value than cut granite elsewhere, by a refusal to pay a rate co-equal to the lowest rate paid elsewhere to the men who cut granite for them. Trade is now and will be exceptionally brisk in the granite cutting line, so the cutters on strike will have no difficulty in getting employment elsewhere at least at the rate they are looking for in Quincy, and in many instances from 25 cents to 75 cents per day more than the rate asked for and which the manufacturers have caused a suspension in connection with, rather than to recognize and pay.

"Contentions elsewhere in the trade are unknown. The granite cutters on strike in Quincy will be financially supported from their national organization, but all concerned expect that better judgment will prevail and that the employers of granite cutters in Quincy will fall in line with the spirit of the times and agree to an equitable settlement along the lines of the cutters' proposition."

Master Builders.

There was a large attendance Wednesday evening at the regular monthly meeting of the Master Builders' and Traders' Association. Matters pertaining to the interest of the city, including the present labor trouble in the granite industry, were discussed at length.

The association earnestly desires that an adjustment of the present difficulties may be reached soon. In order to do what they can toward this end and with a view of bringing the two committees together for another conference, the association appointed the following committee: Thomas L. Williams, Charles M. Bryant, J. W. Pratt, H. Everett Crane, W. H. Teasdale, C. A. McFarland and Charles H. Johnson.

High School Enlargement.

The City Council Committee on Public Buildings held a meeting Tuesday night. The High school enlargement was the subject under consideration. There was more or less discussion on the subject. The order for $65,000, for building the north wing was turned down, and the committee voted to procure plans for a single complete addition to the present building.

No amount was fixed as to the cost, but it was understood that plans for an addition costing about $75,000 should be procured.

—There are plans for fortifying Deer island in Boston harbor.

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Manufacturer's Side.

Mr. Editor:

On taking up the Quincy Daily Ledger tonight I noticed and read the letter from the secretary of the Granite Cutters' National Union giving his version of the trouble between the Granite Cutters of Quincy and the Manufacturers. I hope you will publish these few lines from a manufacturer's standpoint.

In the first place, I believe every man should receive a fair remuneration for his labor. I believe the fast and good workman should be paid extra good wages, because he earns them, but I can't see why a man that don't do a third as much work as the fast and good workman should receive as much pay.

But under the "minimum wages" desired by the Granite Cutters' Union that would be the result, if none could be paid less than the $3 per day. You can readily see that no manufacturer can hire these slow men and pay them the minimum pay of $3 or even $2.64. The result is that the Granite Cutters' Union drives these men out of Quincy. I heard yesterday of a stone cutter,—a slow man but a fine workman, but all he is capable of earning is from $2 to $2.25 per day. Every winter he has to go away from home, down on the island in a company boarding house, away from his wife and family. He calls it going to jail, because he cannot earn the minimum pay.

That man and a great many others like him could get work at home, easily if he was allowed to work for what he was worth by the day.

Then the Cutters' Union will say, why not put him on by the piece? Any man in the business will tell you piece men cannot work to advantage now. No money in them. And they interfere with your business in this way. If you could keep them on hammered stones all the time it would be all right, but you cannot. The stones don't come from the quarry as you would like to have them. So at times you have to give them polished stones to keep them at work, and as they square them up for the polishing mills of course you must keep the stones for the piece man to finish. He might have three or four stones under way at the same time. You might be in a hurry for some of them. Were these stones squared up by a day man, you could put any of your day men on to finish them. But no, they were squared up by the piece man, and you cannot touch them. No matter how much your costumer wants the work you must wait for the piece man to finish them. And then a piece man can come and go when he likes, and they lose a lot of time. But you have to pay the blacksmith just the same for them as you do for a day man that works all the time. So they are not considered profitable men to have in your yard.

Now in Barre there is no minimum wage scale. A man can go to work, no matter how slow he is, and get his pay according to what he can earn. They have a $3.00 "average pay," but no "minimum," and still Barre is the principal competitor against Quincy. The Quincy Manufacturers have offered the men this $3.00 average pay, which they won't accept.

Westerly is another of our competitors and the men have just settled there on a $3.00 minimum, but any man who cannot earn this $3.00 minimum can work for what he can make under the bill of prices. The Quincy manufacturers have proposed this same Westerly settlement to the Quincy cutters, and they have refused it.

The writer of this article knows by experience that stone cutting is hard work and doesn't blame men for getting all the pay they can, but he believes that the demand for any article of labor regulates the price, and if the Quincy cutters can get better pay elsewhere they should go and get it.

The Quincy granite manufacturer is also working under difficulties that he cannot change. Quincy granite is hard stone to quarry, and while it is considered as good granite as there is quarried in the world and far ahead of Barre granite, or any other granite, for polished work, it costs more to quarry it and the manufacturer of monuments often finds to his sorrow some knot or streak in it which necessitates getting another stone after he has expended a lot of money on it. Now the Barre manufacturer doesn't have this to contend with as much as his Quincy competitor, the Barre granite not being as hard a granite as Quincy granite, and easier to manufacture into monuments.

I once heard an old maid say, that if she had had a chance to choose a husband she would have had a good one long ago. So with the Quincy granite manufacturer. If he had had a chance to choose his granite, there is no doubt but what he would have chosen Quincy granite, but he would have had it easier to quarry, and easier to manufacture into monuments. But we can't always have everything as we want it, and all we have to do is the best we can, and keep step with the music.

There are always two sides to a question. No doubt but what the granite cutters have grievances that ought to be remedied. The manufacturers also have their troubles, and quite often find life a burden. The writer of this article believes the middle men who have offices in Boston are the main curse to the granite business, and that it would be a great benefit to the stone cutters as well as the manufacturers if there were no middle men. They are the men who make manufacturers; start them in business. They get a few stone cutters to start in business; find them work; then bleed them, and put other men in the business so as to make more competition for the ones already striving to get a living.

To sum up my opinion of this trouble, I think that if the granite cutters at their meeting had voted under the Australian ballot system like they do at their meetings in Barre, they would have accepted the proposition of the Quincy Granite Manufacturers, to settle the same as Westerly has settled, viz:—a minimum wage of $3.00 per day, but any man physically incapable of earning this sum to be paid what he can earn under the bill of prices, and any man that can earn more than the $3.00 will get it as he does now, and a 7 per cent rise in the bill of prices of 1900. Some of the men have been paid over $4 per day. A joint committee of the Granite Cutters' union and the Manufacturers' to settle the man's pay that can't earn this $3.00 minimum; no strikes or lockouts; all differences to be settled by arbitration.

Frederick L. Jones,
Chairman Manufacturers' Committee.
Quincy, March 1, 1905.

—Somerville has a fine record for higher education, having 250 students registered at different colleges, viz.: Harvard 63, Radcliffe 19, Tufts 75, Dartmouth 24, Technology 27. One of the woman's clubs, the Heptorean, maintains two scholarships, one at Radcliffe, the other at Tufts.

—The annual appropriation order of Malden amounts to $392,300.

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Dr. Dawson at Bethany Church.

Evangelist Dawson, the noted English divine, honored Quincy with a visit on Wednesday evening, and found a responsive audience of over 1,000 church people, all adults, gathered. All the churches of Quincy were invited to send delegations, and also the Congregational churches of Milton, Braintree, Weymouth, Hingham and Cohasset, and most of these churches were largely represented. It was a grand congregation which would have warmed the heart of any pastor, and it would have been twice as large had Quincy had a church of that capacity. Pews designed for five or six held six and seven adults. People stood in the rear, on the sides, and in the vestibules; the gallery was crowded and also the platform.

The meeting opened with a praise service led by Mr. T. B. Pollard of the Quincy Point church. There was an overflow praise service in the chapel led by Mr. A. L. Hayden of Bethany church, which adjourned before the address and was accommodated in the church.

Rev. F. W. Burrows of Braintree read the scripture lesson and Charles L. Estey of Brockton followed with a solo, "While the days are going by," the congregation joining in the chorus. A fervent prayer was offered by Rev. C. F. Hill Crathern of Braintree.

Rev. E. N. Hardy, the pastor, introduced Dr. Dawson, who held the closest attention for an hour, speaking without notes. He said he expected to speak to the general public, but since this was a gathering of church workers he would speak directly to them as such.

He took for his text St. Johns 12: 24 —Verily, verily, I say unto you, except a corn of wheat fall into the ground and die, it abideth alone: but if it die, it bringeth forth much fruit. Also II Corinthians 4: 10—Always bearing about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus, that the life also of Jesus might be made manifest in our body.

No brief synopsis of the address would do Dr. Dawson justice, but he emphasized his belief that Jesus is the cross and all it means, a force of love and power in the hearts of men. Mysticism, he said, is a part of life. It is all mystics when we pray, and when we love. When men say they do not pray, I don't believe them. Therefore, don't refuse message because it is mystic.

To save your life is to lose it. Jesus did not die upon Calvary, but many years before. It is easy to die the death of the body, but the death of will—is your will crucified that Jesus' will may be done. That is the beginning of life eternal.

Domestic love may become the most selfish thing in the world. Jesus asks more than love of kindred. What are we doing to let those around us, who have not heard the message, know that Jesus died for them.

Do you really want to see Jesus tonight? It is an awful thing to see Jesus. If he entered this church who would come with him? The rabble. Would you welcome them? Would you make room for them? He might say, what gospel is this you are preaching. What life is this? Where are the sick, the poor and the sinners? What are you doing for them?

Christ made religion a hard thing. We make it too easy. Until a man is discontented he will never do anything. Christianity means crucifixion. It is a hard thing but a sweet thing. Have you church people surrendered to Christ? Think of the lost people to be saved.

Are you young men living up to your possibilities! Have you older ones enough religion to make you happy. God grant tonight that this may be the time for some to begin a consecrated life.

Dr. Dawson then asked all to bow their heads in silent prayer. After a few moments he asked them to repeat verses, and then led them in prayer.

Finally, he requested all to stand who desired to consecrate their lives anew to Christ, and practically the whole audience of 1000 stood and received his blessing.

The meeting closed with the benediction of Rev. Edward Norton, the pastor emeritus of Bethany church.

Dr. Dawson, accompanied by Rev. E. N. Hardy, Rev. J. G. Miller of Atlantic, and several others took the 9.13 train for Boston, where the evangelist conducted a revival meeting until 11 P. M. at Tremont Temple.

The District Court.

Peter J. Donahue, Jr., Charles E. Hollingshead and Walter Greno were arraigned for violation of the town by laws of Braintree, by loitering on the sidewalk. They were found guilty and their cases were placed on file with the understanding that if the offence was again committed these cases would be taken up.

Duncan McDonald was fined $10 for drunkenness at Braintree.

The continued case of George Wuest for perjury at Quincy was dismissed. Wuest was then arraigned for subornation of perjury. Case continued for judgment.

Gusta Hæsila, James McGovern and Alfred Pearson were fined $3 each for drunkenness at Quincy.

Edward Toole was fined $3 for drunkenness at Randolph.

The continued case of John Anderson of Milton for larceny of realty was heard. He was found not guilty and was discharged.

Thomas C. McDonald was fined $10 and Patrick Galvin $15 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Francis C. Morallie was fined $10 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Henry Griffin was fined $3 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Walter C. Dixon was arraigned for larceny at Quincy. He was sentenced to six months in the house of correction.

The continued case of A. A. Linscott, for larceny from Mary Melvin at Quincy, was heard and again continued until March 11. He was also arraigned upon a new complaint for larceny from James Kain. This case was also continued until March 11.

Daniel Crowley and Michael Lahea were arraigned for drunkenness at Quincy. Cases continued until March 13.

Jessie A. Case of the Howard House, Randolph, pleaded guilty to keeping liquor with intent to sell and was fined $50.

Births.

FAIRCHILD—In New York City, Feb. 18th, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Fairchild, Jr.

Deaths.

FAHEY—In Quincy, March 2, Mrs. Winnifred, wife of Mr. Edward Fahey of 16 Bunker Hill street, aged 58 years.

SULLIVAN—In Quincy, March 1, Mrs. Mary, widow of Mr. Daniel Sullivan of Madison street, aged 72 years.

BATES—In Quincy, March 1, Mr. Arthur E. Bates of 70 Revere road, aged 25 years.

SUTHERLAND—In Quincy, Feb. 25, John A., son of Mr. John B. and Mrs. Margaret A. Sutherland of Federal avenue, aged 17 years and 8 months.

PAINE—In Holbrook, Feb. 26, Mr. Charles T. Paine, aged 48 years, 5 months, 1 day.

THAYER—In Randolph, Feb. 26, Mrs. Charlotte A., widow of John Barry Thayer, aged 76 years.

FRENCH—In Hingham, Feb. 27, Mr. Joseph H. French, in his 85th year.

FETT—In Dorchester, Feb. 22, Mrs. Harriet A. Fett, widow of Jacob Fett, formerly of Quincy, aged 71 years and 5 months.

FENTON—In Readville, March 2, Mr. Edward A. Fenton, in his 31st year.

HALL—In Sea View, Feb. 28, Mrs. Miriam, widow of Mr. Warren Hall, aged 92 years, 11 months and 12 days.

CAREY—In Worcester, Feb. 25, Mr. Thomas J. Carey of Quincy, aged 48 years.

FAIRCHILD—In New York City, Feb. 22d, Gertrude Marion, daughter of Mr. Charles Bryant and Mrs. Marion Bailey Fairchild, aged 4 days.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after Jan. 16, 1905, trains will run as follows:

[Subject to change without notice.]

TO BOSTON Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
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r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 27	cba	6 46 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 27	cba	8 49 r
r 7 43	abc	8 03	9 25	ihgfedcba	9 54 r
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 27	cba	10 49 r
r 8 13	abc	8 33	11 25	ihgfedcba	11 54 r
r 8 26	abd	8 45	12 27	cba	12 49 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	12 57	cba	1 19 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	1 27	cba	1 49 r
10 01	Exp.	10 17	1 57	cba	2 19 r
r 10 13	abc	10 33	2 27	cba	2 49
r 11 09	abcdefghi	11 37	2 45	Exp.	3 02
r 12 13	abc	12 33	3 27	cba	3 49 r
r 1 13	abc	1 33	4 12	a	4 31 r
r 1 43	abc	2 03	4 27	cba	4 49 r
r 2 13	abc	2 33	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 13	abc	3 33	5 15	a	5 34 r
r 3 43	abc	4 03	5 19	dba	5 40 r
r 4 13	abc	4 33	5 27	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
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r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 57	cba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 15	dba	6 36 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 27	cba	6 49 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	6 57	fedcba	7 23 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	9 27	cba	9 49 r
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SUNDAYS.

TO BOSTON Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive Quincy.
r 7 43	abc	8 03	6 24	ihgfdcba	6 53
8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
r 9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 57	cba	7 19 r
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* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate that trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

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Old Colony Street Railway Company

DIVISION 1.

TIME TABLE.

In effect Jan. 1st, 1905.
(Subject to change without notice.)

QUINCY TO NEPONSET.

Via Hancock Street,—5.40 6.05 6.10 6.40 A. M. and every 10 and 40 minutes past hour until 8.40 P. M. and 9.10 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7 30 A. M., and every minutes past the hour until 8.30 P. M., then 9.40 and 10.10 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.05 7.05 A. M., then every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 11.35 P. M.

NEPONSET TO QUINCY.

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SURPLUS over Re-Insurance,	$455,776.74
LOSSES paid the past year,	$42,201.94
DIVIDENDS PAID the past year,	$66,032 42
GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year,	$12,983.04
GAIN IN CASH FUND the past year,	20,297.34

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AMOUNT AT RISK,	$32,586,226.00
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Amount at Risk	$3,809,990.00
Cash Assets	107,459 00
Deposit Notes	627,581.17
Available Assets	1,134,960.24
Total Liabilities	338 543.29
Cash Surplus	[illegible]
Gain in Surplus in 1904	[illegible]
Gain in Assets in 1904	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904	103,055 43
Dividends paid in 1904	68,294 25
Receipts in 1904	244,429.85
Disbursements in 1904	228,975.58

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Cash Assets,	668,766.38
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	193,222.23
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$475,544.15
Contingent Assets,	352,120.59
Total Available Assets,	1,020,886.97
Gain in Surplus,	17,211.34

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Amount at Risk,	$7,224,426.07
Cash Assets,	169,173.07
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	62,518.78
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$106,654.29
Contingent Assets,	111,131.71
Total Available Assets,	280,304.78
Gain in Surplus,	4,759.07

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A History.

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My Mamma took a piece of cloth,—
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She cut it and she sewed it
And she made herself a dress.

She wore that dress a year or two,
Perhaps she wore it three,
Then turned it on the other side
And made it up for me.

A long, long time it served for me,
Till it got old and raggy;
Then Mamma washed it clean and made
A coat for Baby Maggie.

And when the baby'd grown too big
To wear it any more
We cut it into carpet rags
And wove it for the floor.

So in our new rag carpet, here,
That purple stripe you see
Is made out of the Sunday clothes
Of Mamma, Mag and me.

Miscellany.

"MEETIN'-HOUSE A-GOIN'!"

"Meetin-House is a-goin', Square Perkins!"

A neighbor's boy, thrusting his frowsy head inside the Perkins' side door leading to Squire Perkins' "office" yelled this information.

"Land sakes!" ejaculated the Squire, a bachelor of fifty-five, who was hunting up "a bit of law" in an old volume of statutes, an occupation that gave him his title of "Squire," though not a lawyer. He threw down the leather-bound book, grabbed his tall, stiff, rather seedy hat, and rushed into the ample yard. Then he ran down his flower garden to the "peaked" garden fence and started across the turbulent surface of a vixenish stream called "Rapid River." On the other side of this furious racer were the grounds of "the first Parish." There stood the meeting-house. A Rapid River freshet was in process of development, and it seemed as if the first two syllables of this word gave the aim of the river. A bridge had been broken up and two barns had gone down the stream, and a crowd of boys had been thrown into the most delightful excitement. It was too much to hope for, ordinarily, the going of the meeting-house, but as it was a time of freshets, and as the meeting-house was very near the swirling, dashing, driving river, it did really seem as if the undermining of the structure which had begun, would be continued until the meeting-house was a victim of Rapid River's covetous grasp. Oh, how that building was watched!

The Squire's property was in no danger save in one place. There the river bank was a dyke several feet across, and keeping the river back from a plunge down a ravine which the squire proudly called a "canyon" in memory of a Colorado trip. When somebody said that in a freshet "Rapid River might work through that ere place and git down to the Square's meaders," Squire Perkins haw hawed in contempt.

"What, get through my dyke and down my canyon? I made that dyke myself. It has stood a long wear. It will stand many a year. Rapid River won't get through, not yet. No sir, haw—haw!"

The dyke had a look of permanency, at the time of this freshet. As for the opposite bank, it was repeatedly crumbling. The river was now boring through the underpining of the meeting-house, making a gap that steadily widened. The cellar was flooded, and the water was pouring out on the opposite side.

"Square," said a neighbor, Jeremy Tuttle, in a high nasal tone of voice, "Square, don't you own a pew in that ere meetin'-house?"

"Yes, one that is two thirds up the broad aisle."

"You ben thar lately?"

"Not exactly. Have you?"

"You mean up in my pew in the gallery?" Jeremy shook his head. "I told Deacon Smith I had got tired of these perfessions that wasn't possessions. Mebbe you think that same way for you don't go."

"Well, I intend to do the square thing and not make so much fuss about it. That is where I stand."

The plain state of the case was that each man was in the fetters of a bad habit, the stay-at-home habit. They did not fight it, but permitted it, and it led them as if in chains.

"Would you sell your pew!" asked Jeremy.

"Oh—ahem—I—well, I'm not ready yet."

"Could you git it insured?"

"What do you mean?"

"Why, if you can sell it now, you'd better, and if you can't, you'd better git it insured—and quick too."

The Squire made no answer, but looked gloomily at the threatened building.

"Wall, Square, if suthin' don't turn up quick, the three Haven sisters, that I see lookin' out of their winder, won't have any place to go to when the Sabbath comes."

The two men looked off at the Haven house.

"Three good, well meanin' women, Square, but 'bout as broad as a chalk-line when it comes to their the—the—"

Here Jeremy, who sometimes stuttered, and anyway was more at home in words of one syllable, fairly stuck at the word "theology." He gasped and choked and grew very red, but could get no farther than "the—the—the—"

The Squire came to his rescue, and knowing it was of not the least use in the world to ask him what he meant, charitably remarked, "You are right. just so."

Jeremy was encouraged to start out again.

"Well, Square, if suthin' don't turn up quick, the Haven gals won't have no meetin'-house next Sunday. I spect they're watchin' it now, lookin' out of their winder still—"

"The Haven gals" were at their watch-tower save Prissy, the oldest. As this gal was over eighty, Prissy was quite infirm.

"My parents," said the Squire, "thought a great deal of the Havens. They occupied neighboring pews in this meeting-house. My mother always went to meetin', never lost a day. Her name was Amelia, and they sometimes said of the church it was 'Melia's meetin'."

"Wall, Square, there won't be any meetin'-house in my opinion next Sabbath, and it's my idee we can git along without it."

The Squire did not answer. The opinion of the other talker had brought the Squire face to face with a very singular state of things. A town without a house of worship! What a prop to morals would be removed! What a stimulus to law and order would cease, and how it would affect the sense of poverty! Was Squire Perkins meeting his share of responsibility for the support of a house of God? Did his parents act in that careless way? His old mother, for instance!

The Squire gave a start! Whom did he see going up the walk to the meeting-house steps? "I see her 'plain as day!' There was no doubt about it."

"Why, mother!" he ejaculated. He turned as if to go to her.

Hold on, Square," cried Jeremy, "the meetin'-house is a-goin'!"

"Jeremy," said the Squire, with an air of command, "you follow me. Something may be done yet." He flew to his barn. He brought out every tool for digging that he had.

"Go to the dyke!" he said to Jeremy whom he had loaded. "Go to diggin'."

"Wh—wh what?"

"Cut that dyke through! Quick, quick! Off with ye! Be spry!"

Then he yelled to some men in the road. "Come in here, come quick."

They obeyed.

All hands went to work. Half a dozen smote that dyke with pick, with crow bar, with hoe, with shovel, and the squire led in the work, toiling like a giant.

"Massy!" groaned the feeble Jeremy. "He scats me to death most."

"The water is running through," some one was shouting. "Yes, and the moment the dyke was broken, it seemed as if a torrent charged at the opening. It widened. It deepened. Soon, it seemed as if another Rapid River were going through that dyke, and then rushing down through the "canyon," spreading out in a wide pond upon the meadows.

Thank God," cried the Squire, "Jeremy, that old meetin'-house is saved. My mother is happy. Now old friend, you're a man of sense. I won't tell you what your duty is, next Sabbath morning."

"I won't tell you neither what yourn is, Square."

"All right! Supposing we be on hand to see what will be done."

"You mean what tother one will do?" That is it."

Exachly, Square."

The next Sabbath, Squire Perkins saw Jeremy's bent figure slipping through the meeting-house door. From his own seat in the gallery, Jeremy looked down upon the congregation.

"Why, if there ain't the Square," murmured Jeremy, "a comin' up the aisle, and he must have met the Haven gals, for he's bringin' up poor old Prissy."

"Yes, up the aisle walked the Squire in his stately way, for he had a tall, commanding figure, and he was towing along Prissy Haven.

"Jest the way he brought in his mother," thought Jeremy.

"Yes, more than one had the same idea, and the Squire himself could but think of it.

"My mother does seem to be here today," he said, as he bowed his head in the old pew.

Yes, she was there, and the Squire thought she stayed all through the meeting, and then she stepped into a cloud of glory rolled by the sun through one of the tall windows that the Squire looked back upon in passing out of the door. Then she vanished.—The Observer.

Inaugurals—1789—1905.

Mr. Norman Hapgood makes an interesting comparison between the times of President Washington's and President Roosevelt's inaugurals, when he says in a recent Collier's:

The inaugural last week unfolds far other sights and a far different leader. When the first President was inaugurated, the city which was to bear his name was in the womb of time. When John Adams entered it, it consisted of half-finished edifices lying in a wilderness. Firewood was scarce, because none could be found to cut the trees. The spot was beautiful, but wild. Savages and beasts still lurked among the thickets, and from the adjoining hill the wide view swept over distances unknown to civilized man.

Today this capital is an immense and powerful race, this fairest city swarms with Americans from vast western regions, which then no white man's eye had seen. It is dotted, also, here and there, on the occasion of the twenty-sixth President's inaugural, with people of dusky hue and varied garb, tokens of an empire undreamed of when Washington was alive. Conditions changing have altered profoundly the premises on which the philosophy of that day was based. It assumed remoteness from the other world as the essential of our position. Now we reach that world as easily as Washington came from Boston to New York. We speak to Europe more quickly than Washington could get a message from one wing of his army to another.

Changing facts have meant changing policies, and yet in spirit the philosophy of 1789 guides our steps today. Could Washington be deposited in the city of his name, he would draw no quick conclusions. Haste was no ingredient of his nature. He would learn whether the eighty million people who had spread across his continent were happy, as this world goes. He would decide whether they were virtuous, in man's small way, and I think he would conclude that the country had done well with the inheritance which he left.

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Profits in Fractions.

It is most astonishing that trade in these days is making its enormous profits in the fractions of a cent. In one of the cities of the country there was a bank president who gave his millions for philanthopic purposes. During his life, even on the days when he was almost too infirm to walk, he would trudge sadly and brokenly to his home. One day a man met him on the street and said:

"Why don't you take the street car?"

He instantly replied, "My dear friend, do you appreciate the fact that a hundred dollars would have to work half a week to pay that fare?"

And yet he gave two millions to a library and another million to a hospital. That is the spirit of modern money making. On the one hand it gets the millions through the fractions of cents, and with the other it spends the millions without regard to decimals.—Saturday Evening Post.

They Worked on Benches.

The dignified dame was not really English, but she had mastered the dialect to some extent.

"My nevvew 'Erbert," she said, "wants to marry a school teacher. Fawncy! A person who works for a living! To be sure, now that I think of it, that it is not always a disgrace. You my dear write for the press now and then, I am told, but you don't 'ave to, you know. That is different."

"Yes," replied the young person to whom she was speaking, "but I may be said to have inherited a tendency to work. My father and grandfather both worked for a living, and they were not allowed even the luxury of a chair to sit on. They worked on benches."

"Dear me!" exclaimed the dignified dame, greatly shocked. "What did they—ah—work at?"

"Well, my father was a judge of the superior court, and my grandfather was one of the justices of the United States supreme court."—Chicago Tribune.

Cost of Sentiment.

A pathetic tale comes from Indianapolis of two children sick unto death of diphtheria contracted from old toys found in an attic. The toys had belonged to a child who died of diphtheria fifteen years ago. They had been put away by a fond mother as mementoes of the lost one. Now after all these years, they are brought out only to cause more sorrow and distress. There is a moral in this for physicians, for the same may be true of any other contagious disease.

Health.

Just as much as people can be tempted to live more in the open, will the average of health improve. Cold does not cause "colds." Nansen and his men at the North Pole did not suffer from respiratory affections but several of them were down with grippy "colds" within a short time after their return. Dampness is not an active factor in the production of disease, when there is adequate protection of the body by clothes, and when the food is abundant and nutritous, and there is no abuse of stimulants. Old traditions should not be allowed to have weight in the face of modern carefully collated observations. Windows should always be open in sleeping rooms, no matter how cold or damp the weather, and, if care be taken to have dry, abundant bed clothing and a warm room to dress in, there not only need be no fear of evil consequences but the health will always be better, and the tendency, particularly to respiratory diseases, the most frequently fatal affections of this stage of civilization, will surely be obviated.—The Independent.

☞One of the prerogatives of mankind, the propensity to laugh, seems to be gradually disappearing in this country. In course of time, unless severe and prompt measures are taken to check our dismal tendencies, our laughing powers will become atrophied through disuse. The art of smiling graciously will be lost, until gradually the human face divine will revert to its old sad apelike appearance.—The Author.

For the Patriot.

New York Fashions.

SPRING OUTDOOR COVERINGS.

The term redingote includes all long out-door garments except the loose-back, three-quarter coat, which has its own distinctive style. Now, the fashionable redingote may be tight-fitting, or so full that it admits of several rows of shirring, around the hips, and in many cases almost covers the entire skirt. The waist is laid in folds or may be in gathers, and the front is either in surplice style, or has revers, the size an optional matter. Of course there is a belt, which fastens closely around the waist.

THE ORIGINAL SHAPE

still retains favor among those who are able to stand its trying severity, and consequently the well-shaped wearer becomes somewhat conspicuous. The loose coat with yoke, shows no special change from those of last season, either in cut or material, light-weight broadcloth or silk remaining popular for these convenient garments. The tan covert-cloth jacket comes again with Spring exhibits, and also of three-quarter length. To bring about novelty in the Eton and blouse is now the tailor's or dressmaker's task and has folds down the front edged by braid, very wide plain bands, falling a little below the edge of the Eton, and outlined by pipings or fancy braid, plaitings of chameleon silk on sleeves, collar and waist edge, accomplish to a certain extent the desired result.

TIGHT-FITTING

draped and pointed bodices are quite prominent among handsome costumes, and the new lines in this season's fashions, make special demands upon the corset. The best dressmaker will fail to secure a good fit, unless the corset is make and shaped in accordance with fashion's latest ideas. On the other hand, the simplest costume takes on an air of style, if it follows the lines of a thoroughly up-to-date corset. At the Louisiana Purchase Exhibition at St. Louis, the highest award given to any corset was taken by the "F. P. Pinchin Waist." This can be obtained at so moderate a price, that any woman willing to take the trouble to secure it, can be sure that her figure has the new lines so necessary for a fashionable appearance this season.

THE VISITING COSTUME.

Of these, the skirts are slightly gathered at top, or laid in plaits that are caught at half length by some invisible means, and from there fall in soft, deep folds. Fanciful little jackets of the Directoire or bolero type, accompany these skirts and the sleeves are almost invariably of half length, to be worn with long gloves. The skirts are practically untrimmed, save for stitching in a simple design with coarse silk, or a drawing cord braid disposed in loops, scallops or Greek designs, just above the edge.

THE DROP SKIRTS

flare extensively at bottom, and are well furnished with ruffles of the silk, but have no stiffening. The bolero jackets are open at the neck, and are plaited or gathered at top and bottom, or have a draped effect with shaped girdle. The V shaped neck is popular, showing the blouse.

ILLUSTRATION.

This charming dinner dress, the illustration of which is applied by the Demorest Fashion Company, is of champagne-colored crepe-de-Chine, with guimpe of all-over lace of the same shade. The bodice has an elaborate effect achieved by means of ribbon ruchings of champagne messaline ribbon, shaded in the new chameleon tints. The skirt is gathered to a shirred yoke, and has a garniture of three deep tucks, each headed by a ruching of champagne chameleon ribbon.

ALL COLORS ARE STYLISH

and many shades of red are in great favor, particularly in millinery. The foremost color however, in that department of fashion is green, ranging from the lightest to the darkest shade.

Lucy Carter.

Prejudices of Some People.

A Frenchman or a Spaniard will seek to persuade you that the bull ring is an institution got up chiefly for the benefit of the bull. The horse which you imagined to be screaming with pain was only laughing at the comical appearance presented by its own inside. Your French or Spanish friend contrasts its glorious and exciting death in the ring with the cold-blooded brutality of the knacker's yard. If you do not keep a tight hold of your head you come away with the desire to start an agitation for the inception of the bull ring in England as an aid to chivalry. No doubt Torquemada was convinced of the humanity of the Inquisition. To a stout gentleman, suffering from rheumatism, an hour on the rack was really a benefit.—Saturday Evening Post.

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablet.
A druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.
E.W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, March 4, 1905.

This has been a great day in Washington, with blowing of trumpets, beating of drums, roar of cannon, and sounds of revelry (at the inaugural ball) by night, great crowds and much confusion! But what a contrast to the tragedy enacted on the "plains" of Manchuria on the other side of our planet, grown so small and neighborly since the harnessing of steam and lightning.

I have just returned from the Capitol where with due formality President Roosevelt has been inaugurated in the presence of a greater mass of Americans than ever before assembled for a like event. The entire ceremony was arranged and carried out with the greatest precision.

The President left the White House for the Capitol at 11 o'clock precisely. His carriage was surrounded by a group of his own Rough Riders, those who had been with him in Cuba and at San Juan Hill. In about twenty minutes thereafter he reached the Capitol and went to the splendidly decorated President's room, where he was engaged in signing bills as fast as they were presented to him from the Senate and the House. At ten minutes before 12, accompanied by the members of his Cabinet, he entered the Senate Chamber, where at precisely 12 the Vice-President-elect Senator Fairbanks, approached the Presiding officer's desk and took the oath of office. Then the President, arm in arm with the Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court, and followed by the Vice President, the Speaker of the House, the members of the diplomatic corps, the accredited members of the press, both Houses of Congress, and finally by the occupants of the reserved galleries of the Senate, proceeded to the great stand which had been erected in the plaza east of the Capitol.

The President ascended the platform in the center of the stand, the Chief Justice administered the oath of office, and President Roosevelt for the first time became president by the direct choice of the people of the United States.

His address was very short, not occupying more than ten minutes, and you have doubtless ere this received copies of it.

As soon as the President was sworn a telegram was sent to the Navy Yard and the Monitor Puritan, with its ten-inch guns, sent forth its thundering salute. The President's salute is 21 guns fired at two minutes intervals, and the guns at Fort Myer, across the Potomac, and at Forte Foote, 7 miles down the River took up the roaring refrain and answered each with twenty-one guns.

From the Inaugural stand the President returned to the President's room in the rear of the Senate Chamber and held a brief reception, receiving the congratulations of those who had access to the room. He then drove rapidly to White House. Surrounded by his Rough Rider Guard and troop A, of the New York militia, he reached the White House and after a hurried luncheon, took his place on the reviewing stand, facing Lafayette Square, and for three hours the great procession civic and military, marched rapidly by, the officers saluting and being saluted in turn by the President.

Pennsylvania avenue has been the scene of many military pageants since Sherman's war-worn troops marched down it at the close of the Civil War, but no pageant, it is claimed, except Sherman's has ever surpassed the one of today.

Along Pennsylvania avenue from the White House to the Capitol, an exact mile in length reviewing stands had been erected. These were roofed in in expectation of rain or snow and tens of thousand of people found seats upon them and were able to see the great pageant with a degree of comfort. The larger number however, stood on the wide sidewalks on both sides of the avenue. Thousands of others looked from the windows of the houses that line the thoroughfare. Rooms looking on the avenue were all rented at prices of from ten to a hundred dollars according to their size, windows and vantage. Elaborate and tasteful decorations of flags and statuary from the St. Louis Exposition adorned that part of Pennsylvania avenue between the White House and Lafayette Square and indeed the stands in their architecture and decoration as well as the parade in everything that tended to make an impressive pageant have never been equalled on any former inaugural event.

The ball in honor of the occasion was held in the Pension office, an immense rectangular building with an enclosed court and with wide balconies, tier above tier running round the great quadrilateral of the enclosure. No better place and no better design could be imagined for a great gala occasion. It has advantages over the Coliseums of the ancient Roman period in that it is roofed in, perfectly lighted by electricity, comfortably warmed and adequately ventilated. The tickets of admission were five dollars each with a dollar extra for supper. The carriages of the guests stretched for more than a mile in four directions from the Pension office. The great hall was decorated with flags and an immense collection of flowers and vines through which thousands of tiny electric lights glowed. Gowns that represented small fortunes and were the triumphs of French and American fashion were torn and crushed in the mingling of the great throng. Promptly at ten o'clock the President accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt and followed by the Vice-President and Mrs. Fairbanks made a circuit of the ball room floor and then retired to the balcony where seats had been reserved for them, and for a short time watched the crowd and listened to the music of the Marine band. Mrs. Roosevelt wore a gown of smoke blue silk embroidered on skirt and bodice with a design picked out in silver and gold and irridiscent threads. Mrs. Fairbanks was gowned in white satin elaborately embroidered by hand. At midnight the music ceased and the rush for carriages and home began—for it is Sunday.

Adams.

☞At Skinner's, for $1.50 per dozen, quarter size Cabinet Photos.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 1905.

Agreement Reached.

The committees representing the Granite Manufacturers' Association and the Granite Cutters' Union, who have been hard at work for the past few days on the bill of prices and agreement, completed their labors Wednesday afternoon. All matters between them have been peacefully adjusted.

The main points in the new Cutters' agreement are as follows:

The minimum wage to be $3 per day of eight hours.

Any workman physically incapable of earning that amount may work for less. The amount he shall be paid to be based on what he can earn by the piece bill on a stone that figures not less than $12.

There is also a provision that in case of a dispute the wage of this man shall be fixed by a joint committee of the two organizations.

There shall not be more than three apprentices to a gang of 13 men. If a firm employs but three journeymen outside of members of the firm he may put on three appentices, but no more up to thirteen men. Over a gang of thirteen men one apprentice is allowed for every four journeymen.

On the bill of prices there is an average increase of seven per cent. over the 1900 bill. As Quincy has been paying a five per cent. increase over this bill since 1903, the net increase by the new bill is an average of two per cent.

The other important matter was the length of time the new agreement should run. This was fixed for three years.

These are practically the only changes in the bill of prices and agreement that expired March 1.

The Granite Manufacturers' and Blacksmiths' committee met Thursday evening to settle the differences between the two bodies. The meeting was a long one and it was nearly 11 o'clock before an adjournment was reached.

An agreement had not been reached at that time, but another meeting was called for Friday evening at 7 o'clock, and it is believed that an agreement will be reached Friday.

A mass meeting of the cutters, blacksmiths and tool-sharpeners' unions has been called for today at the Coliseum to ratify the work of the committee, so that work in the yards may be resumed Monday.

Among the Women's Clubs.

The Athol Woman's club cleared $401 on a charity ball in the Academy of Music, March third, for the benefit of the Associated Charities. The proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the needy poor in Athol.

The Brighthelmstone club is interesting itself in the approach to the Whitney school at Allston, which is in such bad condition that the children have had to wade through ice, snow and water all winter. The town has neglected this thoroughfare so long that the patience of the citizens has become exhausted. As members of the club have children attending the school they have decided to take an active part in demanding an abatement of the nuisance.

Children's day of the Monday club of Weymouth is to be observed on Tuesday afternoon, March 21st.

The Heptorean club of Somerville hold a reciprocity meeting this afternoon, at which there will be addresses, music and a social tea.

Monday was home afternoon of the Milton Woman's club and a most interesting talk on the care of the eyes of the school children was given by Dr. Charles H. Williams. On the twentieth there will be a Current Events lecture by Mrs. May Alden Ward.

So great has been the interest shown in forming a large club of women in Quincy that the Braintree club known as the Philergians are talking of increasing their membership which is now limited to forty. They have done a fine work for several years, belong to the federations and it would seem to be a wise move to enlarge and let more Braintree women enjoy the club work and meetings.

Gates for Crossing.

Gates will probably be in position at the Saville street grade crossing within a few days. Councilman Stone, chairman of the special committee of the City Council on Railroads, had a conference on Thursday with T. E. Byrnes, assistant to President Mellen of the New York and New Haven.

The subject of gates at this crossing was brought up, and Mr. Byrnes immediately issued the order to have them put in.

When the new summer timetable is issued in May, all stations in Quincy will have better service than ever before.

Open for Inspection.

It is expected that 2,000 to 3,000 people will avail themselves on Sunday of the privilege of inspecting the palatial new steamer Providence, which has been built for the Fall River line by the Fore River Shipbuilding Co.

The only approach to the steamer will be from Washington street via of a pontoon bridge over the creek. Members of the Shipbuilders' club will act as guide and it will be a very favorable opportunity to inspect the boat.

The steamer is a fine product of the Quincy company and will be an honor to the company, the employes and to the City of Presidents.

The Alliance.

A meeting of the Quincy Branch Alliance will be held Monday. March 13th, at three o'clock in the parlor of First Church.

The winter series of "Great Religions" will be continued. Miss Harriet Johnson of Boston will speak on the Gods of Greece and Rome.

Various important matters of interest to Unitarian women are to be considered and a large attendance is especially desired.

— Bryan defeated. The Supreme Court of Connecticut upholds the Superior Court in its judgment to the effect that the clause in Mr. Bennett's sealed letter containing the paragraph in regard to the $50,000 to be left to Mr. Bryan is inoperative; as the letter was no part of the will; therefore the fund is a part of the residuary estate.

— Ordered to work. The National Union deserts the New York subway strikers. W. B. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, orders the men to report for duty, failing which expulsion from the organization is threatened. The strikers are defiant, however, and declare they will fight to the end.

The United States cruiser New York arrived at Hampton Roads Wednesday from Manila, via Cape Horn. The cruiser will proceed to Boston for repairs.

CITY BRIEFS.

The days are increasing about three minutes each day.

B. P. Sturtevant returned Tuesday from his trip to Halifax.

Mrs. Margaret Quinn is confined to her home with pneumonia.

Patriots' day comes on Wednesday this year, five weeks from Wednesday.

Miss Beatrice Adams has accepted a position as bookkeeper at the Hardware Supply Co.

The New England Telephone Co. is laying a new underground cable on Hancock street.

C. H. Bingham and family of Chestnut street have moved to their cottage at Adams shore.

John H. Starr of Revere road is quite ill, having been confined to the house the past two weeks.

The annual banquet of the Granite City club will probably be held Tuesday evening, March 28.

Mrs. Shirley F. Nutting of Chestnut street is spending a fortnight with relatives at Cotuit, Mass.

Mrs. George Ewell is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ewell of Foster street for a few weeks.

J. W. Stancomb of Hancock street has been confined to his home the past two weeks, seriously ill.

Several applications for membership will be acted upon at the meeting of the Granite City club tonight.

Miss E. B. Collins, the milliner, left for New York this week where she is attending the spring openings.

L. M. Pratt & Son have assigned to Jeremiah J. McAnarney. Their liabilities are $17,000; assets, $20,000.

Mrs. William A. Hodges has returned from a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. A. Hunt of Hartford, Conn.

"Quincy has a women's club" was the startling scare headline in a Sunday newspaper. It was the caption for the club news.

Rev. Mr. Ellsworth of Quincy filled the pulpit of the First Evangelical Congregational church of Milton on Sunday.

The New England Telephone Co. is laying an underground cable from Boston to Cohasset. The cable contains 180 pair of wires.

Joseph H. Alden, who has been renewing old acquaintances in this city the past week, has returned to his duties in New York.

The many friends of Charles Cummings are pleased to see him out again, after an illness of six weeks with rheumatism and the grip.

Miss Lizzie Walsh, for many years one of the operators at the Quincy Telephone exchange, has accepted a position as telephone operator in charge of the exchange at the Fore River works.

Miss Margaret Farrell, bookkeeper for Frank F. Crane for several years, commenced her duties as clerk in the Tax Collector's office, City Hall, Monday morning, in place of Miss Eva Maxim resigned.

Some idea of the demand for houses on Hancock street near the car barn can be had when it is known that the three apartment house, the foundation of which was commenced last week, has already been let.

Just note in the temperature summary today the warm week at this time in March two years ago. From March 3 to April 5 there was no noon temperature below 40 and on March 20 the mercury climbed to 74.

J. Frank Faxon contemplates the erection of a brick apartment house on up-to-date plans on the Nancy Brackett estate, front of Dr. Gordon's, which he purchased a year or two ago. Quincy needs just such buildings.

Among the architects to be invited to submit plans for a single complete addition to the High school are McLean & Wright and Aaron H. Gould. Engineer Flood has also prepared a plan for an addition on the south side.

Mt. Wollaston lodge of Odd Fellows entertained Old Colony lodge of Hingham and the lodge from Cohasset on Tuesday evening. The first degree was exemplified and received great praise from the visitors. A banquet followed.

Mrs. E. A. Woodward of Dorchester (Nellie Mitten), formerly of this city, has the sympathy of her many friends and acquaintances in the loss of her husband, whose sudden death occurred on March 3, at the City Hospital, Boston, of appendicitis.

Another City Square sale of importance is announced, the balance of the Dr. French estate upon which are the store of F. F. Crane and the office of F. F. Green, having been purchased by Fred B. Rice. It is said the property will be improved if Maple place is extended.

Rev. Arthur W. Bailey, formerly of Quincy and Wollaston, now of the Congregational church at Syracuse, N. Y., has received a flattering call from the First Congregational church at Keene, N. H. It is a church with 500 members and has 200 in the Sunday school. Mr. Bailey has not yet accepted the call.

At a pretty home not many mile from City Square, a few days ago, the family was gathered around the table for their morning meal, and the young American of the group aged two years was given a shredded wheat biscuit. After eating it he put up his plate and said he would like another bale of hay. Quite a comparison.

By invitation one day this week we stepped into the dental parlors of A. B. Packard in Johnson's new block on Hancock street, and was pleased to find him so well located for business. The rooms are large, airy and pleasant; furnished in the most modern manner for the convenience and happiness of his patrons. May success attend his labors.

Past Grand Charles H. Wood and suite composed of members of Mt. Wollaston lodge, attended the dedication of the new Odd Fellows' hall at South Weymouth on Thursday evening. Fully 400 Odd Fellows were present, representing all the surrounding towns. Grand Master Fuller with the assistance of the other grand officers dedicated the large and handsome new hall, which is richly furnished. The entertainment also included addresses and selections by a quartette and reader.

"Historic Scenes," under the auspices of the Massachusetts Society of the Colonial Dames of America will be given for the benefit of the Quincy House Historical Museum at Quincy and the Boston City History Club, at Potter hall, Boston, March 23, at 8 o'clock. On the committee are Mrs. Winthrop Sargent, Mrs. Harold C. Ernst, Mrs. Charles E. Grinnell, Mrs. Richard W. Hale, Mrs. Henry Parkman, Miss E. W. Perkins, Miss Sarah S. Perkins, Mrs. William W. Vaughn and Mr. Holker Abbott.

The Bates apartment house on Chestnut street is being painted.

Henry P. Kittredge returned Tuesday morning from his southern trip.

C. F. Derby has opened an attractive clothing store in the Johnson block.

Mrs. John T. Hunt of Bigelow street is recovering from a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Maria Turner, a long resident of Quincy, died Tuesday afternoon at the Quincy Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Hayward of Codding street entertained their whist club on Saturday evening.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Division 10, A. O. H., hold an entertainment at Hancock hall, March 17.

At the billiard tournament at the Granite City club Wednesday night James A. Claflin beat Warren Anderson 125 to 122.

Miss Mary E. Dearborn has the sympathy of teachers, pupils and friends in the continued illness of her only sister at Manchester, N. H.

Mrs. John F. Welch and Mrs. Zenas Arnold were guests Monday afternoon of Miss Abbie Wood at the meeting of the Junior Friday club at her home.

Miss Ada B. Cobb, clerk to Supt. Conway at the street railway office, has been promoted to stenographer for General Manager Goff at the Boston office.

Votes from unexpected sources are being forwarded in large quantities every day for Miss Julia E. Underwood. The more we interest the easier it will be to win.

At the billiard tournament at the Granite City club Monday night John Curtis beat Benjamin Johnson 125 to 94, and Dr. F. E. Jones beat Dr. C. B. Marstin 125 to 116.

Tickets for the supper to be served at the fair of First church next week Wednesday, are in great demand. A fine supper is always served by the ladies of this church.

Messrs. Mark J. Myett, Henry T. Brown, Peter L. Litchfield and John Hackett were guests at Expressmen's League banquet at Young's hotel, Boston, Wednesday evening.

While in Jacksonville, Fla., Henry P. Kittredge was the guest of W. H. Dean of Quincy. Mr. Kittredge also visited Palm Beach and the east coast of Florida, and Havana, Cuba.

T. E. Byrnes, assistant to President Mellen of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. has been elected a director of the Old Colony R. R. He will continue to look out for Quincy as far as good service is concerned.

The Woman's Auxilary to the Y. M. C. A. are expecting to hold their March meeting in the association rooms on Washington street. They are actively at work for the big fair which they are to hold in April.

On Tuesday afternoon, March fourteenth, the last of the series of matinee whist by the ladies of the Cochato club, will be held in the club house. Being the last an especially enjoyable afternoon is anticipated.

An enjoyable and largely attended whist party, under the auspices of the Sons of Veterans Auxiliary, was held Wednesday evening at Grand Army hall. Pretty souvenirs were given those having the best scores.

Mrs. Edwin W. Baxter and daughters, who have been passing the winter in Italy, are to reach England in time for the London season. Their address from now on will be in care of Barring Bros., 8 Bishopsgate street, London.

The sympathy of the business men of Quincy is with L. M. Pratt, for years one of Quincy's leading grocers, who because of nervous prostration has been ordered by his physician to give up all business cares for several months.

The hours for the inspection of the Steamer Providence on Sunday have been limited from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. The only entrance will be from Washington street near the Quincy Point bridge, via pontoon bridge. Extra cars will be run on Washington street every few minutes.

Chief Pidgin of the Bureau of Statistics of Labor has mailed the Quincy Patriot the "Labor and Industrial Chronology" which is part 3 of the report of 1904. It may be obtained by forwarding five cents in stamps to Room 250, State House, Boston.

Lawrence Sturtevant is recovering from his recent severe illness and hopes soon to be out again. The time now set for the wedding of Mr. Sturtevant and Miss Emery is in April. They are fitting up the Carr place on Adams street for their future home.

The series of entertainment by the First Church Social club comes to an end next week Friday evening when a dance will be held at Faxon hall. In the course were three dances, a children's party which closed with a dance, a pop concert, dramatics and a vaudeville entertainment. The attendance has been large especially at the entertainments.

Many friends gathered at the home of Mrs. James Delory, 3 Packard street, Saturday evening, to surprise her on her birthday. She was presented a handsome opal ring. The evening was spent in dancing and games. Ice cream and cake were served. All enjoyed the evening and departed at a late hour wishing her many more happy birthdays.

The funeral of Mrs. Lucinda Perry was held on Thursday at 9 o'clock from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Hodgkinson of Bigelow street. Prayer was offered by Rev. E. N. Hardy and two hymns were sung by Mrs. E. E. Miller and Mrs. Ernest Fitts. There were several beautiful floral tributes. The body was taken to her old home in Maine for interment.

For several months the Fragment society of First church has been preparing for a fair and next Wednesday afternoon and evening the chapel will present a pretty scene with beautifully decorated booths laden with articles fancy, useful and desirable. A specialty has been made of handmade underwear and the mystery and homemade candy booths always attract.

The Quincy Women's club reached its limit of 300 at ten o'clock Tuesday morning and all names received by Mrs. Marsh, the corresponding secretary, since then have been put on the waiting list in the order received. If any fail to qualify by not paying the annual dues before May the waiting list will be considered. It is also probable that the by-law concerning the limit will be amended at an early date.

Letters from Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stetson, who are guests at the Pine Forest Inn at Summerville, South Carolina, are full of praise of the warm delightful summer weather. Mr. Stetson enjoys the golf links during the day and in the evening he and Mrs. Stetson enter heartily into the social life at the Inn. As this is the only part of our country in which tea is grown Quincy friends may expect samples of the beverage when Mr. and Mrs. Stetson return.

Extra precaution is necessary to keep free from colds and the grip.

William Norteman is building a large house in the rear of the Quincy Yacht club house at Houghs Neck.

The Wollaston Glee club is preparing for their seventh annual concert to be given the last of this month.

The Carpenters' union has notified the master builders that they intend asking for a new schedule May. 1.

The W. R. C. sewing circle and executive committee will meet at the home of Mrs. Ann Wright on Saturday afternoon.

The new timetables of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. and the Old Colony street railway appear in this issue. Note important changes.

Mrs. Albert E. Avery of East Braintree, wife of Judge Avery of the District Court, has become a member of the Quincy Women's club.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Jenness of Quincy and Dr. and Mrs. Fred Towle of Rye, New Hampshire, have gone on a six weeks' trip through the South.

Mrs. A. A. Ellsworth of Russell park was the guest of Mme. Nordica her cousin at the Touraine, Boston, on Tuesday and Wednesday, attending the performance of Parsifal.

The regular meeting of W. R. C. will be held at G. A. R. hall Tuesday, March 14 in the afternoon. Supper will be served in the evening at 6, after which whist will be played.

The regular meeting of the Quincy Day Nursery association on Tuesday afternoon was especially interesting as there was a large attendance and most encouraging reports were read, showing good progress in the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Crane who have been touring in Jamaica and Cuba are now at Miami, Florida, at the Royal Palm hotel. They expect to return to Stamford, Connecticut, late in April, visiting several points of interest en route.

The Holbrook and Quincy Point teams were unable to roll their scheduled game Thursday evening, allowing South Braintree to overhaul Holbrook. South Braintree won two from Weymouth, and Quincy won two from Weymouth.

"An inventory of life" will be Rev. C. H. Emmons subject at the Universalist church Sunday morning, and Rev. Dr. Harmon will preach in the evening on "God in our life. Dr. Harmon is professor of New Testament at Tufts Divinity school.

The Boston Transcript says there appears to be some possibility that the government may take unto itself considerable property at Hull now owned by Miss Floretta Vining, widely known as a property holder and club woman. Her holdings in Hull are large.

John J. Meehan has returned to his home in Jamaica Plain after an absence of several weeks in the south. Mrs. Meehan will not return until the last of April or early May. She will be remembered as Miss Lou Williams, formerly of Elm street, this city, and has many relatives and friends here.

District Organizer F. J. Kneeland met thirty or more painters in this city Thursday evening and reorganized local 633. These officers were elected: President, Andrew Mischler; vice-president, Charles Kimball; treasurer, Henry Brown; financial secretary, Joseph White; and recording secretary, Cornelius Shugrue.

The Men's club of Christ church met Tuesday evening and listened to a very interesting lecture on the properties of steel. The speaker was R. C. Drinker, forge engineer of the Fore River Shipbuilding Co., who is looked upon as an expert on this subject. After the lecture there was a social hour, including selections by the Granite City quartette.

The Quincy Women's club is planning for an afternoon later in the month when Dr. Jeffery R. Brackett, who has so kindly given them his home for a club house, will be present and address the club. It will be interesting for the members to have Dr. Brackett outline some of the work he would like the club to take up. The subject of a district murse is to be considered.

A very pleasant and social affair occurred at the dinner party given by Mrs. Charles Woodbury at her cozy home on Edwards street, Friday afternoon and evening, March 3, to a few friends. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perry of Roxbury, Mrs. Addie Loring and Mrs. Lizzie Hall of Dorchester, and Mrs. Florence Saunders of Brockton. After ices were served in the evening, selections on the phonograph were rendered.

P. I. McGoey of 103 Brackett street is building a 22 foot compromise stern launch from patterns sent him by the Brooks Boat Manufacturing company of Bay City, Mich., which is going to be a very handsome addition to the local fleet of pleasure boats. Mr. McGoey's craft will have a seating capacity for 15 persons, and will be a splendid little pleasure boat, capable of developing a speed of 10 or 12 miles an hour and at the same time roomy and seaworthy.

A series of three foreign talks have been arranged to be given by Miss Edith Randall during Lent on Tuesday afternoons March 14th and 28th and April 4th, the first on Westminister Abbey at the home of Mrs. George H. Brown, Elm street; the second on Germany and German Life, at the home of Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick, Chestnut street; and the third and last on Jacobite Ballads or Swiss Folklore, at the home of Mrs. Frank Brewer, Summer street.

The executive board of the Quincy Women's club met Thursday morning in the parlor of hotel Greenleaf and arranged the various committees for carrying on the club work. Mrs. E. C. Bumpus was unanimously elected chairman of the special committee to get the club house ready for occupancy. There are committees on philanthropy, education, art and literature, arts and crafts, house, civics, music, program, printing, etc. These committees will include some fifty women besides the officers of the club so that all parts of the city will be well represented.

Complimentary Dinner.

The friends of Hon. Samuel L. Powers, as an expression of their personal esteem and appreciation of his distinguished services as a Representative to Congress, have arranged to tender him a complimentary dinner after his retirement. Many of the New England members of Congress are expected to be present, as well as Senator Lodge, Senator Crane and the entire Massachusetts delegation.

The dinner will be held at Hotel Brunswick, Boston, on the evening of Thursday March 16, at six o'clock. Tickets will cost five dollars each, and may be had by addressing Mr. Edward W. Baker, treasurer, Brookline, Mass.

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WOLLASTON.

The Gleaners' Circle of King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. Sayward 110 Winthrop avenue, Monday, at half past two o'clock.

Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 the W.C.T.U. will meet with Mrs. G. A. Litchfield, 201 Warren avenue. Program for the afternoon will be: Willard settlement.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank White, of Winthrop avenue left this week for a trip to Jamaica.

The engagement is announced of Miss Savilla J. King of Casper, Wyoming and Mr. Shirley Moore of Denver, Colorado. Miss King was a student at the Quincy Mansion school for three year, leaving about two years ago. The marriage will take place in the early fall.

The next meeting of the Wollaston Unitarian club will be held March 14 at 6.45 o'clock, in the vestry of the Unitarian church, and will be observed as ladies' night. Guy Ham, Esq., of Boston, Assistant District Attorney, will address the club on Abraham Lincoln.

Lawrence Hayward of Marlboro, the first candidate for the pastorate of the Wollaston Unitarian church preached a very interesting sermon Sunday morning, taking his text from the twelfth chapter of Ecclesiastes.

The Y. P. R. U. the Wollaston Unitarian church held a meeting in the vestry Sunday evening. After the usual services William G. Harrington, president of the Boston Federation of the Y. P. R. Unions gave an interesting talk upon what the Federation stands for.

Tuesday workmen on the Brackett estate on South Central avenue, Wollaston, unearthed an Indian hatchet. It is fashioned out of stone and has probably been buried for years. It must have weighed several pounds and was quite sharp.

Mrs. Roderick Hall of Stanton street, Wollaston, has been ill with tonsilitis the past week.

The next regular meeting of the Wollaston Ladies' Alliance will be held in the Unitarian vestry, next Wednesday afternoon, March 15, at half-past two. Mrs. George W. Bennett has charge of the program, and there will be a paper by Mrs. Frank Davis of Quincy, on Confucious. Important business will be brought before the meeting, and a large attendance is earnestly desired.

DOWNS AND PARK.

Fred G. Thayer of Willow street, Wollaston, is making a record for himself in track athletics at Amherst college. At the fourth annual indoor meet at Hartford, Conn., last month, in which Amherst won the college cup from Trinity, Thayer came in third in the mile run, his time being 5 minutes, 2 seconds.

The Wollaston Yacht club began rehearsals at the clubhouse Thursday evening for their annual minstrel show which will be given April 27. If the club does as well as last year the public will be satisfied, for it was a big show.

WEST QUINCY.

The basket ball game on Saturday evening between the St. Marys and the East Boston High was closely contested, the victory going to the visitors near the close on a foul by P. Crowley. The score was 11 to 10. The second team of the visitors also won 19 to 8.

A surprise was given to Miss Leona Rizzi at her home 24 Bunker Hill avenue Friday evening, March 3. There was a large attendance of boys and girls. Miss Rizzi and Miss Mary Shea entertained with piano solos. Ernest Donavan presented a gold locket and chain to Miss Rizzi which was suprise number two. Games and music followed, and John Coram danced the buck and wing.

The first meeting of the Rosebud Club was held at the home of Katharine Hussey, 2 Furnace Brook parkway. The following officers were elected: President, Margaret Burke; Vice President, Marie Magee; Treasurer, Susie I. Hayes; Secretary, Katharine C. Hussey.

West Quincy people expect improved railroad service when the new timetable goes into effect.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Miss Julia Lyons daughter of Police Officer Lyons of 4 Miller street on Tuesday by many of her friends. Ida Hamel presented her with a silk umbrella from her friends. Refreshments were served. There were about fifty boys and girls present. The committee were Flora Lyons, Ida Hamel and Omer Leclair.

Some Quincy boys and girls won prizes in the Globe contest. The awards announced includes $20 to Katharine Drady, $5 each to Eddie Kiernan, and William Maloney.

Odd Fellows' League.

The Odd Fellows bowling league composed of teams from John Hancock lodge of Wollaston, Mt. Wollaston lodge of Quincy, Puritan of Braintree, Wildey of South Weymouth, have rolled their final games and the John Hancock team was the winner of the first prize, with the team from Wildey lodge a close second.

The individual prizes went to Mr. McLeod of John Hancock, for the highest three string total; to Mr. Johnson of Puritan lodge, for highest average; and to Mr. Woodworth for highest single string.

The entire contest has been marked by that feeling of good fellowship and fraternity that always prevails among the brothers of the "mystic links," and plans have already been started to form another league next season.

The teams from each lodge are to participate in a banquet at a later date.

The following is the standing of the teams in games won and lost:

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
John Hancock,	20	16	.555
Wildey,	19	17	.527
Puritan	18	18	.500
Mt. Wollaston	15	21	.416

At Top in School Contest.

Already 3000 votes have accumulated for Miss Julia E. Underwood in the Herald contest. It is important that her total shall reach 5000 before Sunday.

Miss Julia E. Underwood is near the top to-day, and has a reserve vote of over 1000. If Quincy people continue to interest all their friends in town and out of town the chances of success are good.

If Miss Underwood wins, the Coddington school waives all claim to the art collection, and agrees to a division of the same among the other schools of the city according to support given. Therefore a vote for the Coddington is really a vote for all the schools of the city.

Please forward promptly the blank coupons to F. F. Prescott care Daily Ledger, and the names will be printed in and forwarded.

Support for Miss Underwood has already been received from the High school, the Adams, the Wollaston, the Massachusetts Field and the Willard, and the other buildings are said to be gathering votes.

QUINCY POINT AND NECK.

The last of the monthly men's meetings was held March 3 at the Quincy Point church. City Auditor George A. Sidelinger was unable to lead the meet- and ex-Councilman Arthur W. Newcomb took charge. The subject was, "Liberty, from a biblical standpoint," and was skilfully treated by Mr. Newcomb. A number of those present took part and the meeting was most interesting.

The engagement is announced of Miss Ethel Pomeroy of North Weymouth and Mr. Wallace Glidden of this city.

It is understood that the old steamer Surprise, which has been laid up at the Fore River ship and engine company's works, Quincy, for some time, has been chartered by New York parties.

Monday afternoon Chief Burrell with Inspector McKay and Officers Larkin, Curtin, Hinchon and Cahill, armed with search warrants, visited the building on the cornor of Winter and East Howard streets occupied as a store by Clifford H. Towle, and as an express office by James H. Flannigan. They seized fifteen pint bottles of whiskey, which it is claimed were not properly marked.

G. Wesley Sargent of East Howard street is fully enjoying his visit in Georgia.

Friends of Mrs. E. C. Page are glad to learn that her mother who has been seriously ill, is convalescing.

Mrs. Connor of South street has the sympathy of her many friends in the loss of her son George, whose death occurred Sunday night. This is the second death in the family within a year.

Mrs. McDonald, proprietor of the Riverside House at 668 Washington street, reported to the police on Monday that some one had robbed her of $675. A little later word was received that the money had been found.

The Sunday morning service at the Quincy Point church was added greatly to by Mr. Joseph Bryne's tenor solo. The selection was from the Oratorio of Elijah.

Miss Bessie Thayer, formerly of Quincy Point, left last week for North Carolina. She intends writing a series of letters for a Boston paper if her health permits. She remains south three months.

The Baker Yacht Basin Company will make an exhibit at the Motor Boat show.

Miss Elnora Bateman of Pawtucket, R. I., is visiting Mrs. George K. Carter of Stanley avenue.

Mrs. Sarah Woodbury of East Howard street is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Carrie Gray of Hingham.

Mrs. Mary W. Carter, accompanied by her daughter Nan, left Tuesday for the Cape, where she will visit another daughter, Mrs. W. B. Crosby.

Charles Goss met with a slight accident at the shipyard Tuesday. While at work in the top of one of the buildings, he fell and injured his foot. He will probably be able to resume his duties in a few days.

Rev. Peter MacQueen and Rev. Leon H. Austin will exchange pulpits some Sunday next month. It is reported that Rev. Peter MacQueen will also give an illustrated lecture on Russia at the Point church some time in April.

The ice on Bent's creek is considerably broken up, making it impossible for the boys to gather the driftwood as they have been doing for the past weeks.

The Quincy Point Social club held a dance at the Coliseum Monday night. It was largely attended and was thoroughly enjoyed.

Mrs. Minnie Sturgis has returned home to Cotuit after a pleasant visit with relatives in this city.

Albert Behrend, formerly of this city, is now located at Milwaukee, Wisconsin. He is enjoying the western life exceedingly.

Mrs. Ida Paine Humphrey has the sympathy of her many friends and pupils. Her aged father fell on the ice, near Elm street one day this week, and broke his hip. He was removed to the Quincy hospital.

The funeral of the late George Connor was held Wednesday morning from his old home on South street. The floral tributes were many and included set pieces and bouquets. The services were largely attended. The burial was at West Quincy.

Monday Evening Club.

At the meeting of the Atlantic Monday Evening club, March 6, Mr. Charles P. Sinnott, instructor in geography at the Bridgewater Normal School, spoke on "The Commercial Rivalry Among Nations." Mr. Sinnott had a splendid knowledge of his subject, and his comparisons were so simply yet fully and forcibly drawn that his audience gained a valuable knowledge of the relative commercial importance of the nations of the world.

Many friends and former pupils of Mr. Sinnott were present to whom the intermission afforded an opportunity for greetings.

The fifteen-minute paper on "Taxation" was given by Mr. Theodore Parker. The subject was one difficult to treat in a popular manner, but the club, recognizing the vital interest of the theme, followed closely Mr. Parker's finely-prepared paper.

Mrs. Harry Read and Mr. Charles Cherrington had the music in charge. The club cordially welcomed as old friends Mr. and Mrs. Briggs (born Hattie Read) of Cambridge, and, as usual, greatly enjoyed their solos and duetts.

The next meeting of the club will be held March 20, when Mr. Henry Sherwin, chief examiner of the Civil Service Commission, will address the club on the "Practical Working of the Massachusetts Civil Service Law."

Miss Isabel F. P. Emery will read a fifteen-minute paper on "The Peace Conference of 1904."

Mrs. Sanford Small and Mr. James Churchill are the music committee for the evening.

The attendance at the last meeting was one hundred sixty-nine.

—The year 1818 gave Massachusetts seven governors, and with the death of Mr. Boutwell passes away the last of them. He was born in January. William Claflin was born at Milford March 6; John Albion Andrew, born at Windham, Me., May 31; Henry Joseph Gardner, born at Dorchester June 14; Alexander Hamilton Rice, born at Newton Aug. 30; Thomas Talbot, born at Cambridge, N. Y., Sept. 7, and Benjamin Franklin Butler, born at Deerfield, N. H., Nov. 5.

—Awful statistics from Calcutta, show that the deaths from bubonic plague in India within a few years reach nearly 3,000,000. In 1903 the mortality in India from the plague alone was 850,000. The number of deaths recorded this week was 34,000.

— We would call the attention of our readers in want of good chestnut posts to the advertisement of W. H. Trask & Co. of West Quincy.

—The town of Carver has over 200 cranberry bogs in lots varying from one-eighth to over 160 acres each.

ATLANTIC.

Mr. Louis W. Coles, of Faxon road, has returned from his trip to Washington, D. C., after viewing the inauguration ceremonies, and reports the parade, decorations and illuminations as the finest ever witnessed.

Atlantic will have a new outward train, on and after Monday; the 5.19 P. M. from Boston making a stop.

Miss Crafts of Somerville was a guest of Miss Ethel Hill of Walker street last week.

Miss Marion Carver of Billings street has been taken to the Quincy hospital. Miss Carver has been ill for some time and the last few weeks there has been very little improvement.

These mild afternoons, the Atlantic playground is a miniature pond. For those who have to cross it to reach the Quincy cars, it would be a grand idea to have a little swan-boat that would carry passengers across for a few cents, thus saving them from getting wet feet and so encouraging the grip—which needs but small encouragement at best.

Mrs. Henry Kolseth of Walker street has returned from Portland, Maine, where she has been visiting relatives.

The small patch of ice in Holbrook's field, back of Walker street was taken advantage of Sunday by several skaters.

Miss Florence Hill of Walker street returned Monday from a week end visit in Everett, as a guest of Miss Claire Sears.

There will be a ball given in the form of a white party in Music hall Atlantic on March 24, under the direction of Miss Lena Crane of Ashmont. The young women are expected to wear white shirt-waist suits; the young men to appear in duck or other light Summer regalia. It is expected that there will be great demand for tickets as this ball has long been anticipated.

SOUTH QUINCY.

The Quincy Adams depot is being reshingled.

A. R. Baxter of Trenton, N. J., formerly of Quincy, is in town on a brief visit.

Councilman Newman Savage is quite ill at his home on Franklin street with pneumonia.

Charles Thaxter of Quincy street is housed with the prevailing epidemic.

William Barclay of Barre, Vt., who did so much for the pleasure and comfort of the Quincy granite manufacturers on their visit to that city last summer, has been reelected to the office of Mayor. Mr. Barclay has many warm friends in Quincy who extend congratulations.

Rev. J. J. Coan celebrated a month's mind mass for the late Dr. Thomas Padula at St. John's church, Thursday morning.

Alexander Falconer, recently of the firm of Swingle & Falconer, has opened a granite salesroom on Water street.

The Quincy Column Turning Co. is building a new office at its plant on Water street.

There were seven tables of whist at Mrs. Porterfield's Thursday afternoon and the souvenirs were awarded to Mrs. William Westland, Mrs. Phelan, Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. J. Young, Mrs. W. Pratt, Mrs. I. Davidson, Mrs. J. Robertson, Mrs. M. Thomas, Mrs. Wilscher and Mrs. Annie Hobart.

The residence of Arthur Picard of Trafford street, South Quincy, was visited Thursday evening by twenty of the young friends of Miss Blanche Picard. All were made welcome by Mrs. Picard and very soon made themselves at home. Songs and games followed. A collation was served. Then Miss Margaret Raleigh stepped forward and very prettily presented Miss Blanche with a gold chain and cross. The hostess was so overcome she could only say thank you. Then followed the dressing of the new woman and Miss Mary McDonald took first prize for girls and Master Norman Souter the first for boys. Master James Walsh took the booby.

MILTON.

Friends of the Woodward Institute are anticipating with much pleasure the Founders day exercises this evening in the school hall. Besides the usual fine musical program under the direction of Mr. John D. Buckingham the romantic play "The Romancers" by Edward Rostand, author of Cyrano de Bergerac, will be given by the girls of classes 1905, 1906 and 1907. The Woodward girls have the reputation of always doing things well and a fine presentation is expected.

John Hennigan went to Plymouth on a fishing trip Wednesday, and caught fourteen handsome pickerel.

The ladies' whist club meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. George Barns. Prizes for the best scores were captured by Mrs. W. W. Churchill and Mrs. K. L. Perry.

Rev. John McGann of Mattapan will preach at the Mission church on Sunday evening.

The Evening whist club meets with Dr. McIntosh next Monday evening.

E. J. Tinker has gone to Island Pond, Vt., on a business trip.

W. A. Cross of Belcher circle, who has been ill with rheumatic fever, is convalescent.

Dr. P. K. Brown has moved from Granite avenue to Belcher circle.

Dr. Gilchrist is away on a few days trip for a rest.

A largely attended social and entertainment was held at the East Milton Congregational church Wednesday evening.

Daniel McGilvray, who was injured in the subway, where he is employed as a guard, some weeks ago, is able to be about again.

Miss Editha Keefe, teacher of the kindergarten department of the Belcher school, who underwent a surgical operation last week, is reported as doing well.

The choir of the Mission church sang at St. Michael's church on Wednesday evening.

Dr. S. Schindler gave a talk before the Thursday Evening club this week.

The cake and candy sale at the Mission church last week Friday was largely attended and was a great success.

Mrs. E. A. Ames has closed her dry goods store in the Ellsworth block.

The new United States cruiser Galveston, recently completed and placed in commission at the Norfolk Navy Yard, will sail from Norfolk next Wednesday for Galveston, Texas, to receive a silver service to be presented by the citizens of Galveston. Upon her return the cruiser will have her "free route" trial trip over the measured course off Newport, R. I.

—Dr. J. H. Wright, director of the pathological laboratory at the Massachusetts General hospital, and instructor at the Harvard Medical school, has been awarded the Gross prize of $1,200 for his researches into the "Biology of the Miero-Organism of the Actinomivosis." The prize is given by the trustees of the Philadelphia Academy of Surgery once in five years.

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New Commandery.

John Adams Commandery, No. 355, Ancient and Illustrious Order Knights of Malta, was publicly instituted and its officers installed Thursday evening at Greenleaf hall. There were a large number present including many women.

Among prominent members of the order were Grand Recorder Frank K. Hayden and Past Supreme Commander John W. Hicks. Representatives were also present from commanderies at Brockton, Whitman, Attleboro, Dorchester, Boston, Somerville, Medford, Hyde Park, Worcester and Chelsea.

Grand Commander Vedeto of South Framingham opened the exercises and with full staff of grand officers instituted the commandery. The commandery was then turned over to the installing staff, who installed the following officers:

Commander,—George H. Jacques.
Generalissmo,—Rufus W. Billings.
Captain General,—Alfred C. Smith.
Prelate,—John D. Mackay.
Recorder,—B. Russell McQuinn.
Treasurer,—Horace A. Feltis.
Senior Warden,—Henry R. Askew.
Junior Warden,—H. G. Johnson.
Warder,—Samuel Muirhead.
Sentinel,—Robert B. Muirhead.
Assistant Recorder,—Noah Cummings,
Standard Bearer,—Harry L. Ford.
Sword Bearer,—Carl J. Johnson.
First Guard,—Charles W. Chute.
Trustees,—James W. Murray, Dr. W. J. Middleton and Richard Newcomb.

The new commandery starts off with a membership of 65. This number, it is expected will be swelled to 100 by March 23, on which date the Red Cross and Sepulchre degrees will be worked in full form.

Robbed and Murdered.

Jonas Shackley of West Quincy has received word from his brother Daniel at Decatur, Indiana, which throws some light on the death of their brother, Hiram Shackley, which occurred at Kansas, City, February 3. It seems that a stock commissioner at Kansas City has interested himself in the case and has found the following facts and imparted the same to Mr. Walters:

He states Shackley was knocked down near the Union depot at that place aad dragged up an alley, where he was no doubt robbed, as all papers were taken from his person and nothing found on him except a railway ticket for Decatur, Ind., and $4.25 in money. The police found him in an unconscious condition and transferred him to the hospital, where he died.

Daniel Shackley is now of the opinion that his brother had sold out his business and had started for Decatur where he expected to make his future home, and that the robbery was committed by men who knew exactly what he carried. Mr. Shackley stated that they would use every means possible to apprehend the criminals and give them over to justice.

School Janitor Dead.

The flag on the Coddington school building was at half mast Friday out of respect to Elijah S. Brown, for many years the janitor of the building, who died at his home 607 Washington street that morning, aged 70 years. Mr. Brown has been ailing with heart trouble for some months, although his death was unexpected.

Mr. Brown was a carpenter by trade which he followed for many years. At the time of the Civil war he was in California and promptly enlisted in Co. A of the 5th California Voluntrer infantry. He returned to Quincy at the close of the war and has resided here ever since. He was a member of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R. and leaves a widow.

Certificate Re-extending Charter.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
OFFICE OF
COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4, 1905.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The National Granite Bank of Quincy," located in the City of Quincy in the County of Norfolk and State of Massachusetts, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882, as amended by the Act, approved April 12, 1902:

Now, therefore, I, THOMAS P. KANE, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The National Granite Bank of Quincy," located in the City of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and State of Massachusetts, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association: namely, until close of business on Feb. 4, 1925.

Currency Bureau
Seal
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Comptroller of the
Currency,
Treasury Department.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and Seal of office this fourth day of February, 1905.

T. P. KANE,
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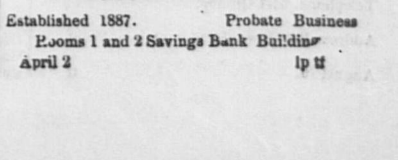

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Quincy, March 3. 1-tf--p-1w

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THE Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of The Wollaston Co-operative Bank for the Nomination of Officers and Auditors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before them, will be held at the office of the Bank, 307 Newport Avenue, Wollaston, on TUESDAY Evening, March 21, 1905, at 7.30 o'clock.

HERBERT W. PINKHAM, Secretary.

March 11. 1w

FIRST CHURCH

Sale and Supper,

Wednesday, March 15.

Sale of Fancy and Domestic Articles, Bags, Mysterious Packages and Candy.

Sale commences at 3 o'clock. Supper at 6.30.

Admission 10 cents.

Admission and Supper 35 cents.

Quincy, March 4. 1-10t-p-1w

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12th MARCH 1905,

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Entrance only from Washington Street.

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March 9. 1-3t-p 1w-o-1w

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WE wish to inform you that we have an extra good lot of CHESTNUT POSTS for sale for cellars, building fences, hen yards, etc. We have all sizes and lengths from a hen yard post to a telephone post . . . .

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Quincy, April 30, 1904. tf

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The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 1905.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.		Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea Morn	Full Sea Eve	Moon sets.
Saturday,	Mar. 11,	6.04	5 46	2 30	2.45	10.59 P.M
Sunday,	" 12,	6.02	5 47	3 00	3 30	11.56 "
Monday,	" 13,	6.00	5.48	3.45	4.15	12.03 A.M
Tuesday,	" 14,	5 58	5.49	4.45	5 15	12.52 "
Wednesday,	" 15,	5 57	5 50	5.45	6.15	1.47 "
Thursday,	" 16,	5.55	5.51	6.15	7.15	2.39 "
Friday,	" 17,	5.53	5.52	7.45	8.15	3.27 "

First Quarter, March 14, 4.00 A. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of month for three years:

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1904.	In 1903.	In 1900.
Sunday,	29	34	30	47	34
Monday,	35	33	31	36	35
Tuesday,	39	29	48	47	39
Wednesday,	42	33	57	52	34
Thursday,	49	32	43	45	44
Friday,	42	34	32	45	53
Saturday,	—	41	36	54	23

Notes and Comments.

The address of President Roosevelt at the inaugural on Saturday was so short that most everybody has read it, and they endorse the optimistic views therein expressed.

The five new express trains each way to be added to the Quincy and Boston service next Monday are sure to be popular. They are at hours when they will be appreciated, and also very quick trains. Two of the new trains to Boston will make the run in fifteen minutes and the other three in sixteen minutes. The new trains will be found in the revised schedule published in today's paper. A new express train from Boston about 11 P. M. would make the schedule almost perfect, and it will probably be added soon.

Ten members of the graduating class of Wellesley College made a request for a scientific lecture on "Reproduction." They were refused by every member of the faculty and were told that their request was indelicate. The attitude of the College on this subject is an astonishment to every thinking man and woman in the country. In determining as Bacon said, the relative value of knowledges, which is one of the efforts of education, can anything be considered of greater value than the information which will make of our boys and girls better and wiser parents. In classifying in the order of their importance the leading kinds of activity which constitute human life, Herbert Spencer placed second only to self preservation the activities which have for their end the rearing and discipline of offspring.

There were many things about the Somerville banquet on Saturday evening which were pleasing. The appreciation of long service by public officials, the loyalty to city, and the fact that a Quincy born man was one of the four guests of honor.

Representative Robert Luce, who introduced Mr. George L. Baxter, said that the banquet was an example which other cities might well follow. In enumerating the widespread influences of Principal Baxter, for 37 years principal of the High School, he said: "No creator of citizenship deserves more gratitude on the part of the people than George L. Baxter.

Mr. Baxter described his coming to Somerville and his entrance upon the new field of duties. A number of humorous references to his work as instructor of some of the men at the tables provoked great applause. "When I came to Somerville," he said, "I felt as old as the oldest, now I feel as young as the youngest. I want to say that it is my sincere wish that Somerville daughters may be as good as their mothers and Somerville sons better than their fathers."

No wonder Mr. Baxter is popular.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 8.30 A. M., holy communion. 10.30 morning prayer, litany and sermon. Subject: "The Foundation of Human Progress." 12 M., Sunday School in the parish house. Rector's Bible class in the church. 7.00 evening prayer and address. Subject: "Man's Contribution to Human Progress." All welcome.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the Rev. C. E. Stowe of Bridgewater in exchange with the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Preaching by the pastor. Free seats and every one invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Charles H. Emmons, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "An Inventory of Life." Sunday School at 11.45. International lessons. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Preaching by the Rev. G. M. Harmon, D. D., of Tufts college Divinity School. Subject: "God in Our Life." Vocal selections in the morning by Miss Morris, and in the evening by Miss Ewell. The public is cordially invited to attend services.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. Frank Wright Pratt, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the Rev. John L. Howie. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's Religious Union at 7 o'clock. All are invited.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The Peacemakers." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. at 6 o'clock. Evening service at 7 o'clock, conducted by the pastor. Subject: "Religion by Proxy." You are cordially invited.

METHODIST CHURCH ATLANTIC, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "The Cure of Skepticism." Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30 P. M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "Comradeship with God."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue.—Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Matter." Golden Text: "When ye knew not God, ye did service unto them which by nature are no gods." Galations, 4:8. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings with gentlemen in attendance. All are welcome.

—The Copley Society of Boston, of which a number of Quincy people interested in art matters are members, is to open its annual loan exhibition on March 15. The collection this year will be devoted entirely to the works by the French impressionist painter, Claude Monet. Nearly all the art connoisseurs who own important canvases by Monet, have generously contributed to make this exhibition as notable in its way as the Whistler Memorial Exhibition of last year.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, March 8, 1905.

Liquor problems have been rather more prominent this year than last. The question whether the manufacture and distillation of liquor should be allowed in this state was hotly debated two days. Monday it came up on the question of ordering to a third reading a bill to permit the practice, which had been reported by a majority of the committee on mercantile affairs, on which occasion the bill was defeated, and Tuesday, the friends of the measure tried to get a reconsideration, but lost, by 68 to 86. Mr. Taft of Worcester was leader of the opponents of the bill, and Mr. Potter of Worcester was in charge of it. The plea was made for the bill that it was in no sense a temperance measure and that the temperance people did not oppose it, but, for all that, there was quite a temperance sentiment aroused over it, before the discussion was finished and it was evidently that element which defeated the bill. One incident of the debate was the development of the fact that our laws forbid any foreign corporation to do what cannot be done by state corporations. It was argued for the bill that if it were not passed the would-be incorporators could go to Maine or New Jersey and get a charter and then do business in this state. It was said that such corporations are now doing a distilling business here. Mr. Taft then warned the friends of the bill that they might be getting their clients into trouble by calling attention to this violation of law so that they will be prevented from going on in business hereafter. Hence it is possible that the effort to pass this bill will result in restricting business now carried on, as well as in preventing the formation of new corporations for the same purpose. The honor of the state was thought to be at stake in preventing the operations of liquor corporations within its limits at all.

Every woman who takes her market basket on her arm and goes out to buy the Sunday fowl for dinner will read with interest the vote of the committee on public health that hereafter all poultry offered for sale must be drawn. Five of the committee dissent from this report,—Senator Craig of Essex and Representatives Wheatley of Abington, Sampson of Middleboro, Mason of Medway and Phelan of Lynn. This leaves only six in favor of the bill,—Senators Bullock of Bristol and Hunter of Middlesex, and Representatives O'Rourke of Worcester, Birch of Milford who put in the petition on which the bill is based, Pattis of Boston and Barker of Lynn. The hearing on this petition was one of the most crowded in the statehouse during this session, in the biggest room in the building. The Boston trade organization in the poultry business and other Boston representative men were out in force against the bill. With such a closely divided committee it is evident that there will be a hot fight against the bill. More than that, with such strong commercial interests united to beat the bill, and nothing but the welfare of the public on the other side, the chances are that the bill will never become law. Yet Representative Birch made out a very strong case of the repulsiveness and unhealthfulness of poultry brought to market without being drawn, and the disgusting specimen which he showed the committee,—one of a lot just like it which was in the market that morning,—illustrates what sort of stuff is put before the people to eat. A pretty tough case was made out for people who are oblige to live in boarding houses where the biggest part of this nasty poultry is consumed. It is to be noticed, by the way, that a matter like this, which touches men's pockets, draws a larger crowd than a far more important question involving the welfare of the state as a whole. Dollars can be seen and appreciated by every one. The public welfare cannot.

Now that the gypsy and brown tail moth bill has been reported with its many provisions for the suppression of the pests and the protection of the public and property-owners, the question is whether its friends will stand together sufficiently to secure the passage of the measure, or of anything else which will secure work this spring. There are so many different ideas, which the author believes, severally, are better than any others, that there is danger that the entire movement will fail from internal dissension, though there is no possible question of the vast damage which will be done the coming season unless prompt action is taken before the eggs hatch as soon as warm weather comes. The effort in drafting the bill has been to give authority to enter upon premises, even if the owner objects, so that the work can be done. But it is required that the pest be made a public nuisance. But making it a nuisance exposed the property owners to a great loss if they did not suppress it upon their premises, and so they had to be guarded. Then there has been the serious problem of how to divide the cost and responsibility between the private owner, the city or town and the state. But the best possible compromise has been drawn and now we must wait and see how it works.

The house had some fun out of Mr. Keefe of Fall River with his bill to prevent any spitting in public places or conveyances and let it be substituted for an adverse committee report. But they killed it by a large majority on the next stage. He made out a good case of the great danger to the public from consumption by indiscriminate scattering of tuberculosis germs, but the common sense of the house would not stand a total prohibition of spitting in public places, as he wanted.

There is expected to be presented tomorrow a bill from the railroad committee which will permit street railways to be bought up by steam road corporations, or to allow the latter to invest in the stock of the former. It will be seen at a glance, that this will be a measure of large importance to the transportation interests of the state, for it will distinctly open the way to the practical consolidation of all the steam and electric roads under one ownership. Already there is ownership of electric roads by steam roads. There is an illustration in the southern part of Worcester county where the Worcester and Southbridge and connecting roads, through the Consolidated railroad company of Connecticut, which is an electric corporation, owned by the New York, New Haven and Hartford, is owned by the steam road interests. This policy of consolidation is not opposed by the railroad commissioners, and it is quite possible, therefore, that we are on the threshold of radical departures in our transportation system.

The house this afternoon gave small favor to several pending constitutional amendments for the appointment of registers of probate and clerks of court, instead of electing them, for submission of laws and amendments to the people on petition of 50,000 voters and for better equality of representation in the election of senators and representatives in the legislature. The committee on constitutional amendments has reported reference to the next legislature on the petition for biennial elections of state officers and members of the legislature. The committee was unanimous and one reason for their action was that there is no popular interest in the subject sufficient to warrant opening the subject at this time.

Rule.

New Train Schedule.

That the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. wants to do what is right for Quincy and needs only an occasional reminder, is shown by the quick response after the presentation of facts by the committee of the City Council of which E. R. Stone was chairman.

City Solicitor Thomas and Ex-City Solicitor Blackmur materially assisted the committee in the presentation of the needs of the city.

As already noted, T. E. Byrnes, the assistant to President Mellin, received the committee very cordially, and took a keen interest in the needs of Quincy as set forth.

It is unusual for a railroad to make a great change in its schedule just for one station, but the management realized that the city of Quincy with 30,000 people, was not well accommodated and was quick to act. On and after Monday next, therefore, Quincy will have five new expresses each way between Quincy and Boston.

A change like this, between season, involves a great expense for new timetables, notices to all stations and trainmen, etc., etc., and clearly shows that the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., wants to accommodate and please its patrons at all times.

The following notice to passengers has been issued to go into effect Monday next.

The South Shore section of the trains heretofore leaving Boston, week-days, at 10.43 A. M., 12.43 noon and 3.43 P. M. will leave two minutes later, making additional stops at Quincy 11.02 A. M., 1.02 and 4.02 P. M. respectively.

Returning, the South Shore section of the trains heretofore leaving Braintree, week-days, at 10.58 A. M., 12.58 noon and 6.58 P. M. will leave four minutes earlier, stopping at Quincy 10.59 A. M., 12.59 noon and 6.59 P. M., due Boston 11.15 A. M., 1.15 and 7.15 P. M., respectively.

Trains leaving Boston, week-days, at 9.43 and 11.43 A. M, will make additional stop at Quincy 9.59 and 11.59 A. M.

Returning trains due Boston, week-days, at 9.16 A. M. and 12.17 noon will make additional stop at Quincy 9.01 A. M. and 12.02 noon.

Train leaving Boston, week-days, at 5.19 P. M. will make an additional stop at Atlantic 5.32 P. M.

INWARD TRAINS.

The new trains, as scheduled above, will give Quincy fast express trains when they will be appreciated, viz:

Between 8.46 and 9.13 A. M.
Between 10.13 and 11.09 A. M.
Between 11.09 and 12.13 P. M.
Between 12.13 and 1.13 P. M.
Between 6.43 and 7.13 P. M.

OUTWARD TRAINS.

New trains for Quincy will leave Boston

Between 9.25 and 10.27 A. M.
Between 10.27 and 11.25 A. M.
Between 11.25 and 12.27 P. M.
Between 12.27 and 12.57 P. M.
Between 3.27 and 4.12 P. M.

Rules to be Enforced.

The street railway officials started in earnest this week to enforce the rules relative to smoking and spitting in the street cars. The greatest trouble has been with the gang of Fore River workmen who come from Neponset. These men have in the past shown little respect for decency, and it has been necessary to thoroughly clean the cars after they have used them.

On Tuesday the company had fifteen officers and railroad men, all in citizens dress, and who were unknown to the crowd, board the cars at Neponset and go through with them to Newcomb square.

When the workmen boarded the car they were warned by the conductor of the rules prohibiting smoking and spitting.

All went well until after the cars had reached Scammell street, when one of the workmen, Edward J. Barry, thinking that the danger line had been passed drew out his pipe and lighting it prepared to have a good smoke. Barry was a little off in his reckoning, however, for Officer Hinchon was on one side of him and a railroad man on the other side.

The result was that Barry did not report for work that morning, but was lined up before Judge Avery in the district court.

A Good Traveller.

Miss Esther Hunt, sister of J. Eliphas Hayward of East Braintree, who resides near Newcomb Square, Quincy Neck, returned Tuesday from the inauguration of President Roosevelt.

She went to Washington unaccompanied, and returned alone. She is very smart, although 88 years old. She has been to Washington and seen every President inauguration since Grant. In fact she has travelled considerably and is unusually smart for an old lady.

—Under the headline "The Best Spelling Books," the New York Times Review of Books announces that Mrs. Wilson's "Pedagogues and Parents" has come to a second printing. The statement is also made that the Booklovers Library has listed this book among the publications which it circulates. This means the purchase for this institution alone of something like four or five hundred copies.

☞ Toilettes, which the publishers appropriately sub-title the Practical Fashion and Woman's Magazine, has an excellent April number, in which the present and approaching fashions are reflected by pen and picture. There are no less than twenty whole-page designs of the most stunning creations, covering the whole range of woman's wear, and a beautiful double-page picture illustrating the novel and fashionable uses of ribbon. Marie Jarboe continues her very practical discussion on the making of dresses, and invites all who are interested in the cult to bring their troubles to her. The literary department also includes "Fashions in European Centers," exhaustive notes on present and prospective modes, toilet-table chat, etc. The publishers offer a prize of one hundred dollars in a story-writing competition, announced in this number. Toilettes Fashion Co., 172 Fifth avenue, New York. On sale at Chapin's News-stand.

—Some years ago a medical student, who had paid more attention to billiards than to anatomy, was brought before a professor for examination, when the following question and reply passed:—"What would you do first in the case of a man who was blown up by gunpowder?" "I should wait till he came down."

Concert at Wollaston.

A very enjoyable concert before a large and appreciative audience was given in the Wollaston Baptist church Thursday evening by the Wollaston male quartet, E. E. Bullock, tenor; A. R. Moulton, second tenor; H. Y. Follett, baritone; H. I. Hahn, basso. The quartette was assisted by Miss Leno Ellen Cooper, reader; Leon Van Vliet, cellist; Miss Irene Grasser, child artist; and Mrs. Mira Richards Moulton, accompanist.

The quartet was most cordially received and gave "Gay Hearts," Plantation Melodies," and as a closing number, "Good Night," the last being particularly pleasing and well rendered.

Mr. H. Y. Follett splendidly rendered a baritone solo, "The Song of the Sword," and Mr. E. E. Bullock, tenor soloist, gave "The Wandering Knight" and "I Love You, Sweet," in his usual good style. Both these artists are very popular with a Wollaston audience, and they were enthusiastically received.

The cello solos of Mr. Van Vliet were a most delightful part of the program. This artist is well known, and his reception was very cordial and enthusiastic.

His first number was in two parts, "Traumerei" by Schumann and "La Cinquantaine" by Gabriel, both of which were much enjoyed. His second selection was "En Sourdine."

The reader of the evening, Miss Leno Ellen Cooper, contributed two numbers on the program, giving a selection from "Les Miserables" with much feeling and for her second selection a humorous monologue called "A Woman in a Shoe Store."

Little Irene Grasse, the child artist, a dainty little maid of nine years, gave a descriptive song, "The Burglar and His Child," in a very pleasing way, accompanied by her sister at the piano. Her second number, "Tommy," given with the quartet, was surprisingly well done for a child of her years.

Mrs. Moulton, the accompanist of the evening played in her usual pleasing manner, her work with the cello being particularly fine.

From first to last, encores were demanded, to which all of the artists most graciously responded.

The concert was a great success in every way, and much credit is due to Mr. E. E. Bullock under whose management it was carried out.

Eightieth Birthday.

Rev. Victor Witting, the founder of the Swedish Methodist church, was given a reception Tuesday evening at Faxon hall by the people of the Swedish Methodist church, of which he was formerly a pastor; the reception was in honor of his eightieth birthday and was very largely attended.

Rev. Mr. Witting was assisted in receiving by Rev. S. L. Carlender, D.D., the present pastor of St. Pauls church, and the ushers were Oscar Sandberg, John Olson, Theodore Hermanson and John Carlson.

Shortly after 8 o'clock Rev. Mr. Witting was escorted to the platform, and the exercises opened with a selection by the combined choirs of St. Pauls and the Swedish Lutheran churches.

Rev. Dr. Carlender presided and delivered a congratulatory address in which he referred to the long and faithful services in the ministry. He also read letters of congratulation from the churches in New York and elsewhere.

Rev. Mr. Witting responded briefly and then delivered an address on "A Few of the things which the Swedes have done in the World's History."

Mr. Witting spoke for about an hour and three quarters, holding the closest attention. Our citizens of Swedish ancestry realize more than ever that they have been prominent in the affairs of the world.

There was also a short address by Rev. Charles Widgren, presiding elder of Worcester, vocal solos by Rev. H. E. Whyman and Miss Mary Witting, and piano solos by Miss Emma Witting.

A bouquet of flowers was then presented to Mr. Witting by Charles Erickson in behalf of friends and by Miss Hermana Carlson, from members of the church.

Novel Entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Baker of Walker street gave an original evening's pleasure to many of their friends Tuesday evening, in the form of a parlor trip to Mt. Monadnock for three days. The guests bought their tickets with a handclasp and the first day of the journey was devoted to a trip to Troy, during which five questions were under discussion: Are men more extravagant than women? the latest book; the weather; frenzied finance, and an original topic. This interchange of conversation made the trip very interesting.

On the second day, the morning was given up to botanical search, and each traveller hunted for flowers, a prize being offered for the collector of the greatest number correctly named; in the afternoon, a mountain was climbed by strings going all over the house, each one taking a string and following it to the bitter end no matter over what obstacle it led.

The last day, everyone bought souvenirs of odd articles to carry home, the price of them ranging from one smile to twenty. Then all the guests fished—for partners—and went to a delightful picnic in the dining room which was trimmed with cut flowers and ornamented extensively for the feasting.

Before the excursion ended, there was a farewell reception during which there were solos by Mrs. Harry Howard Lyons of Randolph, and Mrs. Warren Hayward of Neponset; piano selections by Miss E. Mabel May of Avon and readings by Miss Sadie Gifford of Dorchester.

The trip was charming in all its details and much praise is due to the host and hostess for their originality and hospitality.

—Because the town voted license on Tuesday, E. B. Ellis of the Ellis granite works at Northfield, Vermont, has decided says a Herald dispatch, to move the concern to Bethel. The Ellis works employ 300 men, and their removal will be a severe blow to Northfield. The concern is now filling three large government orders.

The Boston Transcript tells a very pretty story of a nice old gentleman of Brooklyn who last week addressed a class of young women at an educational institution, and who advised them to go in for the active life. "Go out and do something, be something," he exclaimed; "become fishers of men." He wondered why the audience tittered.

—The Bangor News says that the protective tariff is all right, is doing no injustice to Maine, but, on the contrary, is working great good to every resident of the state, wherefore Maine wants it let alone.

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Christian Endeavor Banquet.

It was a large and happy gathering of young people which gathered at the annual banquet of the Norfolk Union of Christian Endeavorers, held with the Bethany church society on Tuesday evening. Fully 175 were present representing the South Congregational and Baptist societies of Braintree, the Baptist of Randolph, the Congregational of Holbrook, the East Milton Baptist and the Milton Congregational, the Atlantic Congregational, the Wollaston Congregational and Baptist, the South Quincy Presbyterian and United Presbyterian, the Quincy Point Congregational and Bethany Congregational. Most of the societies were accompanied by pastors.

The members assembled in the chapel and enjoyed themselves early in the evening, adjourning at 7 P. M. to the banquet room, which was very attractive with its festoons of red, white and blue and C. E. bunting. There were ferns and flowering plants and the tables.

In the absence of President Whitehouse of East Milton, Robert Pinkham, the vice president, called the assemblage to order. All arose and sang the Doxology and Rev. W. B. Barr offered the blessing.

The menu included escalloped potatoes, salads, cold meats, baked beans and pickles, olives, rolls, ice cream, cake and coffee.

President Whitehouse who was detained at home by a severe cold, sent a letter of regrets, and the union passed a vote of sympathy, and agreed to send a bouquet to him.

Rev. E. N. Hardy of Bethany church took his place as toastmaster, and seemed to have an inexhaustible supply of stories, telling at least a dozen good ones. In this, however, he was not excelled by other speakers. It was almost a story telling match.

Rev. N. J. Sproul of the Water street church was first introduced. He spoke of the great possibilities for the Endeavorers in the religious revival in Boston and vicinity, and emphasized the importance of a stand for the church, and the need of personal work.

Rev. L. H. Austin of the Quincy Point church, spoke of the patriotism of '76 and '61, and said we are all soldiers in service. There was just as much to be done under the Christian banner for Christ and his church.

Mr. Paine of Holbrook said Christian Endeavor was very dear to him, and told what it had done for him.

Miss Cora Keith of Braintree, who is at home on a furlough from the missionary fields at Japan was the last speaker. When introduced she was very heartily received and was given the Chatauqua salute.

She said it made her very happy to be with the East Norfolk Union, as it was with the Christian Endeavorers that she began her Christian life. She paid a tribute to Mr. Thompson, the first president of the Braintree society, and thanked the union for support given her, and for their prayers for her when in Japan. That nation is truly being taught Christianity, she said, and the Americans are in great favor. Again she thanked the societies for constant interest.

After singing "Blest be the tie which binds," an adjournment was made to the chapel, where a business meeting was held in one room, a social time in another, and an informal reception by Miss Keith in another.

Boys' Brigade Drill.

There was a large number present at Music hall, Atlantic, Tuesday evening at the prize drill of Co. B United Boys' Brigade of America.

The judges were Gen. P. A. Brigham of Somerville, manager and director of the Boys' Brigade, Gen. W. H. H. Geary of Beachmont and Col. A. G. Cullis of Somerville.

The company was divided into two squads, and so close was the excellence of the drill that each squad was put through, it was a difficult matter for the judges to select the winners, as all were almost perfect.

The judges, however, made the awards as follows:

First prize to Sergt. Auhey Chisholm.
Second prize to Sergt. Roy Neily.
Honorable mention Sergt. Henry Welsh, Sergt. Kenneth Blake and Corp. Dennis Le Blace.

Dramatics.

The Denison House Auxiliary held its annual dramatic entertainment in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry, Wednesday evening. The program was in three parts, two short sketches, "Which Will Have Him?" and "The Trouble at Satterlee's," and "A Japanese Love Song."

The first sketch, "Which Will Have Him?" was admirably given by Misses Rena Grant and Mollie Brown, Mr. Loring kindly assisting. The costumes in this sketch were quite a feature, Miss Brown wearing black net with red picture hat and red roses, and Miss Grant, white silk with green trimmings, and a large green hat with black plumes.

The second feature was a very pretty Japanese song by Misses Augusta Lehman, Mattie May Mitchell, and Persis Thompson. The young ladies were arrayed in pretty Japanese costumes.

The third part of the program, "The Trouble at Satterlee's," was a little play, the scene being laid in a girl's seminary. The stage was decorated with posters and flags, to resemble a college room. The young ladies were very natural in their parts and received well merited applause.

In the cast were: Miss Marjorie Fay, Miss Alice Dow, Miss Bula Loud, Miss Ethel Parker, Miss Susie Page, Miss Louise Waterman, Miss Mabel Loughead, Miss Grace Bishop, Miss Beulah Hatch, Miss Lulu Cochrane and Miss Leona Robbins.

The school girls were, Miss Hattie May Mitchell, Miss Persis Thompson, Miss Gertrude Brennan, Miss Mabel Garnett, Miss Gladys Parker, and Miss Elsie Snow.

Between the sketches Miss Ethel Parker rendered several charming piano solos.

On the whole, the entertainment was decidedly successful and it reflects credit both upon those who took part and upon Mrs. Gurney under whose direction it was given.

Morrison—Bertram.

A pretty wedding took place Wednesday afternoon at the home of Frederick E. Goss on Hancock street, when his cousin Miss Emma Bertram of this city was married to Mr. Theodore Morrison of Northfield, Vermont. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor of the United Presbyterian church. The bride wore a brown travelling suit. After the ceremony dainty refreshments were served. A number of relatives and friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Morrison left for their new home at Northfield, Vermont, where Mr. Morrison is engaged in business.

The Inauguration.

Washington, D. C.
March 4, 1905.

Editors of the Quincy Patriot:

We reached here 4 A. M. Thursday, and to my utter astonishment, we found the streets covered with snow and ice. They were so slippery we could hardly walk. But toward noon the sun came out full strength and with it the ice and snow melted. We all hoped that the weather would keep in line with everything else to make our popular President happy, and sure enough it did. The last three days have been as fine as if the strenuous President had made them to order.

Under a cloudless sky, with his head bared to the wind in which there was still a touch of winter, Mr. Roosevelt took the oath of office as Chief Magistrate of the best country and happiest people under the sun.

It is safe to say that since the days of Lincoln no President has attracted so much popularity by his personality as President Roosevelt. He was elected last fall with a majority unequalled—over 2,500,000.

The day dawned with promise of perfect weather. The morning sun was so warm that I neglected, to my sorrow, to put on my overcoat. The sun was warm when the President left the White House for the Capitol, escorted by clattering cavalry. He rode in an open carriage and I noticed that our Senator Lodge, sat opposite him. While he was in the Capitol the sky darkened and the black clouds gathered. The multitude of people started on a run to a place of safety from the incoming tempest. It seemed that winter long enthroned would not yield, even for Theodore.

Happily the clouds disappeared, and once more the sun shone brilliantly. There was no warmth though in its rays. The wind was pitiless and made the multitude shiver in its icy blast. But there was cause for thankfulness in the fact that the sun was shining when that venerable old chief justice Fuller administered the oath, both being bare headed. I couldn't help notice the contrast in the two figures. The President with his form sturdy and the picture of health, and Chief Justice Fuller with white hair and full of dignity although small in figure.

The President repeated the oath in a firm, clear voice. Then he delivered his inaugural address. The address was short and to the point. We all know what it was. There were only few that heard it, for the wind blew a gale and drowned his voice almost as soon as it left his lips.

I will give later a description of the afternoon parade, the fireworks and the inaugural ball; also my impression of the Porto Ricans and the Philipino troops as they appeared in the big parade, and how the cow boys lassoed the fellows when they insisted on crossing the avenue. I have also collected short accounts of the inauguration of all our presidents from the Congressional Library, which I will be glad to give to the readers of your papers in the near future.

John Evans.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Hollis Street Theatre.

Maxine Elliott, in the successful Clyde Fitch comedy, "Her Own Way" will return to the Hollis Street theatre Monday, March 13th for a two week's engagement, with matinees Wednesday and Saturday. The return of Miss Elliott in this comedy, which enjoyed the prestige of a run at four different theatres in New York in succession, and which scored one of the pronounced hits of the year at the Hollis last season, is one of the important events of the season, and the box office indications are that Miss Elliott's engagement will be quite as successful as it was a year ago. Miss Elliott has just concluded a long tour to the Pacific Coast, and has presented, "Her Own Way" in every important city of the country with uniform success. It is announced that this will be her farewell Boston appearance in "Her Own Way." "Her Own Way" is a story of modern life, and the characters are all representative American types, such as one might meet in real life. The atmosphere and treatment are distinctively American. Georgiana Carley, played by Miss Elliott, is a splendid type of the modern independent American girl, while the role of Dick Coleman, her lover, and Sam Coast, the unscrupulous millionaire, are true examples of reality.

Majestic Theatre.

The first of the big musical productions to be made in Boston this season is "The Filibuster" which will be given for the first time (by a professional company) at the Majestic Theatre on March 20. It will be recalled that this is the comic opera in which the Bank Officers scored such a great success a short time ago. Since then, however, the book has been completely rewritten and altered to suit the needs of a professional organization — there being necessary limitation to an amateur production. The story has been changed, several of the characters eliminated and others added. It is needless to add that the changes are all for the better—indeed, the new book is said to so sparkle with brilliancy and fun that the amateur one seems tame by comparison. William Loraine has gone over the musical score and added several new numbers, notably a new waltz song with a catchy refrain which Miss Louise Gunning will sing in the last act. A company of exceptional ability has been gathered together by Manager Rork. There will be a chorus of 60 pretty girls and six lively young women will give the "Julep Dance," which promises to be a sensation.

Empire Theatre.

Following closely on the heels of a vaudeville show which for every quality desirable in high class vaudeville won universal approval, will come another, at the Empire theatre, formerly Boston Music Hall, the week of March 13. That the Empire theatre is making an enviable reputation by reason of the splendid entertainments which it is offering week after week cannot be denied; in fact the daily attendance at this popular and handsome place of amusement is the best commendation it could have. And the further fact that a noteworthy proportion of this attendance, especially at the matinees, is composed of children, is of significance to parents who desire an eminently clean and wholesome resort in which the little ones may be amused. The artistic event of the vaudeville season, to date, will be the presentation of "The Queen's Fan," the daintiest conceit ever offered in the varieties. This operetta has some distinguished names connected with it.

—One hundred and six past wardens were admitted at the annual session of the Grand lodge, N. E. O. P., in Boston on Wednesday, and given the degree. Frank A. Rice of Cambridge was elected grand warden. About six hundred attended the banquet at noon.

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Mrs. Maria W. Robertson.

Mrs. Maria W. Robertson, widow of Dr. Thomas S. Robertson, was found dead in bed Thursday morning at the residence of her sister, Miss C. S. Hubbard, with whom she has made her home since the death of her husband some few years ago. Mrs. Robertson has not been in the best of health for some time. She was about Wednesday, however, and when she retired that night was apparently as well as usual. She passed away sometime during the night from heart trouble. Mrs. Robertson leaves three sisters and a brother, Miss C. S. Hubbard, Mrs. Estelle Dyer of Dorchester, Mrs. Jennie Weeks who resides in New Hampshire, and Henry Hubbard.

The death of Mrs. Robertson recalls the happy reunion of all the brothers and sisters last Thanksgiving with Miss Hubbard. The family had not all been together at one time for many years, and the gathering was one of great pleasure to all as well as one long to be remembered.

Probate Court.

Judge Flint held probate court for Norfolk County at Quincy, Wednesday, and transacted the following business:

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Emily A. Packard late of Quincy, William Packard executor; bond $3,000.

Of Mary M. Cowles late of Braintree, Caroline J. Cowles administratrix; bond $6,000.

Of Harriet H. Matson late of Old Lyme, Conn., Charles A. Terry executor; bond $2,448.

Of William H. Goodwin late of Dedham, Eleanor Goodwin administratrix; bond $100,000.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Quincy Burrell and Abbie E Beals, on estate of Lucy M. Burrell late of Weymouth; bond $3500 each.

Welcome J. Blake, on estate, of Nellie F. Blake late of Quincy; bond $200.

Warren W. Palmer, on estate of James W. Palmer late of Randolph; bond $10,000.

Mary J. Davies, on estate of Mary Davies late of Quincy; bond $6000.

Martha L. Darley, on estate of Irving Darley late of Dedham; bond $500.

Harold W. Gay, on estate of Lucretia F. Bullard late of Walpole; bond $3000.

Lowell R. Thomas, on estate of Abbie F. Chessman late of South Weymouth; bond $300.

George W. Tisdale, on estate of James H. Leland late of Walpole; bond $5000.

David J. Markle, on estate of Enos F. Markle late of Wrentham; bond $1000.

Richard D. Chase, on estate of James Bisson late of Quincy; bond $200.

Herbert F. Langley, on estate of Frank H. Langley late of Randolph; bond $15,000.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

Final of Emily E. S Baker, executrix of will of Jacob Baker late of Weymouth, for $1327.68.

First and final of Joseph H. Pearce, administrator of estate of Maria A. Pearce late of Milton, for $217.

First of C. A. Plumer, administrator of estate of O. B. Plumer late of Quincy, for $2,543.03.

Second and final of Charles H. Parker, trustee under will of Clara C. Gilchrist late of Brookline, for $5,952.11.

First and final of George P. Eastman, administrator of estate of Rowena Pettee late of Norfolk county for $1,353.45.

GUARDIANSHIP.

Rose A. Corcoran was appointed guardian of Mary Louise Devine, a minor of Brookline; bond $200.

Mary L. Palmer was appointed guardian of Olive L. Palmer, a minor of Randolph; bond $500.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Philander Bates, trustee of will Samuel L. Jenkins late of Cohasset, was granted permission to sell real estate to the amount of $3,300.

The District Court.

Twelve drunks were lined up before Judge Avery in the district court on Monday, eight of which fell into the hands of Quincy officers, three came from Braintree and one from Weymouth, they were disposed of as follows:

Joseph Marsterson of Weymouth fined $5.

James McGregor, Samuel Dutton and Alexander Hamilton of Braintree, $3 each.

Henry McDonald, James Clark, Martin Moore, Thomas Griffin, Peter McQuirk, Charles O'Brien, $3 each, David Gustafson $5 and Martin Frazier, $15. All of Quincy.

Leon Di Lenso and Delelice Fiorindo were fined $5 each for disturbing the peace at Quincy.

David Tobin was arraigned for threatening assault on Eliza J. Tobin at Weymouth. Case continued until March 31.

Patrick J. Whalen was fined $3 for drunkenness at Randolph.

The continued case of Walter F. West for larceny was called and the case placed on file, restitution having been made.

William N. White was fined $3 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Patrick Foley was fined $25 for assault on Sidney B. Lermont at Quincy.

Wesley L. Woodsum of Weymouth was arraigned for drunkenness and for keeping a disorderly house. He was fined $5 for drunkenness and sentenced to six months in the house of correction for keeping a disorderly house. Appealed on the latter sentence.

Clifford H. Towle was arraigned for keeping a liquor nuisance at Quincy. Case continued until March 15.

Orestana Di Cista was fined $10 for assault on Celia Calilda at Quincy.

The continued case of Edward J. Barry for spitting in a street car at Quincy was called and he was fined $5,

James P. Flannigan was arraigned for the illegal keeping and expressing of liquor for sale at Quincy. Case continued until March 15.

Thomas Smith was arraigned for assault on Thomas P. Cleary at Weymouth and was fined $5.

The Secretary of the Navy has made a contract with the Electric Boat Company for the construction of two submarine torpedo boats, one to cost $250,000 and the other to cost $200,000, to be completed within eighteen months. With these two vessels the navy will include ten submarine torpedo boats.

—Keep yourself cool and equal for anything that may happen, and it will be better for you.

Marriages.

HAYDEN—LEVANGIE.—In South Braintree March 7, by Rev. M. F. McDonnell, Mr. Archibald Hayden to Miss Margaret Levangie both of Braintree.

Deaths.

BROWN—In Quincy, March 9, Mr. Elijah Stone Brown, of 607 Washington street, aged 70 years and 6 months. Funeral from the Universalist church, Sunday, March 12, at 2.30 P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

ROBERTSON—In Quincy, March 9, Mrs Maria W. Hubbard, widow of Dr. T. S. Robertson late of New York city. Funeral private. Burial at Hopkinton, N. H.

TURNER—In Quincy, March 7, Miss A. Maria Turner, aged 71 years and 1 month

ADAMSON—In Quincy, March 5, Mrs. Mary, wife of Mr. Henry Adamson of 20 Nelson street, aged 49 years.

AUSPLAND—In Quincy, March 5, Mrs. Sarah H., widow of Mr. Henry Auspland of 51 West street, aged 89 years, 10 months.

PERRY—In Quincy, March 7, Mrs Lucinda, widow of William Perry of 36 Bigelow street, aged 82 years and 1 month.

PAUL—In Quincy, March 3, Mrs. Johanna, widow of Mr. Henry Paul, of 128 Arnold street, aged 62 years.

CONNOR—In Quincy Point, March 5, Mr. George Owen Connor of 510 South street, aged 36 years.

MURPHY—In West Quincy, at 31 Cross, street, March 6, Mrs. Bridget, wife of Mr. Patrick Murphy of Scituate, aged 71 years and 10 months.

BURGESS—In Atlantic, March 8, Mrs. Sadie A., wife of Mr. Charles H. Burgess of 459 Hancock street, aged 22 years.

HARRIS—In Atlantic, March 2, Elizabeth, widow of Peter J. Harris, formerly of South Boston.

THAYER—In Braintree, March 8, Mr. Henry Strong Thayer of Washington street, aged 65 years.

DRAPER—At Westwood, March 8, Mrs. Harriet Mariah, wife of Mr. Henry S. Draper, in her 62d year.

LITCHFIELD—At North Scituate, March 8, Mr. William Hubbard Litchfield, aged 79 years, 6 months.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after March 13, 1905, trains will run as follows:

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TO BOSTON			FROM BOSTON		
Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *5 14	abcdefghi	5 42	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 27	cba	6 46 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 27	cba	8 49 r
r 7 43	abc	8 03	9 25	ihgfedcba	9 54 r
			9 43	Exp.	9 59
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 27	cba	10 49 r
r 8 13	abc	8 33	10 45	Exp.	11 02
r 8 26	abd	8 45	11 25	ihgfedcba	11 54 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	11 43	Exp.	11 59
9 01	Exp.	9 16	12 27	cba	12 49 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	12 45	Exp.	1 02
10 01	Exp.	10 17	12 57	cba	1 19 r
r 10 13	abc	10 33	1 27	cba	1 49 r
10 59	Exp.	11 15	1 57	cba	2 19 r
r 11 09	abcdefghi	11 37	2 27	cba	2 49 r
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r 2 13	abc	2 33	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 13	abc	3 33	5 15	a	5 34 r
r 3 43	abc	4 03	5 19	dba	5 40 r
r 4 13	abc	4 33	5 27	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
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r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 57	cba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 15	dba	6 36 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 27	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 57	fedcba	7 23 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	9 27	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 27	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
r 11 03	abc	11 32	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
			11 27	cba	11 49 r
SUNDAYS.					
r 7 43	abc	8 03	6 24	ihgfdcba	6 52 r
8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
r 9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
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c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

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WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 10.19 P. M.

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Via Wollaston—6.05 6.35 A. M., then every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 10.35 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.35 P. M.

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Via Wollaston—6.30 7.30 A.M., then on the even hour and half hour until 12 o'clock midnight.

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* Quincy Point only.

QUINCY POINT TO QUINCY.

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6.10, 6 30, A. M. then on the even hour and half hour until 11.30 P. M.

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It is not the work but the worry,
That wrinkles the smooth, fair face,
That blends gray hairs with the dusky,
And robs the form of its grace;
That dims the lustre and sparkle
Of eyes that were once so bright,
But now are heavy and troubled,
With a weary, despondent light.

It is not the work, but the worry,
That drives all sleep away,
As we toss and turn and wonder
About the cares of the day.
Do we think of the hands' hard labor,
Or the steps of the tired feet?
Ah! no, but we plan and ponder
How to make both ends meet.

It is not the work, but the worry,
That makes us sober and sad,
That makes us narrow and sordid,
When we should be cheery and glad.
There's a shadow before the sunlight,
And ever a cloud in the blue
The scent of the rose is tainted,
The notes of the song are untrue.

It is not the work, but the worry,
That makes the world grow old,
That numbers the years of its children,
Ere half their story is told;
That weakens their faith in heaven
And the wisdom of God's great plan.
Ah! 'tis not the work, but the worry,
That breaks the heart of man.

—Somerville Journal.

Notes and Comments.

—The Dedham Transcript says: "Representative Joseph H. Soliday of this town has contributed to the Legislature the neatest receipt yet handed down for allowing a man to attend and enjoy his own funeral. What he wants is legislation that will allow a man to make his will and file it in the Probate Court, so while he is yet alive the whole question of his soundness of mind and testamentary capacity may be argued out. Mr. Soliday, who is a lawyer himself, thinks it will save money and time to have the will maker himself passed up for general inspection by the jury rather than to pay out the best part of an estate after he is dead in getting experts to give their thoughts. No one appeared in opposition at the hearing, but the prospect of wiping out so fair a field of legal effort was too much for the members of the committee on judiciary, all lawyers, and they reported against it."

—A self-lighting cigar is the latest invention until something comes to match it.

—The Somerville Journal says, "The married man can get a much warmer welcome by taking home a box of chocolates than he can by taking home a box of good cigars, and the chocolates don't cost one-tenth as much." Brother Hayden ought to know as he enjoys a good cigar."

—John D. Rockefeller attended divine worship last Sunday and deposited $35 in the contribution plate, and told the pastor of the church to have a leak in the roof repaired and the grounds around the edifice cleaned up and to send the bills for both jobs to him. Mr. Rockefeller is a practical churchgoer and would be warmly welcomed in any church in the country under similar circumstances.—Weymouth Gazette.

—The noted Miller, the 520 per cent swindler, has been pardoned out of prison, having served only five years out of his ten years' sentence. This looks like a miscarriage of justice. He is supposed to have a neat sum of his receipts from his victims safely hidden away.—Athol Chronicle.

—The Mansfield News says that Lieutenant-Governor Guild in a recent speech, considering the "Lawlessness of Respectable People," uttered the following truisms that are worth pondering: "The one danger that most Americans view with horror is socialism, the idol that has wrecked one republic after another, and that crouches today like an incubus upon the neck of Australia. The strongest argument for Government ownership, the argument of despair, is that it is the only relief from graft. The man who is doing more for socialism, communism and anarchy today than any other is the highly respectable business man who for any reason buys legislation. "Graft could never exist but for the man behind the grafter. "The readiness with which, to save trouble or to oblige a friend, the most respectable citizens will sign anything except a check, has caused an almost utter disregard of all signatures and indorsements."

—According to Connecticut's labor commissioner, $1.59 represents the average daily earnings 140,848 working people in the state. Is it any wonder that Connecticut folks took to whittling out wooden nutmegs once?—Somerville Journal.

—The Indiana Legislature has enacted a law making docking a horse's tail an offense finable in $100, also requiring all such horses now in the State or coming in, shall be registered and numbered, and that they shall be protected from the attack of flies, etc., by suitable light blankets.

—The movement on foot in Boston to abate the soft coal smoke nuisance if successful, and there is little doubt that it will be, will be a long stride in the right direction. Give the old lady once more a chance to breathe pure air and take a wholesome bath, and in outward appearance at least she would be restored to her attractiveness of former years.—Mansfield News.

—Instead of prosecuting her lover who tried to kill her a New York woman married him. She probably wanted to enjoy her revenge for a longer period.—Weymouth Gazette.

—It is proposed to have the work at the State oil plant of Kansas performed by convicts. In this way will the convicts be brought in touch with refining influences.

—Now is the time to bring in twigs of flowering shrubs and trees, and put them in a jar with plenty of water. If left in a sunny window for a few days you will be delighted with a profusion of delicate green leaves that are as balm to eyes that can see nothing out of doors but bare trees, and snow much the worse for wear. But be sure to change the water every day for your branch of lilac, elm, apple, or pear, or whatever you happen to choose.—Canton Journal.

—Country roads in China are never bounded by fences, but are entirely undefined. While the farmer has the right to plow up any road passing through his land, drivers of vehicles have an equal right, and they exercise it to traverse any portion of the country at large.

—Either way you look at the situation, it is not so very surprising that liquor should be a drug on the market in several of our no-license suburban communities.—Ploughman.

—U. S. Labor Commissioner Carroll D. Wright is perhaps over enthusiastic in his belief that woman may successfully take man's place in "outside" employments. There are many lines of work for which woman is unfitted by nature, yet no one should deny her the opportunity to do that which she can do well. It is not safe to say that contact with the business and industrial world and her consequent independence, robs her of desire for a life of domesticity, for most women would exchange their independence and so-called freedom for love and home and real happiness.—Madame for March.

—One of the latest benefactions of wealth is a donation of $1,000,000 in New York to build a model tenement house. After awhile the fear of dying rich will so spread upon the millionaires that they will even begin to demand to be assessed the full amount of taxes.—Baltimore American.

Vaudeville Entertainment.

It was a surprise to late comers March 3 to find First church chapel filled to overflowing. As soon as the doors opened at seven o'clock, the place filled rapidly, and by half-past, it was most impossible to find a seat, and at eight standing room was at a premium.

A vaudeville entertainment was something new for the Social club, but every one was sure something good would be offered, and they were not disappointed.

The first number was an original farce, "Box and Cox" by Crayon, Savilini and Shoemaker, especially engaged for the occasion. The plot hinged on a greedy landlady renting the same room to two lodgers, one who worked nights and slept during the day, while the other worked days and slept nights. The day worker not working one day led to various ludicious complications. The artists were recognized by the audience as Mrs. George G. Saville, Emery L. Crane and Houghton Schumacher.

Number two Haysarki and Arnolja, Japanese exponents of Jiu Jitsu gave a fine exhibition. The performers were Ralph Hayes and Allan Arnold.

Number three were the Wurtzburger twins, the Dutch language contortionists who made their first appearance making quite an impression on the audience. They distorted the Dutch language to perfection, sang a couple of songs, sprung a few local hits and retired amid loud applause, each with a cabbage tastefully decorated. The Dutch costumes did not disguise them from their friends, who recognized the artists as Edward Angier and Joseph Groce.

Number four was the beautiful number of the evening, the imperial court dancers, introducing Mlles. Stellade Barkerini, Constantino Barkisi, Alicia Clafloni, Molliere Harristala, Helena Rhinesky, Lela de Smithette, Flaffi Stilleto and Carlena Walkerino, late of the Opera Comique, assisted by Fraulein Edwina Schmidt, premiere danseuse.

The stage setting was dark green and the gowns were blue, pink, green and yellow, each carrying an arch of pink roses, while the premiere wore white. It was exceeding pretty and graceful. Fraulein Schmidt was given great applause and was easily a favorite, receiving curtain calls.

Number five was Signorita Patcheesi, the vocal wrestler terpsichorean acrobate, late of the Bank Officers association, loaned for the occasion and sure to be returned. The Signorita was a rather large woman, of the brunette type with fine figure. She was gowned in white, cut decollette, which showed her beautiful white neck to great advantage. Her beautiful eyes flashed, and the dimples played hide and seek with each other as she smiled, which coupled with her naturally modest disposition captivated the audience even before she began to sing.

Her voice and the sentiments of the song brought the audience to her very feet—such rich full tones—such expression. One curtain call did not satisfy the audience and several were responded to. His best friends would hardly recognize Frank King Patch as the Signorita.

Number six was announced as the Tyrolean Yellers, in a repertoire of pathetic ballads and mother songs, and it was their last appearance here. The Yellers included: George E. Pfaffmann, Joseph C. Groce, Morton T. Swallow, Clarence Durgin, Russell A. Sears, C. Theodore Hardwick, E. E. Davis, A. F. Schenkelberger and Edward Angier. Their songs were interspersed with local hits and a most surprising stunt by Mr. Pfaffmann.

Number seven concluded the performance. It was called a Russian Salad, entitled "The Manager's Troubles" and given by the Anti Kamnia Komedy Four. The participants were:

La Belladona, Queen of the Burlesque, Mrs. Hunting.
Willie Grow, the Boy Wonder, Leslie Coffin.
Charlie Cole, a Plumber, Dr. Hunting.
Mr. Klawanger, a Manager, Mr. Crane.

This was a humorous skit and all were great in their make-ups and parts. Willie Crow, the boy wonder, was a wonder, for he was a six footer dressed as a little Lord Fauntleroy, with golden curls, knee pants and short stockings.

The endeavors of the various artists throughout the evening were rewarded with bouquets and hearty applause. Mullally's orchestra added to the pleasures of the show. Everyone pronounced it the best thing ever given by local talent in the city, and are hoping for a repetition at Music hall.

Donald Crane and Jack Pfaffmann manipulated the cards announcing the numbers on the program, and seemed to enjoy their part of the performance.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

The City Council.

Considerable new business came before the City Council at the meeting Monday evening, including an application for a druggist's license, and amendment to the Woodward ordinance, on both of which public hearings will be given.

Councilmen Gearwar, Hynes and Savage were absent.

DAMAGES WANTED.

Mrs. Barry of 170 Willard street sent a communication relative to damages to her fence. To joint Committee on Streets and Finance.

APPROPRIATION OVERRUN.

The City Auditor sent a communication relative to bills of the Fire Department of 1904 in excess of appropriations. Laid on the table until later when an order was offered transferring $579.82 from Miscellaneous Health, and $283.36 from Permanent Police, to Fire Department of 1904 was offered. To Finance Committee.

APPOINTMENTS.

The Mayor forwarded the appointment of Fred F. Green as a constable, Francis Abele, Jr., as inspector of animals, also a list of measurers of grain and weighers of coal, and Albert C. Hall as public weigher. Confirmed.

HIGH SCHOOL NEEDS.

The School Committee forwarded a communication calling attention to urgent need of additional accommodations at the High school, that 1000 pupils should be provided for, as well as laboratories, gymnasium, assembly hall and office for the school committee. Placed on file.

DRUGGIST LICENSE.

Councilman Bass presented a petition of C. C. Hearn, druggist, for license to sell liquor under the sixth class. Laid on the table until later, when an order was offered for a public hearing March 20.

WOODWARD FUND SALARIES

The directors of Woodward fund sent a petition for a change of the ordinance relating to salaries paid the treasurer, clerk and auditor of that fund, and asked for a public hearing. Laid on table until later when an order was offered for a public hearing March 20.

A petition was received for the acceptance of Glendale road between Whitwell and Dimmock streets. To Committee on Streets.

BRIDGE TRACKS.

The Old Colony Street railway petitioned for a double track location over the new bridge at Atlantic. To Committee on Streets.

PETITIONS.

The New England Telephone Co. petitioned for permission to attach wires to poles on Taylor and Squantum streets. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman McLane presented a petition for the acceptance of Holmes street. To Committee on Streets.

Several petitions for minor licenses were received and referred.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Streets reported on the following orders.

For a public hearing March 20 for location of poles on Park street.

Favorable on orders for attachment of wires to poles on Central avenue, Whitney road, North street; to second reading.

Favorable on order locating poles on Clive, Field, Hancock and Temple streets. To second reading.

For a public hearing, March 20, for attachment to poles in various streets.

POLICE ORDINANCE.

The joint Committee on Fire Department and Police reported an amendment to the ordinance concerning police. The amendment calls for an inspector with rank of lieutenant, two sergeants and eighteen policemen. To Finance Committee.

WATER LOAN.

The Committee on Water Supply reported an amendment to the order for $30,000 for extending the water service making the amount $25,000. To Finance Committee.

The Finance Committee reported favorable on the order for the Mayor to print the annual reports of 1904. Rules suspended and order passed.

The Committee on Ordinances reported favorable on orders granting the Telephone Co. permission to remove two poles on Temple street and relocation of poles on Elm and Water street. Passed.

SEWER CONNECTIONS.

Councilman Loud offered an order for $6,000 for house connections with the sewer. To Committee on Sewers and Drains.

STREET WATERING.

Councilman Gassett offered an order for $7,000 for street watering, from April 15 to Oct. 15. To Committee on Streets.

Orders were offered for lights on Squantum and Centre streets. To Street Committee.

SEA STREET.

Councilman Adams offered an order for $5,000 for macadamizing Sea street between Canal and Palmer streets. To Street Committee.

Councilman Adams offered an order that the City Solicitor render an opinion as to the legality of borrowing money and erecting a building or otherwise acting under the order for $65,000 for enlarging the High school.

Order rejected after a brief debate. President Nichols resigned the chair to Councilman Bass and spoke against the order.

Adjourned at 8.45 to meet March 20.

Daughters of the Revolution.

Monday was the annual meeting for the election of officers of Adams chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, and the members met at three o'clock at the birthplace of President John Adams. Interesting reports of the doings of the past year were read by the secretary, treasurer and historian, all showing considerable work done and financial prosperity.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Regent, Mrs. Nelson V. Titus; vice-regent, Miss Annie Lincoln Prescott; secretary, Mrs. Frank F. Prescott; treasurer, Mrs. William F. Porter; historian, Mrs. E. Granville Pratt; on the council with the officers, Mrs. Charles Belcher of Randolph, Mrs. F. Eugene Dyer and Mrs. Susan J. Wilde of South Braintree, Mrs. Frank Brewer and Miss Harriet B. Pierce of Quincy.

Tea and crackers were enjoyed informally at the close of the business meeting.

A fine oil painting of President John Adams was on exhibition, hoping it would be purchased by the chapter and hung in the old house. This picture is a copy of the famous Copley portrait, and was exhibited in the Massachusetts room of the New England building at the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo.

The chapter is much pleased with the idea of having the portrait at the John Adams birthplace and hope the Quincy people will assist them in securing it as the price asked is more than the chapter feels it can afford to give for it.

D. E. Wadsworth & Co., are having a spring sale of muslin underwear.

Shipbuilders' Club.

At the Shipbuilders' club, Quincy Point, each succeeding week brings additional success to the concerts held in the club headquarters. The growth of membership, too, is phenomenal, no less than one hundred members have been enrolled within the past four weeks, and the enthusiasm of the officers and members is quite in keeping with such extraordinary growth.

The head foremen of the works are also assisting the club in a thoroughly practical manner by defraying the cost of all refreshments, which make a pleasing aftermath to every concert held. W. S. Allen of Q department acted as host March 3d, and was voted hearty thanks for his generosity.

A vigorous effort is being made to secure club rooms more adapted to the requirements of the members and it is hoped that a substantial sum of money will accrue from the exhibition of the new steamer "Providence" which the management of the works, in conjunction with the Fall River Line officials have graciously decided to throw open to the general public on Sunday next, the 12th inst., between the hours of 10 and 4 P. M.

On March 3d, the club rooms were packed by an enthusiastic audience, the various contributors to an excellent programme being called upon for frequent encores.

Wendell Luce accompanied on the piano in a thoroughly accomplished manner, and Messrs. Enright, Hawkins, McBrayne, Dornan, Neil, Loftus, Pitts, Cook, Brien and Butler, rendered songs, etc. in a manner that left nothing to be desired.

The Rev. W. E. Gardner, one of the original promoters of the club, addressed the audience in a broad-minded manner upon club life and its influences for good, especially dwelling upon the temperance aspect. He pleaded strongly for every influence that would tend to elevate, instruct and amuse the members in their spare moments, and concluded with a fervent wish that the club might be the means of creating many sound friendships and much mutual good will and esteem amongst the members.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded the various contributors to the program. A general meeting will be convened at an early date to confirm the constitution and by-laws drawn by the committee, and to receive the treasurer's report of the progress of the club, financially and numerically.

Success to the Shipbuilders' club.

Women's Clubs.

"When you make up your war map of the city be sure that you put on it the woman's clubs," Rev. Caroline Bartlett Crane of Kalamazoo, Mich., told the members of the school of Philanthropy of the charity organization society at New York on Thursday, says the Globe. The war map is a sketch which Mrs. Crane makes when she is working out or illustrating any kind of civic problem. It is an outline of the place, showing the evils to be combatted, the saloons, the overflowing cellars and water contamination; penal institutions—what not; and with these the institutions to be utilized to fight the evils.

"Many of us do not take women's clubs seriously," she said. "I am not much of a clubwomen myself, but I am going to be more of one. The clubwoman as the woman of the well-to-do classes in the woman of leisure. Most of the women in our clubs are over 40: they have brought up their children and sent them into the world; they are in their second youth, with the ripe experience which makes them tender and sympathetic workers and good city housekeepers.

"It is in the federated bodies that the best work can be done. This is illustrated by a little organization of 20 women in my own Celery City. They were colored women and we had helped them in every way we could, but they could never seem to get along, and sometimes they would get mad and wouldn't play at all. Then we took them into the federation and they have done beautiful work.

"The Chicago Woman's club, the finest club, I know (I don't know your New York clubs,) have done a great deal of civic work. I went into the juvenile court in Chicago and saw many women around as a matter of course. Sitting back of Judge Mack was another woman to whom the judge turned continually to ask 'what would you do with this case or with that.' This was Mrs. Bass, wife of Judge Bass, who spends two days each week at the court as an assistant without pay."

A Big Blast.

The Long Cove granite quarry in St. George was the scene of a spectacular blast March 4, says a Rockland, Maine, dispatch to the Globe. Nearly 6000 pounds of powder were used and the shock was so great that 100,000 tons of granite were loosened beyond the necessity of further blasting.

Preparations for the giant blast have been in progress since Dec. 21. At the base of a granite cliff 70 feet high a tunnel was dug into the solid rock a distance of 65 feet. At right angles a tunnel 35 feet long was dug on one side and one 14 feet long on the other. At the end of each arm was constructed a chamber which was made thoroughly water tight after it had been loaded with powder.

When all was in readiness the magazines were connected with a battery several hundred feet beyond the edge of the cliff and among protecting trees. The button was pressed by Miss Jane Seavey, a niece of James Smith, superintendent of the quarry.

A deafening explosion followed. Small pieces of granite shot skyward hundreds of feet and the immense mass of granite was lifted slowly in the air to what seemed a distance of 10 feet and fell with a terrific crash.

As soon as the gases cleared away an examination of the bank was made. Fifty feet from the face of the cliff was a crack two feet wide extending lengthwise about 300 feet.

This enormous mass of stone thus separated was cracked and broken so that the quarrying of it now becomes comparatively easy.

When a similar blast was made seven years ago it furnished so much stone that no more powder was used for three years.

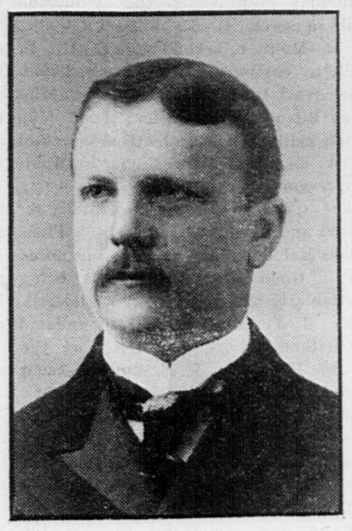
Trains Delayed.

All trains were considerably delayed on Saturday owing to a barge becoming stuck in the railroad draw at Neponset. It was between 9 and 10 o'clock when the draw was opened to allow the passage of the barge.

Before getting through it stuck. The tide was coming in at the time, and it was necessary to wait until high water. It was nearly noon before the obstruction was cleared.

Town Meetings.

Monday was town meeting day in Braintree and in spite of an ideal day only 849 ballots were cast, out of 1,400 voters. Last year 1,108 ballots were cast.


HERBERT F. KNEELAND.

J. Parker Hayward of East Braintree, who has served the town ten consecutive years as Selectmen, refused to run another year, and his chair is now filled by Henry M. Storm who defeated William Allen by 18 votes. Mr. Storm is also chairman of the Republican town committee.

The interest in the election was for school committee, the fight being made for Frank H. Palmer and Herbert F. Kneeland. The latter won 589 to 250.

The vote by precincts:

	Precinct			
	1	2	3	Total
TOWN CLERK.				
Henry A. Monk,	277	244	203	724
TOWN TREASURER.				
Benjamin F. Dyer,	289	245	201	735
SELECTMEN.				
William Allen,	122	141	122	385
R Allen Gage,	227	238	153	618
Paul Monaghan,	120	45	42	207
Henry M. Storm,	142	124	137	403
B. H Woodsum,	214	211	168	593
TREE WARDEN.				
E. E. Abercrombie,	252	287	174	713
WATER COMMISSIONER.				
John Kelley,	208	245	151	604
TRUSTEE OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.				
Wm. C. Harding,	234	219	170	623
Nathaniel H. Hunt,	242	221	163	626
AUDITORS.				
Nathaniel F. Hunt,	238	236	173	647
Alva S. Morrison,	235	228	168	628
Daniel Potter,	247	228	170	645
SCHOOL COMMITTEE.				
H. F. Kneeland,	253	180	156	589
Carrie F. Loring,	208	182	122	512
Frank H. Palmer,	54	106	90	250
BOARD OF HEALTH. For 3 years.				
Henry L. Dearing.	243	219	163	625
FENCE VIEWERS.				
C. S. Hannaford,	211	203	154	568
Alverdo H. Mason,	224	207	177	608
George E. Sampson,	234	211	160	605
COLLECTOR OF TAXES.				
Frank A. Smith,	259	237	185	681
CONSTABLES.				
Peter J. Donahue,	203	174	140	517
Henry Dugan, Jr.,	205	183	154	542
J. F. Gallivan,	205	194	138	537
Charles A. Hobart,	209	178	133	520
Horace F. Hunt,	234	194	143	570
John Kelley,	209	182	135	526
James H. King,	199	179	132	510
Michael Levangie,	201	166	115	482
Amos J. Loring,	209	175	153	537
Benj J. Loring,	210	177	135	522
Wm. E. Maybury,	216	190	150	555
Conrad Mischler.	208	188	133	529
Joseph F. Mohan,	198	180	118	496
Thomas Slavin,	204	175	128	507
F. O. Whitmarsh,	217	192	169	578
LICENSE QUESTION.				
Yes,	102	52	81	235
No,	179	193	120	492

The election in Milton was the quietest for years, resulting in the choice of of the following:

Selectmen, Jesse B. Baxter, John F. Brown, Maurice A. Duffy.

Town Clerk, Henry B. Martin.

Assessor, George W. Nickerson.

Town Treasurer, J. Porter Holmes.

School Committee, George Y. Badger, Hester Cunningham.

Collector of Taxes, John H. Emerson.

Auditors, George A. Fletcher, Leonard E. Littlefield.

Park Commissioner, Horatio A. Lamb.

Sewer Commissioner, James H. Perkins.

Water Commissioner, Thomas B. Gordon.

Board of Health, M. Vassar Pierce.

Constables, P. Bronsdon, E. L. Crossman, Fred M. Farrington, Edwin A. Houghton, Herbert R. Lawrence, Jacob S. Lincoln, T. McDermott, Peter McIntyre, Maurice Pierce, Henry C. Shields, Duncan B. Walker, James Wigley.

Trustees of Public Library, A. L. Hollingsworth, Roderick Stebbins, Arthur H. Tucker.

Trustee of Cemetery, C. Minot Weld.

Tree Warden, N. T. Kidder.

Overseer of Poor, Malbon G. Richardson.

The contests were limited to two, that of auditor and Board of Health. There were four candidates for auditor, Austin W. Greene and Henry H. Barnes being the unsuccessful ones.

For member of the Board of Health M. Vassar Pierce had an easy victory over Dr. P. K. Brown. The town passed resolutions to the memory of Col. Henry S. Russell, who had filled many town offices.

The chief appropriations were schools, $67,600; fire department, $21,700; police, $23,765.

The following town officers were elected in Weymouth:

Clerk John A. Raymond.

Treasures, John H. Stetson.

Selectmen and overseers of poor, Bradford Hawes, George L. Newton, Gordon Willis, Edward W. Hunt, Robert McIntosh.

Assessors, John W. Bates, Francis H. Conway, Gilman B. Loud, George L. Newton, George Torrey.

Water Commissioner, Wendall Clapp, Jr.

School Committee, Mary E. Holbrook Joseph Cushing.

Commissioner of high school sinking fund bonds, Augustus J. Richards.

Auditors, Walter L. Bates, John P. Hunt, Charles A. Loud.

Collector, Willard J. Dunbar.

Park commissioner, Louis A. Cook.

Trustees of Tufts Library, Herbert H. Newton, Preston Pratt, Augustus J. Richards.

License—Yes 521, no 810.

Holbrook elected the following town officers:

Clerk,—Louis E. Flye.

Treasurer,—George F. French.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor,—Frederick W. Whitcomb, William B. Emery, A. Clifford.

School Committee three years,—Franklin H. Merriam.

Water Commission for three years,—Franklin G. Morse.

Auditors,—John A. Holbrook, Charles H. McCarter, Frank T. White.

Board of Health three years,—R. Browning Wilson.

Library trustee three years,—Lewis Alden.

Fence viewers,—Lewis F. Belcher, Zavaan P. Jordan, Thomas H. West.

Tree warden,—William Hayden.

Constables,—Charles H. Bussell, Walter O. Crooker, Henry G. Davis, George E. Easton, George A. Nason, Peter L. Vincent, Charles W. Wilde.

License,—Yes 116, no 211. Last year,—Yes 100, no 180.

These town officers were elected at Randolph:

Clerk and Treasurer, Joseph T. Leahy.

Selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor, John E. McDonald, Chas. H. Thayer, Winthrop B. Atherton.

School committee for three years, Edward Long.

Trustee, Stetson.

High school fund for three years, Edward Long.

Water commissioner for three years, James B. McDonald.

Auditors, Michael F. Cunningham, William H. Leavitt, John B. Wren.

Tax collector, Arthur W. Alden.

Licence—Yes 369, no 396. Last year—Yes 381, no 417.

A committee was appointed to bring in a list of recommendations on appropriations at an adjourned meeting Monday evening, March 20.

License Vote.

	Yes	No
Braintree	216	491
Weymouth	521	810
Hyde Park	633	1158
Hingham	20	167
Hull	113	11
Scituate	233	229
Cohasset	233	176
Abington	220	418
Dedham	311	849
Holbrook	116	211
Medway	278	223
Mills	90	45
Norwell	71	153
Needham	176	342
Norwood	266	546
Stoughton	340	547
Sharon	66	156
Westwood	25	76
Bridgewater	78	265
Canton	202	467
Foxboro	75	112
Franklin	290	366
Randolph	381	417

Tisdale Stable Burned

The fire department was called out at 5.10 Sunday morning by an alarm from Box 72 for a stubborn fire in the Tisdale stable on Washington street, Quincy, Point. The building is occupied in part by Mrs. Tisdale as a stable and the easterly end by Cain & Murphy, as a bowling alley.

The fire evidently started in a room over the street end of the bowling alleys. It was discovered by people living in the house of Thomas F. Merrill, which is situated but a few feet away. The flames were coming through the roof at that time and blazing fiercely.

The neighborhood was quickly aroused and gave their first attention to removing the horses and carriages in the stable. These were all removed in safety.

When the fire department arrived, in response to an alarm from Box 72, it looked as though the entire building was doomed. The Merrill house adjoining had also taken fire from the heat. One stream of water was immediately directed onto the house and kept it wet down while other streams were directed onto the main fire.

The building besides being an old one was well seasoned and dry and burned like tinder. The flames, however, could not withstand the powerful streams of water turned onto it and gradually gave way to its natural enemy.

The fire itself did not work down into the bowling alleys except on the street end and not much there. No fire reached the three alleys although they were wet down. Just how much they were damaged is not known. The fire did not reach the stable and when the fire was out the horses were taken back.

Chief Williams estimates the loss at $2500. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Mr. Cain, who with Mr. Murphy runs the bowling alley, was the first man to enter the building after the fire was discovered, and came near losing his life by being overcome by smoke. He was found on his hands and knees by Herbert Griffin of the Central station apparatus who had entered the building with a lantern. Cain was almost overcome by smoke.

Chief of Police Burrell, who was near at hand, found the electric light switch and turned on the lights. Cain was hastily taken into the air where he soon revived.

After the fire was out an electric push button was found hidden. Behind the walls there were a number of wires running to the button and the whole thing looked like an electric signal system.

The police raided these premises some time ago in search of liquors but found none. When the signal wires were found the police did not wonder thereat.

☞Has a man real patriotism when he constantly does the things that tend to weaken the nation he claims to love? Our fathers had patriotism when they denied themselves for the sake of a national principle. They had patriotism when they sacrificed themselves in the great epochs of our past history. But it looks sometimes as if we of today had forgetten the very existence of our nation, or else persuaded ourselves that our acts have nothing to do with its welfare.—Columbia (S. C.) State.

☞Dr. Ossler will never make a fortune selling age retirement chloroform packages.—New York Tribune.

Anecdotes.

Young Mother.—"What will you charge for a photograph of our little boy?"

Photographer.—"Three dollars, madam,—but it will be considerably cheaper for a dozen."

Young Mother.—"A dozen! Oh, no, we can't wait so long."—September Lippincott's.

Vandam.—"Look here, waiter, what is this—ah—very peculiar entree?"

Hamgon.—"Extray, sah. Dats an extray. We alluz hab stewed tripe on Thursday."

Bootblack Billy.—Would it hurt yer feelin's if I called ye a liar?

Ned the Newsy.—Naw; it would hurt me knuckles.

Rev. Mr. Gassaway.—What did you think of my sermon?

Snappe.—Most appropriate sermon for Lent I ever heard. There wasn't any meat in it.—Philadelphia Press.

Mr. Fondpar.—"Tell the doctor to come to my house immediately. My wife doesn't quite like the baby's looks."

Norah.—"He's out, sure, but don't yez worry—the homeliest babies sometimes grow up quite good looking."

Household Receipts.

Creamed Chicken. One pint of cream sauce, one pint of cold chicken, cut in fine pieces, and highly seasoned with salt, pepper and celery salt. For a variety add also one-half pint of raw oysters (small), and cook until oysters are frilled at the edges.

Olive and Egg Salad. Remove the shells from the number of hard boiled eggs desired, and beginning at the small end, cut the whites, almost to the base, into fifths lengthwise, removing the yolks. Turn back the petals thus formed so that they will curl prettily, and tint them a delicate pink with beet juice. Mash the yolks to a smooth cream, add chopped olives—half a cup to half a dozen eggs—and a teaspoon of paprika. Mould again into balls, return to the tinted petals, prick with a fork to roughen the surface, and place on each a tablespoon of mayonnaise. Set each in a nest of fringed endive. This is especially artistic, resembling pink blossoms with golden hearts.

French Toast. Beat one egg in a shallow dish, add a teaspoon of sugar, a pinch of salt and one cup of milk. Soak six slices of stale bread in the custard. Drain and brown them on each side on a well buttered griddle. Spread them with jelly or marmalade, and pile them lightly on a dish. Serve at once.

Ginger Cookies. One-half cup sugar, one cup molasses, one-half cup butter, one-half cup milk, one egg, one teaspoonful soda, one-half tablespoonful ginger, one-half tablespoonful cinnamon, flour to roll.

Spanish Sandwiches. Bone twelve oil-preserved anchovies, and cut into strips about an inch long. Make into a paste with one ounce of capers and a sprig of parsley; add a dash of paprika, half a teaspoonful of mixed mustard, one table-spoonful of tarragon vinegar, one table-spoonfull of oil, the yolks of two hard-boiled eggs and salt. Mix smooth; chop the whites of the eggs. Butter thin slices of bread, and spread with the paste; sprinkle over them the chopped whites. Trim, and tie with narrow ribbons.

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The purpose of the society is to discourage buying and wearing for ornamental purposes the feathers of any wild bird, and to otherwise further the protection of our native birds.

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Further information relating to the society will be given on application to the Secretary, to whom also requests should be made for the various pamphlets and circulars prepared for free distribution, also for the purchase of the Audubon calendars and bird charts published by the society.

All donations and subscription fees for the society should be sent to the Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Harriet E. Richards, care of Natural History Society, Boston.

The Cake He Wanted.

"I'm going to get married," he said, as he placed a hand as large as a Dutch cheese upon the counter, "And I want a wedding cake."

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What is your calling please?"

"I'm a pugilist!"

"Then you'll want a pound cake."

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Harlow H. Rogers to John D. Clapp
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Margaret A. Fleming to Levi B. Fickett, $950.
Charles C. Barton, et. al., trustees, to Julia C. Murphy.
Franklin J. Perry to Sidney F. Copeland, et. al.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Park Theatre.

The eminent English comedian, Charles Hawtrey will be seen at the Park Theatre Boston, for two weeks only, beginning March 13. Two years ago Mr. Hawtrey achieved a phenomenal success with this comedy at the Boston Museum, where it was played for seven weeks to audiences that taxed the capacity of that historic playhouse. Its success here has been followed by two runs in New York which together with its first season in that city make a record of over 325 performances In all, Mr. Hawtrey has acted the part of the hero, Horace Parker more than 1400 times, and the play has been presented in every English-speaking country. The piece starts in briskly and runs along swiftly and smoothly to the end. It constantly keeps the attention and it has the great merit of teaching its morality in a comdey vein. It has little of the melodramatic about it; that which might perhaps at first be considered of this quality is really of a spectacular sort. "A Message from Mars" is certainly unique. Mechanical device are admirably used to point the moral and adorn the tale. The dialogue is of the brightest, snappiest sort, with many a delightful turn and twist. Matinees on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Castle Square Theatre.

The announcement of a revival of Boucicault's famous Irish play "The Colleen Bawn" at the Castle Square theatre next week will be pleasant news for the patrons of this play house. The rare skill of Boucicault in showing the characteristics of the Irish peasantry finds a brilliant example in this interesting drama and the love story it tells is as attractive today as when it was a novelty to play goers of a generation ago. "The Colleen Bawn" is announced for only one week, with the usual free distribution of souvenir boxes of chocolate bonbons at the Monday matinee and on Monday, March 20th the Castle Square company of players will be seen in one of the most elaborate productions of "Romeo and Juliet" seen here in recent years.

☞This subject of manual training is of vital importance. It is certain to come to pass, not in one city or two, but in every city or town. It is making wonderful strides in Germany today and also in France. The United States, I believe, as a nation is behind both of those leading European countries. We should awaken to its importance here in Cincinnati and be right at the head of the procession.—Cincinnati Tribune.

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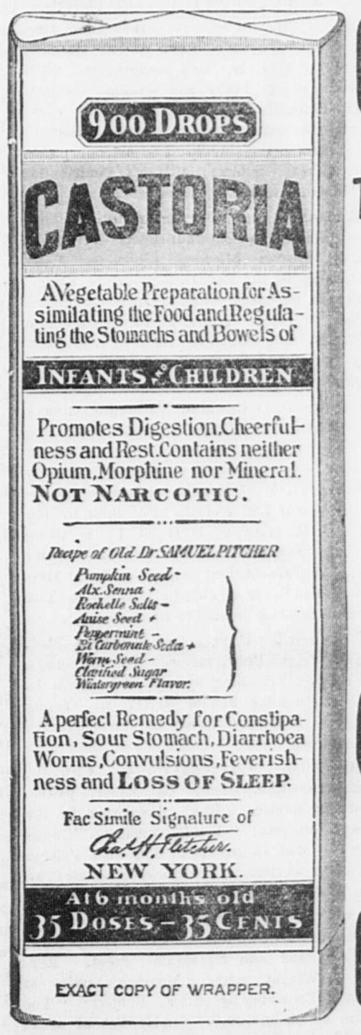
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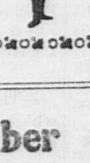

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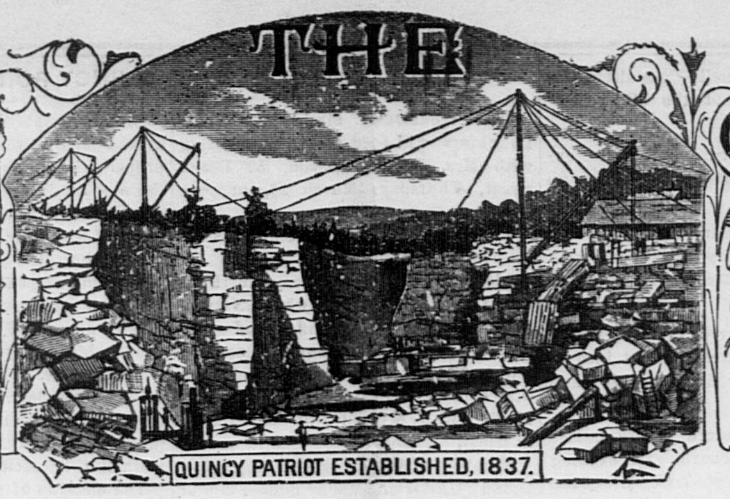
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Cash Assets - - - - -	507,409 00
Deposit Notes - - - - -	627,581.17
Available Assets - - -	1,134,990.24
Total Liabilities - - - -	338 543.29
Cash Surplus - - - - -	168 865.78
Gain in Surplus in 1904 - -	7,458.47
Gain in Assets in 1904 - -	37,012.93
Losses paid in 1904 - - -	103,055 43
Dividends paid in 1904 - - -	68,294 25
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Amount at Risk,	$24,627,979.48
Cash Assets,	668,766.38
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	193,222.23
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$475,544.15
Contingent Assets,	352,120.59
Total Available Assets,	1,020,886.97
Gain in Surplus,	17,211.34

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Cash Assets,	169,173.07
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	62.518.78
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$106,654.29
Contingent Assets,	111,131.71
Total Available Assets,	280,304.78
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Reserve for Other Claims,	295,725.22
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  But doesn't think, and so
A lot of aches and sorrows fall
  To people here below.

He goes and comes and comes and goes,
  Ignoring ills the rest
Must suffer, thinking that his woes
  Should rend his neighbor's breast;
He wants all other men to act
  According to his plan,
While he proceeds to please himself,
  And thats your average man.

Miscellany.

STEALING A MARCH.

Arthur Corson looked at the clock. It lacked five minutes of five. He frowned and turned toward the office door for the twentieth time. He was nervous and fidgety. He even went to the outer office and looked up the street. But he failed to see his father's stout figure. Could an accident have disabled him?

A boy touched his arm.

“Are you Arthur Corson?”

“Yes. What is it?”

“Gentleman gave me a note for you.”

Arthur took the envelope.

“Where is he?”

“I dunno. He gave it to me an hour ago, an' said you wasn't to get it before 5 o'clock. Any answer?”

Arthur shook his head and the boy slouched away.

“Don't wait for me. Important engagement. See you later. R. C.”

That was the message that Arthur muttered aloud as he glanced the slip of paper through the second time.

He bit his lips. He felt provoked. He felt hurt. His father had promised he would call on Mary Merwin. It was a promise grudgingly given, and yet Richard Corson was a man of his word.

“We will take the five o'clock suburban car,” Arthur had said when the somewhat strained interview drew to a close.

And his father had muttered something that had sounded like assent, and had taken his hat and gone out. It was 3 o'clock as the door closed behind him, and Arthur had been watching for his return ever since.

It had been a hard afternoon for the young man. He had mustered up all his courage and told his father about Mary.

He had broken the news to him as gently as possible, but he could see that it was a profound surprise.

“Who is she?” the old man presently asked.

“She is the daughter of a widow,” the boy replied, “They live the second house beyond the toll gate on the Freeport pike. They have a small farm there.”

“Who was her father?”

“He was a teacher in the Freeport High School. He died several years ago.”

“Poor?”

“Yes. They have the farm and a little income from rents. They live comfortably by managing carefully. The mother is not strong.”

“What's the girl's name?”

“Merwin, Mary Merwin.”

There was a brief silence.

“I don't know any Merwins,” said the old man.

“You won't care to know any other Merwins when you know Mary,” said the boy.

The old man drew down his heavy eyebrows.

“Let's look into this,” he said in his serious way: Here's a girl who captivates my very susceptible son—my only son and heir.”

The young man raised his head in protest.

“Wait, father,” he cried.

But the old man waved his interruption aside.

“It is easy to fall in love with the only heir of a rich old father,” he went on. “That's no trick at all. More especially when he's a susceptible lad likely to lose his head over the the first pink-and-white face he sees.”

Arthur flushed angrily.

“You wrong me, father,” he said. “And what is worse, you wrong Mary. She has no idea that I am your son.”

“Eh!” cried the old man. Not ashamed of your old father, are you?”

“You know I'm not. But something impelled me to say nothing of our relationship.”

“Wanted to be loved for yourself alone, eh?”

“Something of that sort,” the boy replied.

“But you didn't introduce yourself by a false name?”

“No, father. But Mary would never think of connecting the millionaire with plain Arthur Corson. She believes I am an office clerk on $1,000 a year.”

“Are you quite sure of that?”

“Quite sure, father.”

The old man shook his head.

“What a chance a poor girl would think it if she could lasso a son of a millionaire,” he growled. “She'd dream of castles and yachts and jewels by the peck.”

“Wait, father,” he cried. “You don't know Mary. If you did you wouldn't say such unkind things. I tell you that she doesn't have the slightest idea that I am a rich man's son.”

“Haven't you told her that you have a father?”

“Yes,” the young man replied, “I have told her. I said that you were in business in the city. I told her, too, what a good father you had always been—at least as far as you could afford to be.”

“What's that?” cried the old man. “You must have buttered me thick. And what next?”

“I told her that I would bring you out to see her, and that I was quite sure you would be pleased with her.”

“Oh, you did, eh? You take a great deal for granted, young man.” He paused suddenly and leaned forward. “See here, my lad, aren't you making a big mistake?”

“A mistake, father?”

“Yes, a mistake. A mistake in not looking higher? You mention any girl you fancy, and if you can persuade her to marry you I'll promise to do the rest. There's Eckerstrom's daughter. What do you think of her?”

“I do not think of her, father.”

“She's proud, my boy, and she's beautiful. You'd be well matched. That aristocratic mother might think we were not good enough to harmonize with her airy notions, but I think just one interview with Papa Eckerstrom would bring her to terms. And your father, my boy, would furnish him with all the convincing arguments that could be needed.” And he laughed softly.

“But, father,” cried the young man, “I have no desire for a fashionable bride.”

“Haven't you any ambition to rise, my lad?”

“Not in that way, father.” The boy looked at the old man appealingly. “Before we say any more I want you to promise me that you will see Mary.”

The old man hesitated. Then nodded.

“Well, I'll promise,” he said.

“Thank you,” cried Arthur. “We will take the 5 o'clock suburban car, if that suits you.”

And he had fancied the old man had grumbled an assent as he took his hat and started out.

And now he had failed to come.

“I'm afraid he's planning some move that will take me away from Mary,” he muttered. “But it will not work.” He took his hat. “Mary expects me this evening,” he said. “I must catch the 5.30 car without fail.”

He paused at the outer office.

“Mr. Branksome,” he said to the chief accountant, “please tell my father when he comes that I waited for him until after 5.”

Out at the second cottage beyond the old toll gate on the Freeport Road the slender young daughter of the house was busy with her household duties, quite unconscious of the fact that in one of the big offices in the big city, whose smoke clouded the sky, but a few miles away, she was the subject of a very earnest dialogue between two men when each bore the name of Corson, a name that had become very dear to her. She expected Arthur Corson to tea, and she was deftly preparing for his visit, faithfully abetted by her nimble maid-of-all work. She was still busy with this labor of love when the door bell rang. She looked at the clock. It was just 5. That was too early for Arthur.

A middle aged man of stout build, with a somewhat red face and keen gray eyes, confronted her on the doorstep.

“Is this Miss Mary Merwin?” he demanded.

“Yes, sir,” she replied, and the man raised his hat.

“I'm afraid you do not see the resemblance,” he said.

“What resemblance, sir?”

“What resemblance! Why, the shape of the head, the curve of the nose, the firmness of the mouth.”

“I'm sorry, but I do not understand you, sir.”

“I see you don't. I'm Arthur Corson's father.”

Mary blushed prettily.

“Come in sir,” she urged; “and pray pardon me for keeping you waiting on the doorstep. Of course, I had no idea you were Arthur's father.” And she drew up the easiest chair for him.

He looked at her keenly. Then he stared around the room.

“You must excuse me if I keep my eyes wide open,” he said. “I'm here on a sort of inspection trip, you understand.

“I'm very glad you have come,” said Mary with another quick blush. “Arthur said he would bring you.

“Preferred to come alone,” said the stout man, and his busy eyes turned again to the girl. “Arthur says he wants to marry you. He asked my consent. I have not given it yet. I wanted to see you first. I wanted to know just where I'm going to stand in this deal.”

The girl looked at him with a puzzled expression.

“Will you please explain?” she said.

The stout man drew his chair a little nearer.

“Arthur hasn't told you much about me, has he?”

“Very little.”

“I don't blame him. He probably said I was in business in the city. Well it's a sort of business, but the business fact is that I need Arthur's help. He has helped me ever since he came out of school. He's a good boy, and I don't think he'd turn his old father adrift. But I want to know where I stand.”

He waited as if he expected a reply from the girl.

“Arthur has never mentioned you save in terms of respect and affection,” she said. “Whatever good fortune may come to us, I am quite sure that it will be shared with you.”

The stout man looked relieved.

“And you will give me a home and make me welcome?” he said.

Mary smiled and nodded.

“You may not know that I'm not the pleasantest old fellow in the world by a good deal,” the stout man remarked. “I'm nervous and fretful and awfully fault-finding. I have my little extravagant failings, too, and they'll use up your pin money pretty fast. Better think it over.”

Mary rose and came forward and gave him her hand.

“We will share our little together,” she said.

“Good,” said the stout man and smiled again. “I think that seems to settle it, as far as I am concerned.”

“And of course you will stay to supper.”

“Of course. I make it a point of never refusing an invitation to eat.”

Mary drew back and made him a little courtesy.

“Then I must ask you,” she said, “to excuse me while I look after the supper details. You must excuse the non-appearance of my mother, too. She is away on a brief visit to friends. Make yourself comfortable, sir, until I return.”

The stout man looked after her trim figure and slowly smiled. When he looked around the room, it seemed to be full of her. Her deft fingers had touched this and arranged that, her good taste was everywhere displayed, her gentle voice echoed from the walls. He leaned back in the easy chair and enjoyed the quiet restfulness of his surroundings. And pretty soon he caught himself nodding, at which he straightened up suddenly. A moment later he was nodding again.

The clatter of the door-bell aroused him. He heard the swish of skirts. That was Mary hurrying through the hall. The door was opened and in came Master Arthur.

He gave a little start.

“Well, dad!”

“Well, boy?”

“Stole a march on me, dad?”

“Yes, boy.”

Arthur turned to the girl. His eyes sparkled.

“He's not to escape, you know, until we get his consent.”

“Oh, he's given it,” cried Mary. “And he's coming to live with us.”

Arthur looked at his father and slowly smiled, whereat the old man suddenly frowned.

“Did you promise him he could live with us?”

“Yes, Arthur.”

“Withdraw the promise at once.”

“Oh, Arthur! Remember, he is your father.”

“Of course I can't help remembering it. But that is no reason why he should come and live with us. No indeed. Instead of his coming to live with us, we will go and live with him.”

“Arthur!”

“Mary Merwin,” cried the young man, “I have deceived you. We are a deceiving pair. Wait, father. You'll get your chance later. Yes, Mary, we both confess and we feel quite sure you will forgive us. I begin to see how father here has worked upon your sympathies. Live with us, indeed! Why, he has a house big enough for a dozen couples of our size!”

“Arthur!” cried Mary, and she laid her hand on his arm, and then she looked toward the stout man, and he was smiling at them in a most amused manner.

“Ah!” cried Arthur, “do you make a jest of this, yes? Then I'll expose you to the uttermost degree. Mary, dear, have you ever read or heard of Richard Corson—same family name as mine, you know? Did you ever hear of him?”

“Why, yes,” said the wondering girl, “he's the great capitalist and railway man and mine owner, isn't he?”

“Yes,” replied Arthur, “he's all that and a great deal more.”

But why did you ask me if I ever heard of him?”

“Because,” Arthur slowly replied, “there's the guilty man himself, right there!”

A little later, when they were passing into the dining-room, the hands of the two men met in a firm clasp.

And the older man nodded approvingly to the younger.

And the younger man smilingly nodded back.—W. B. Rose.

A Children's Garden.

We want every school child in the state to grow a few plants this summer. We want every one of them to learn something of why and how plants grow, and the best and surest way to learn is to grow the plants and to watch them carefully. We want every one to become interested in everything that lives and grows. It does not matter so very much just what kind of plants one grows, as it does that he grows something, and grows it the best that he knows how. We want the children to grow these plants for the love of it—that is, for the fun of it.

Now, we must not try to grow too many things or to do too much. Therefore, we propose that you grow sweet peas and China asters. They are both easy to grow, and the seeds are cheap. Each one has many colors, and everybody likes them. Now let us tell you just how we would grow them.

1. The place.—Never put them—or any other flowers—in the middle of the lawn—that is, not out in the centre of the yard. They do not look well there, and the grass roots run under them and steal the food and moisture. I am sure that you would not like to see a picture hung up on a fence post. It has no background and it looks out of place. The picture does not mean anything when hung in such a spot. In the same way, a flower bed does not mean anything when set in the centre of the lawn. We must have a background for it, if possible—a wall upon which to hang it. So we will put the flower bed just in front of some bushes or near the back fence, or along the walk at the side of the house, or in the back yard. The flowers will not only look better in such places, but it will not matter so much if we make a failure of our flower bed.

2. How to Make the Bed.—Spade the ground up deep. Take out all the roots of docks and thistles and other weeds. Shake the dirt all out of the sods and throw the grass away. You may need a little manure in the soil, especially if the land is either very hard or very loose and saudy. But the manure must be very fine and well mixed into the soil. It is easy, however, to make sweet pea soil so rich that the plants will run to vine and not bloom well.

Make the bed long and narrow, but not narrower than three feet. If it is narrower than this the grass roots will be apt to run under it and suck up the moisture. If the bed can be got at on both sides, it may be as wide as five feet.

Sow the seeds in little rows crosswise the bed. The plants can then be weeded and hoed easily from either side. If the rows are marked by little sticks, or if a strong mark is left in the earth, you can break the crust between the rows (with a rake) before the plants are up. The rows ought to be four or five inches further apart than the width of a narrow rake.

3. How to Water the Plants.—I wonder if you have a watering-pot? If you have, put it where you cannot find it, for we are going to water this garden with a rake! We want you to learn, in this little garden, the first great lesson in farming—how to save the water in the soil. If you learn that much this summer you will know more than many old farmers do. You know that the soil is moist in the spring when you plant the seeds. Where does this moisture go? It dries up—goes off into the air. If we could cover up the soil with something we should prevent the moisture from drying up. Let us cover it with a layer of loose, dry earth! We will make this covering by raking the bed every few days—once every week anyway, and oftener than that if the top of the soil becomes hard and crusty, as it does after a rain. Instead of pouring water on the bed, therefore, we will keep the moisture in the bed.

If, however, the soil becomes so dry in spite of you that the plants do not thrive, then water the bed. Do not sprinkle it, but water it. Wet it clear through at evening. Then in the morning, when the surface begins to get dry, begin the raking again to keep the water from getting away. Sprinkling the plants every day or two is one of the surest ways to spoil them.

4. When and How to Sow.—The sweet peas should be put in just as soon as the ground can be dug, even before frosts are passed. Yet good results can be had if the seeds are put in as late as the tenth of May. The blooming can be much prolonged if the flowers are cut as soon as they begin to fade.

Plant sweet peas deep—two or three or sometimes even four inches. When the plants are a few inches high, pull out a part of them so that they will not stand nearer together than six inches in the row. It is a good plan to sow sweet peas in double rows—that is, put two rows only five or six inches apart—and stick the brush or place the chicken-wire support between them.

China asters may be sown from the middle of May to the first of June. The China asters are autumn flowers, and they should be in their prime in September and early October.

Sow the aster seeds shallow—not more than a half-inch deep. The tall kinds of asters should have at least a foot between the plants in the row, and the dwarf kinds six to eight inches.

5. What Varieties to Choose.—In the first place, do not plant too much. A garden which looks very small when the pussy-willows come out and the frogs begin to peep is pretty big in the hot days of July. A garden four feet wide and twenty feet long, half sweet peas and half asters, is about as big as most boys and girls will take care of.

In the next place, do not get too many varieties. Four or five kinds each of peas and asters will be enough. Buy the named varieties—that is, those of known colors—not the mixed packets. If you are very fond of reds, then choose the reddest kinds; but it is well to put in at least three colors. The varieties which please you may not please me or your neighbor, so that I cannot advise you what to get, but I will give some lists which may help you.

Dark purple—Waverly, Duke of Clarence.

Striped purple—Gray Friar, Juanita, Senator.

Lavender—Countess of Radnor, Dorothy Tennant, Lottie Eckford.

White—The Bride, Emily Henderson, Queen of England, Alba Magnifica.

Primrose—Mrs. Eckford.

White flushed with pink—Blushing Beauty, Katherine Tracy, Eliza Eckford.

Striped or flaked pink—Ramona, Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain.

Orange-pink—Lady Penzance, Meteor.

Rose-pink shaded with orange—Firefly, Princess Victoria.

Of China asters, the Comet type—in various colors—will probably give the most satisfaction. They are mostly large-growing kinds. Other excellent kinds are the Perfection and Peony-flowered, Semple or Branching, Chrysanthemum flowered, Washington, Victoria, and for early, Queen of the Market. Odd varities are Crown, German Quilled, Victoria Needle and Lilliput. Very dwarf kinds are Dwarf Bouquet or Dwarf German and Shakspere.—New York Education.

College Girls and Marriage.

There is undoubtedly much to be said in favor of college education for women, but there is also something to be said against it.

Very indirectly, of course, but not the less surely, higher education for women is a blow at the home. The college girl for four years has a mighty pretty time of it. In girls' colleges or coeducational institutions she is a young queen. The institution is managed solely in her interest; she is a great factor in its social life. Is it any wonder that she gets a high idea of herself and her mission to the world?

In college she meets the best minds of to-day and of the old days. She hobnobs familiarly with Horace; she is taught that Macauley was a poor chap when it came to writing and thinking. She could show Shelley his mistakes as a poet, and can tell why Froude should not be taken too seriously as a historian. Is it any wonder that she gets a high opinion of herself? Is it any wonder that she has no very correct conception of value?

Shall she, one of the elect, marry a plain man who has never read “Quis multa gracilis?” Shall she, this young Diana-Minerva, go into retirement and teach an ordinary baby to say “boo?” Can one blame her very much if, with her ideas, she hangs back? And that she does hang back statistics and your own experience will prove to you.

Practice Economy.

We recall a needy family that once came into the unexpected possession of a ten-dollar bill. It needed groceries, coal and other such things more than anything else; and yet it spent the greater part of the money on getting its pictures taken! That is the reductio ad absurdum of what Lowell is pretty apt to do whenever the chance arises. We spend too much money for what we can obviously get along without just as well. Some few functions we can hardly cut down on at all, in the nature of things. In some lines we must even spend more than before, because of the natural growth of the city and the greater needs of the people. But some things, if given up for a year, we should not miss in proportion to what we should gain in economy.—Lowell Citizen.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, March 11, 1905.

The Santo Domingo treaty with its amendments was presented to the Senate yesterday by the foreign relations committee and the struggle for its ratification will now begin. The treaty in its amended form would scarcely be recommended by its author but the committee is highly pleased with its work of revising and amending the measure. It appears now that the Republicans will vote almost solidly for the amended treaty and the effort now will be to get enough Democratic votes to make a two-thirds majority. Fifty-eight votes are required to ratify the treaty and as the Senate stands now there are fifty-six Republicans and thirty-one Democrats and vacancies in several of the states.

It is said that the President is pleased with the treaty as it has been amended and that in reality it coincides with his views better than the original which caused all the embarrassment. As it happened when the treaty was prepared Mr. Hay the Secretary of State and one of the most successful and thoroughly accomplished of diplomatists was ill and away from the State Department. An Assistant Secretary who has had a necessarily limited experience in treaty work prepared the treaty and sent it to the President, who in the rush of work merely glanced at it before signing it and forwarding it to the Senate. That careful body on examining it found its weaknesses and the treaty as it now reads stands for the very things that the President desired but failed to get in the original.

There is but one Senator each to three States now represented in the Senate. These lame states are Delaware, Missouri and Wisconsin. In the two former there are deadlocks in the legislatures and Governor LaFollette of Wisconsin has not yet qualified. It is not likely that he will take his seat in the Senate during this extra session and it is probable that he will continue as Governor until the next session of Congress.

The triennial convention of the Congress of Mothers is now in session in Washington and twenty states are represented by the national delegates. Since its last meeting here the society has more than doubled in number and strength and an interesting program for the entertainment and instruction of the delegates and visitors has been arranged. President Roosevelt will speak to Congress one evening next week taking for his subject race suicide. Prof. Stanley Hall, author of the now famous work, “Adolescence” will also deliver an address and there are a number of other speakers of National reputation as educators and charitable work whose names are on the program. There will be a model kindergarten and nursery, the latter under the supervision of Mrs. DuBois, wife of Senator DuBois of Idaho. Mrs. Roosevelt has arranged a reception for the delegates and they will be entertained by other prominent ladies of the Capital.

Ambassador White in a lecture at the National Museum last night made some suggestions for the reform of the diplomatic service which everyone interested in the service must agree are worthy of adoption. He recommended especially that the United States should own its legation buildings in all the capitals to which we send envoys and in support of his suggestion instanced the situation in Constantinople where, although we are under the necessity of protecting the lives of citizens and missionaries on occasions the legation building is unsafe and is openly ridiculed by the natives on account of its mean appearance and surroundings. He also recommended that the salary of the Ambassadors should be raised to $25,000 and other grades in the service proportionately.

Rumors of the engagement of Miss Alice Roosevelt, eldest daughter of the President and one of the richest young men in the country are again rife. Toward the end of last season it was said that these two would undoubtedly be married in the White House before the inauguration but a coolness sprung up between Miss Roosevelt and the young man and the report was denied. Of late however, the invitation lists which have been submitted to Miss Roosevelt and which have contained his name have been returned unscratched and a White House wedding next winter may be the result. The first Presidential wedding which took place in the White House and the only one was that of President Cleveland and Frances Folsom and the only wedding of a President's daughter was that of Nellie Grant to Captain Sartoris during President Grant's administration. Miss Roosevelt is soon to be a bridesmaid for the ninth time and it is not unlikely she may anticipate the change of being the bride herself.

The Postoffice department was formally handed over to Mr. Cortelyou this week and yesterday he made a short address of welcome to his associates and clerks. He will have under him a working force of 267,000 men and women and with special employees about 300,000. He will supervise expenditures that aggregate about $180,000,000 every year, a sum greater than the collections of revenue or the disbursement of pensions. The opportunity for graft in the department is very great and has been the source of the temptations to which a number of conspicuous men have succumbed, and the administration of its affairs is one of the most responsible positions in the Cabinet. Mr. Cortelyou has been so thoroughly tried in other capacities that confidence in his ability to conduct the Postoffice department is general from the President down to the carriers.

The employees of the Pension office are slowly getting back to their desks in the Pension office while the work of dismantling the great edifice of its Inaugural ball decorations is being pushed as fast as possible. More than three weeks they have been away from their desks and the work that has accumulated and the resultant confusion is enough to tax the energies of the new pension Commissioner, Mr. Warner. Adams.

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The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 1905.

Granite Differences Settled.

The differences between the Granite Manufacturer's Association and the various unions have now all been settled, and the strike which has been in progress since the first of March is at an end. The new bill was signed on Thursday and work will be resumed in the yards at once.

The differences between the manufacturers and quarrymen and cutters was settled some days but there was a hitch with the blacksmiths. This was adjusted at a conference Wednesday evening. As the blacksmiths' committee had been given full power all that now remains is to sign the new bill.

The main trouble with the blacksmiths was over the apprentice clause. The union wanted it arranged so that in dull times when it was necessary to reduce help that the journeyman should be retained and the apprentice discharged. The clause relating to this question, as agreed upon, reads as follows:

"No firm to employ an apprentice unless a journeyman and five or more cutters over a journeyman's gang is employed and, in event of a reduction in the force, the journeyman may be discharged and an apprentice kept at work.

"But when this apprentice has served two years or any part thereof (it being understood that he may have one month's trial before signing an agreement) no other apprentice can be taken on for three years, unless a journeyman has been steadily employed by the day during the two years the apprentice was serving his time."

The other matter of interest was the wage scale. As now arranged this schedule provides that the price paid for piece men shall be 25 cents. The price per day men shall be $3 for a gang of thirteen men, and 24 cents for each an over a gang.

Brockton Wants Better Service.

That Quincy has not had the best of train service in the past is again emphasized by the fact that the Brockton board of trade is moving for better summer service on the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. between Brockton and Quincy, that the shore resorts of Quincy may be reached with greater ease than during last summer.

By the train schedules that have been in effect in recent years Quincy has been cut off from Brockton, Plymouth, the South Shore, and all points south, because it was necessary to make changes and stop over some time at Braintree or South Braintree.

It seems by the Brockton movement that they do not like the schedule any better than Quincy people.

The facts seem to have been overlooked that Quincy is a city of 30,000 and that Weymouth and North Weymouth people use the Quincy station. Daily sessions of the East Norfolk court are held in this city, also sessions of the Probate court for Norfolk county. Braintree and Milton people also do their banking in Quincy, and it is a trading centre for the Weymouths, the Braintrees and Milton.

Better service between Quincy and Brockton will mean more express trains both ways between Quincy and Boston. But few trains should pass Quincy without a stop. Like Lynn on the Boston and Maine R. R., Quincy and Brockton should both be stopping places for most all trains.

Board of Health Take Action.

That the dreaded gypsy and brown tail moths all have made their appearance in Quincy there can be no doubt. The destructive work of this insect is widely know and it behooves citizen to unite and begin a vigorous warfare on the nests before they hatch out.

The Board of Health is thoroughly alive to the situation. They have received numerous complaints of the existence of the pest. That the general public may be warned, and stimulated to begin active work in exterminating the moth, they have issued a notice which will be found in today's paper, and which will be posted in every ward of the city.

The notice warns the citizens of the growing plague and advising the immediate pruning and destruction by fire of the nests found in the trees.

Before Quincy Court.

A greater part of the town officials of Cohasset will be in attendance at the District court at Quincy this morning, when an inquest inquiry will be held before Judge Avery on the recent town election. The inquest will be to determine the legality of the recent election of town officers.

After the vote had been declared, one of the defeated candidates entered a protest and gave notice that he should contest the election. His grounds for protest were that Philander Bates, a candidate for office, served as one of the election officers. The Australian ballot was used for the first time at this election.

Post Office Lease.

It is well known that the working space inside the present post office is not half large enough to allow good service. The lease of the present quarters will expire July 1, and the department has asked for proposals for leases for terms of five or ten years, to be forwarded before May 1.

Association Foot Ball.

The Quincy foot ball team defeated the Harvard University team at association foot ball on Thursday evening by a score of 7 to 6. The Quincy team is composed of Robertson, o. r.; McDonald, o. l.; McLeod, c.; Craik, f.; and Smith, g.

The Quincy second team also won 6 to 5. Mr. Prichard was referee.

☞General Miles is already beginning to realize the difference between managing a militia force and a regular army. His order calling for the mobilization of the Massachusetts militia force in the first week of July meets with strong opposition from officers and men in business who cannot get away at that time. Regular soldiers obey orders. But militiamen resign if they do not find things convenient and they have to be consulted.—Philadelphia Press.

—The Brockton Y. M. C. A., will send General Secretary Benjamin F. Pierce as a delegate to the world's convention in Paris April 26 to 30, with all expenses paid. He has been secretary ten years, and will be away six weeks.

The Committee on Cities of the Legislature reported leave to withdraw on Wednesday on the petition for the incorporation of the City of Hyde Park. Thus Quincy will continue the only city in Norfolk county.

CITY BRIEFS.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Stetson returned Monday from the south.

John P. Bainridge left Sunday on a business trip to Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. H. E. Hardwick of Revere road, is confined to her home by sickness.

The school vacation will begin Friday April 14, and end Monday, April 24.

James Flaherty is building an addition to his house on Quincy avenue.

Geo. W. Jones has received a large assortment of hats and caps for spring wear.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Patch have returned from an extended trip in Florida and Cuba.

Commissioner Burke was among the early arrivals at the fire at Brackett's wharf Wednesday.

The residence of the superintendent of Mt. Wollaston cemetery is to be connected by telephone.

T. C. Hewson of Newcomb Place has been on a business trip to Damariscotta, Maine, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley T. Perry, who have been boarding on Spear street, have gone to housekeeping on Upland road.

It is a pretty custom that the G. A. R. now has of sending a silk flag instead of flowers to funerals of the comrades.

Miss Pearl Cunningham of Roxbury has been the guest of Mrs. W. M. Marden of Coddington street the past week.

Miss Clara L. Gustafson left Wednesday for New Jersey where she will spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Witting.

Alliston J. Durling, formerly with C. C. Mueller, is now the assistant of C. Frank Randall at his tonsorial rooms on Saville street.

Miss Nellie Powers, Miss Mary W. Blake and Miss Annie McLaughlin are on a week's pleasure trip to Philadelphia and Washington.

W. P. Bennett, who underwent an operation at the City Hospital three weeks ago, is rapidly improving and has returned to his home.

The entertainment committee of Rural lodge of Masons announce a social dance to be given at Quincy Music hall Wednesday evening, March 29.

Gustave R. Sandberg of this city has passed his examinations for the service of the Boston Elevated Company and has been taken on as a motorman.

Dr. Edwin E. Davis has gone to Rutland, Vt., to attend the meeting of the Vermont State Dental Society, having been invited to give a paper and clinic before the society.

In the billiard tournament at the Granite City club Monday night, Dr. C. B. Marstin beat John Curtis, 125 to 115; and Dr. F. E. Jones beat W. S. Anderson, 125 to 104.

The committees of the Granite Manufacturers' Association and Granite Cutters' Union were entertained at dinner at the Greenleaf Saturday evening by Luther S. Anderson.

Arthur W. Harris, who for several years has been associated with R. H. Stearns & Co., Boston, has accepted a position with Chandler & Co. as buyer and manager of their cloak, suit and waist department.

Rev. G. M. Harmon, D. D., of Tufts College Divinity School preached very acceptably at the Universalist church, Sunday evening. His subject was: "God in Our Life." Miss Ewell contributed vocal solos.

Miss Sarah A. Bent, one of the oldest ladies in Quincy, died at the sanitarium of Dr. Marstin at Braintree, Tuesday in her 95th year. For many years until quite recently she lived alone on High School avenue.

The Woman's Relief Corps held a supper in G. A. R. hall Tuesday evening. The menu consisted of salads, cold meats, baked beans, rolls and coffee. The supper was very largely attended and was followed by a whist party.

Henry W. Porter, now of Lexington, was elected secretary and treasurer of the Middlesex Schoolmasters' club on Saturday. J. S. Emerson of Somerville, formerly of Wollaston, is on the executive committee.

The degree staff of Manet encampment exemplified the Patriarchal degree for Wompatuck encampment at East Weymouth on Monday evening. A collation was served by the home encampment and it was a good time for all.

Over thirty brown-tail moth nests were removed from the fruit trees at the residence of George W. Prescott, Spear street, Tuesday. Other trees in the vicinity have nests and united action is necessary to get rid of the pests.

The annual banquet and theatre party of the Granite City club will be held Tuesday evening, March 28. The dinner will be served at 5.30 at the United States hotel. Following the dinner the members will attend the Majestic theatre and witness "The Filibuster."

The sympathy of teachers, pupils and friends goes out to Miss Mary E. Dearborn, principal of the Coddington school, in the death of her only sister at Manchester, N.H., Tuesday morning. Miss Dearborn was with her at the time, having been in Manchester two or three weeks. The funeral will take place this afternoon.

About 150 were present Sunday afternoon at the men's meeting under the aupices of the Y. M. C. A. The meeting opened with a fifteen minute praise service led by A. D. Albee. The address was by Rev. W. W. Bustard of the Dudley Street Baptist church. His subject was "A Good Grip." The address an interesting one was closely followed by his hearers. During the services A. L. Hayden sang two solos.

A delightful reception was given at High school hall on Friday evening, March 10, by the young men of the senior, junior and sophomore classes to the young ladies of those classes, there being a committee of three from each class, with William E. Howe as chairman. The matrons were Mrs. Harper, Mrs. Parsons and Mrs. Thompson, who constituted the receiving party. Hanson furnished music for the dancing. Frappe was served during the evening by young ladies of the freshmen class.

At the funeral services of Elijah S. Brown at the Universalist church Sunday afternoon there was a beautiful array of flowers mute testimonies of his many friends. Among them was a bouquet of pinks from the Universalist church; callas from the Quincy Point church, a wreath of calix leaves, roses, violets and candytuft from the Spanish War Veterans, and from the W. R. C. flowers in red, white and blue. The pupils at the Coddington school sent a beautiful mound of violets. There were several thousand violets in the mound and it was a most fragrant testimonial to the faithful janitor who for twenty-two years, through sunshine and storm, had attended to his duties at the school. The teachers sent pinks

Only five Sundays before Easter.

The moon will full next Monday night.

Spring begins March 21—Old Farmer's Almanac.

A regular meeting of the City Council will be held next Monday evening.

The Manet club held a social in the Parish house of Christ church on Monday evening.

Mrs. E. C. Butler has been confined to her home on Russell park this week by a severe cold.

Quincy does not take very kindly to traveling vaudeville shows. Therein the people show good sense.

Benj. French of Washington street entertained a number of his friends at his home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Whiton expect to return to their home at the Point about the first of April.

Miss Edith Randall is contemplating spending the summer abroad in Italy, Germany, Holland, France and England.

George H. Wilson has leased his store for five years to a large grocery firm of Boston, who will take possession April 1.

The Junior Friday club is to meet on Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Florence R. Emery, instead of with Mrs. Walter E. Burke.

A public hearing will be held before the City Council next Monday evening on the petition of Charles C. Hearn for a sixth class liquor license.

The "picketing bill" was again rejected by the Senate on Wednesday, 15 to 20 with one pair. Senator Nevin of this district was recorded against.

The Rev. E. N. Hardy of Bethany Church preached Thursday evening in Randolph in a series of preaching services held in the Congregational Church.

F. H. Johnson of Chelsea has accepted the position of organist of Bethany Congregational church. He is a graduate of Harvard college and has had experience in other churches.

The social season of entertainments at the Cochato club, Braintree, closes next Tuesday evening when a progressive whist party will be held. In all, twelve entertainments have been given with pleasing variety of concerts, lectures, dances and card parties.

On March twenty-fourth the Friday club is to be entertained at the home of Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney, Brook street, Wollaston. Mrs. Wilson Marsh and Mrs. Otho A. Hayward have charge of the afternoon's program, with James Anthony Froude as the subject.

Mrs. George W. Morton gave an interesting paper on Wednesday afternoon at Hingham before the Women's Alliance. It was the same which she gave at First church last winter in the series of papers on the women of the bible and which received so much favorable comment at that time.

Nathan Ames attended a convention of the New England Retail Hardware Dealers Association at Hotel Vendome on Wednesday. A reception and banquet was tendered the ladies in the evening. Today the hardware dealers are guests of the Boston Automobile Association at the Auto show.

Mrs. James H. Slade, Sr., is intending sailing for Europe early in April, to be away until fall. She goes first to Spain where she will cover about the same route as that enjoyed by her late husband several years ago. Later she will visit Italy going from there to Paris where she will spend some time. A friend from Philadelphia goes with her.

Mrs. George H. Brown, Elm street, will open her home on Monday afternoon for the regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxilary to Young Men's Christian Association. Rev. Edward Norton will speak; subject, "Finding a Man." Solos will be rendered by Miss Carrie Follett Spear. All women interested in the work are cordially invited to be present.

There was quite a serious runaway accident on Hancock street early Saturday evening near the High school. Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Packard were in an extension top carryall drawn by a pair of horses driven by Henry T. Brown. The accident was caused by the pole breaking. The horses ran and Mr. Brown was thrown out, striking on his head. He was quite seriously injured.

Mrs. George H. Brown opened her house on Tuesday afternoon for the first of a series of three foreign afternoons by Miss Edith Randall. Westminister Abbey was described and its history enteresting told by Miss Randall after which a social chat was enjoyed over the teacups. On the twenty-eighth Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick of Chestnut street will be the hostess and the subject Germany.

The quickness with which the brisk blaze at the Chestnut street store was extinguished Tuesday night, continues to be one of the nine day wonders. Geo. H. Field, the insurance agent, who was near the building when the shout of fire was first made, says it was only nine minutes from that time until the fire was out. Yet it was a blaze which many thought might cause a conflagration. Certainly Quincy has a very efficient department.

Representatives Nicol and Freeman were on opposite sides on Wednesday on the patent medicine bill, the former voting in favor of substitution for an adverse report, while the latter opposed. The bill was substituted by vote of 109 to 88 and after debated passed by the House to be engrossed. The bill requires that the amount of alcohol contained in patent and proprietary medicines be stated on the bottles, the amount being larger than generally supposed.

Woodward Institute has reason to be proud of one of her former pupils, Miss Mary A. Elcock. Miss Elcock has been appointed director of the gymnasium at Kemper Hall in Kenosha, Wisconsin. After graduating from Dr. Sargent's school of physical training in 1901, Miss Elcock taught private classes in Quincy, Brockton, Malden and Milton, and for two summers was instructor of the children's classes at the Leopold Morse home in Milton. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Elcock of South Quincy. The many Quincy friends of Miss Elcock wish her the best of success.

Gilbert M. Miller, city expressman, who has been in Cuba, the past winter, returned on Tuesday as happy, and brown as a nut. During the ten weeks he was there he traveled largely over the island, that is, the cultivated part, and was surprised at the great progress that had been made since he was there some three years ago. Where there were nothing, but tents, there are now handsome buildings, and large orange groves. He was informed that a little mulberry trig struck into the ground had grown twenty-two feet high in one year. The temperature was very even, and delightful during the day and night.

The City Council Committee on Streets made a tour of the city yesterday afternoon.

The High school base ball team expects to play its first scheduled game on Patriots' day.

The Junior Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. met yesterday afternoon with Miss Catherine Hutchins of Bigelow street.

The Quincy Quarry Co. has had a private telephone exchange put into its office with lines connecting all their quarries.

Quincy Point church people united with the Bethany church last evening in a union service at 7.45. Every one was invited.

Grade VIII of the Coddington school sent a floral tribute today for the funeral of Miss Dearborn's sister at Manchester, N. H.

John H. Dinegan is displayed two handsome flags at his residence on School street yesterday, one the American and the other the Irish flag.

John W. Sullivan is under arrest in Boston charged with the murder of John McCarthy of 21 Flagg street, Boston, who is said to have relatives in Quincy.

Officials of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad visited Quincy this week with a view of contemplated improvements as promised the special committee of the City Council.

District Attorney Asa P. French, Clerk of Courts, Louis A. Cook, Judge A. E. Avery and clerk John P. S. Churchill of the East Norfolk District court, and Albert P. Worthen, Esq., have been appointed by the Norfolk County Bar Association to attend the funeral of William W. Jenness Friday afternoon.

On account of the inability of Miss Alice G. Eldridge to play at Mrs. Edith Noyes Porter's concert at Steinert hall, Boston, last month, Miss Eldridge is to give an extra piano forte recital at The Tuileries, Commonwealth avenue, on Monday afternoon, March twenty-seventh at four o'clock. Quincy friends are pleased at this announcement as they were among the disappointed ones.

A very enjoyable whist party was held at the home of Mrs. Robert McVitie, 249 Whitwell street, Thursday evening, prizes being awarded to Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Robertson, J. Swanson and William Johnson, and consolation prizes to Miss Mae Talbot and Arthur Thomas. Refreshments were served, and an entertainment consisting of piano and vocal solos brought the evening to a pleasant close.

WEST QUINCY.

The St. Marys defeated the Milton A. C. team at basket ball Saturday evening 26 to 11. The second team of St. Marys also won 32 to 7.

West Quincy people should not blame their councilmen because they did not get additional trains just at present. Councilman Hughes, who was on the special committee, did what he could, and received a promise of improved service when the new spring timetable is made up.

The residents of Copeland street near the old Granite engine house, wish to thank Commissioner Burke through the columns of the Patriot for his prompt work in repairing the damaged roads which have been causing flooded cellars and yards in the vicinity during the past week of spring weather.

West Quincy also had a sudden death on Tuesday, William Hall, a tool sharpener living on Larry place, passing away. He has not been in good health for some time, but had been regularly at work up to the time of suspension of work in the granite industry March 1.

The Monday night whist club gathered at Mrs. Henry Pineo's home this week for their usual weekly play. Prizes were won by Mrs. Pineo and Mr. Richard Barry. The playing was the most exciting so far this season. Ice cream and cake were passed by Mrs. Pineo and appreciated by all save one whom could not be found to claim the booby prize. The club meets at Mrs. E. G. Hayden's 58 West street, next Monday evening.

SOUTH QUINCY.

The junior Sons and Daughters of the Revolution held their March meeting on Saturday at the birthplace of President John Adams. It was voted to hold a cake and candy sale at the house in a few weeks. A good time was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

James Nightingale of 180 Granite street is quite ill.

The members of the Granite Cutters' Union received strike pay on Wednesday.

Mothers' afternoon has become very popular in the Lincoln school district. Last year this plan was introduced and met with so great success that the mothers and children were delighted to have it repeated. Each grade has an appointed Friday afternoon and the mothers receive written invitations from the children. The regular work of the grade, with singing and recitations, forms a very enjoyable program. Mr. Crocker, the principal of the school, may feel well pleased with the succeess of his plan.

John H. Dinegan contemplates the erection of a house on the Donovan estate on Gay street.

J. Winthrop Pratt is building a granite cutting plant on Federal avenue for Paul L. Gunnello.

High mass in honor of St. Patrick was celebrated by Rev. Julian E. Johnstone at St. John's church yesterday morning.

Special Meeting.

A meeting of the Quincy Bar Association was held on Wednesday to take action on the death of William W. Jenness, Esq. W. G. A. Pattee presided and Frank A. Tirrell was secretary.

Upon motion of Hon. E. C. Bumpus, it was voted that a committee of five, including the chairman, be appointed to attend the funeral and procure a floral piece.

The chairman appointed Everett C. Bumpus, John W. McAnarney, Walter S. Pinkham and Paul R. Blackmur.

George E. Adams was elected treasurer of the association and it was voted to assess members $2 each, so that the association might have a contingent fund on hand.

—Henry L. Crane, who died in Bridgewater on Thursday, was especially well known in the 24th Masonic district, as he served as district deputy grand marshal on the staff of District Deputy Grand Master, Charles F. Mann of East Bridgewater, and he held the position for a number of years. He also held the position of district deputy high priest.

WOLLASTON.

The Whatsoever circle of King's Daughters will hold a sewing meeting with Mrs. E. E. Jameson, 52 Beach street, Thursday, March 23, at one o'clock.

The Wollaston Unity club has an interesting subject for its meeting on Friday evening, March twenty-fourth at the Unitarian vestry, when Natural Beauties: New England landscape, national parks and mountain scenery will be the subject of papers under the direction of Walter E. Simmons. Music will be a feature of the evening as usual.

Members of the classes of the Wollaston Unitarian Sunday School taught by Mr. Page and Mr. Parker, Mrs. Gurney, Mr. Rollins, and Mr. Park, also the teachers and officers of the school, were invited to attend a social in the vestry on Friday evening. The young ladies of Mrs. Chandler W. Smith's class were the hostesses.

Master Walter Parker of Winthrop avenue is fast recovering from his recent illness and is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Pletsch of Marlboro street, Wollaston, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter.

Rev. Ernest W. Hunt of Boston will preach at the Wollaston Unitarian church on Sunday.

At the vesper service on Sunday the choir of the Wollaston Baptist church will be assisted by the Arlington male quartet.

The books from the library of the late Rev. James Bagley of Wollaston, which have been on sale at the vestry of the Unitarian church, have all been disposed of.

Mr. Spaulding of Belmont street, who has been ill for the past week is slowly recovering. It is hoped that he will be well enough to be in the minstrel show next week as many are looking forward to his part of the program with great anticipation.

The alarm from Box 59 at 9.35 A.M. Thursday was for a slight fire on the of roof John Robert's shop on Farrington street. It caught from the chimney and caused a damage of $15.

Mrs. Prudence Stokes, first president of the Paul Revere W. R. C., is critically ill at her home in Wollaston.

The Ladies' Alliance of the Wollaston Unitarian church held its regular meeting in the vestry Wednesday afternoon. After the usual opening exercises and a business meeting, Mrs. Frank S. Davis of Quincy read an exceedingly bright and interesting paper on Confucius.

The flag at the Wollaston Hose House has been at half mast the past two days in respect for the late C. A. Spear.

Contributions Asked.

Adams Chapter of Quincy of the Society of the Daughters of the Revolution has been offered at a very reasonable price, the fine oil painting of President John Adams, copied from the Stuart portrait in the rooms of the Massachusetts Historical society. It was painted by Miss Lyle Durgin for the Pan-American exposition in Buffalo and many will recall as it hung upon the walls of the Massachusetts room in the New England building that it was a speaking likeness.

Many visitors to the John Adams house have expressed surprise that no likeness of him is found in his birth place. Now that an opportunity is offered to secure this fine likeness the Chapter asks the assistance of its friends to help secure this painting for Quincy. The price including suitable frame is $150. Of this amount $10 has been given. Any contribution however small will be greatly appreciated. With the expense of caring for and maintaining the John Adams house the Chapter feels that it cannot draw on its treasury for so large an amount hence this appeal. The Chapter has asked little of the townspeople, so now feel that their work in caring for the birthplace of President John Adams should be appreciated by generous donations to the cause.

Contributions may be sent to Mrs. Nelson V. Titus, Squantum or to Miss Annie L. Prescott, care of this office, Quincy, Mass.

District School.

The District School at Blueberries Corner held another session at Bethany chapel on Thursday evening, that the parents and friends might witness for themselves the wonderful development of the pupils of that section who are now noted far and wide. There surely has been a great awakening at Blueberries Corner.

The cost was much the same as a few weeks ago, but because of the fact that the big boys make it uncomfortable for all teachers in that district, there was a new teacher. This, however, is expected, and the parents as well as the pupils were anxious size-up Henry Hayward who wielded the rod.

Master Hayward secured the position after a rigid competitive examination, and promises to hold the position until the end of the term at least. The pupils got off several local hits, and cut up the usual pranks, and it was an enjoyable entertainment for the large number assembled.

Miss Mila Bates contributed piano solos which were very pleasing.

A goodly sum was also realized by the Sunday school from a candy sale.

W. R. C. Entertained.

Mrs. Ella Hayden entertained W. R. C. sewing circle at her home Thursday. The rooms were prettily decorated with flags and crepe paper. As it was Mrs. Hayden's birthday the ladies were invited to come early and take dinner her. After dinner there was singing with and piano solos by Miss Elvira Ewell, and speaking and singing by Master Forrest Hayden. All had a very pleasant time and wished Mrs. Hayden "many happy returns of the day."

The sewing circle is working hard for a three days' sale to take place the first week in May. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Ann Wright Friday afternoon, March 24.

The shipments of granite during the month of February amounted to 5,863,702 pounds, of which 3,109,222 pounds were shipped from South Quincy and 2,754,480 pounds from West Quincy.

The Yacht Racing Association of Massachusetts elected these officers Thursday evening:

President, C. F. Adams, 2d, formerly Mayor of Quincy.

Vice-president, Sumner H. Foster, the Norfolk County Commissioner.

Secretary, A. T. Bliss.

Treasurer, I. H. Wiley.

Executive Committee, C. F. Adams, 2d, A. T. Bliss, S. H. Foster, Harry H. Wiggin, B. S. Permar, J. R. Hodder and Charles C. Clapp.

June 24 was assigned to the Squantum Yacht club for an open race.

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Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case, no matter of how long standing, in 6 to 14 days. First application gives ease and rest. 50c. If your druggist hasn't it send 50c. in stamps and it will be forwarded post-paid by Paris Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo.

QUINCY POINT AND NECK.

Certain people living on Claremont avenue seem to think that all adjoining property is at their disposal. Since the new families have moved into the neighborhood, the old residents have to contend with a great deal. It is impossible to keep the yards in any sort of condition, when the neighbor next door makes a practice of throwing loose paper, ashes and refuse of all kinds (not in his own yard) but across the boundary line. Is there anything but a high tight-board fence that will be effective? Some say that a village improvement society might do some good work in this section of the city.

The election of officers of the Shipbuilders' club is exercising the minds of the members very much at present, owing to the nomadic habits of shipbuilders generally—here today and gone tomorrow.

Rev. Peter McQueen will lecture on "Russia," at the Quincy Point church, April 24. Perhaps there will not be any Russia then.

The orderliness of the visiting crowds on board the "Providence" on Sunday, was distinctly gratifying to everyone concerned. One sentry was heard deploring the lack of healthy excitement—not a drunk or rowdy to "fire off the ship" nor even a tumble overboard!

Mrs. William Hayden of River street entertained friends at whist Thursday evening.

The Unity club gave a whist party in the club rooms at Quincy Point Wednesday evening.

The wedding has been announced of Mrs. Minnie Sturgis, formerly of this city and Mr. Roland Nickerson of Cotuit, Mass.

Miss Ruth Burrage of Middleboro was in town Sunday to attend the funeral of the late Elijah S. Brown.

Miss Nina B. Gage of Braintree assisted the regular choir at the Quincy Point church, Sunday morning.

Frank Shedd of East Milton visited friends at Quincy Neck on Sunday.

A certain restaurant on Howard street kept a graphaphone playing all day Sunday.

Mrs. William Hayden of River street, celebrated her birthday anniversary Thursday evening by entertaining a large number of friends at whist.

A supper and entertainment was held at the Washington street Congregational church on Thursday evening. The supper consisted of cold meats, baked beans, macaroni, pies of all kinds, rolls and coffee. An entertainment followed which was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. There were drills by the Boys' Brigade from Atlantic, under the direction of Mr. Tilton. Two children in costume, sang the song, "You can't pick plums from my plum-tree." The parts were well taken and most generously applauded.

MILTON.

On Thursday morning at ten o'clock a large audience assembled at Milton Town hall to listen to Prof. Briggs who gave an interesting lecture on Julius Ceasar, under the auspices of the Milton Woman's club.

George Clements, driver of Hose 2, who has been ill with the grip, has returned to his duties.

Mrs. Josiah Babcock and daughter, Miss Rachel Babcock, have returned from their trip South on a visit to Paul Babcock.

The whist club met with Dr. McIntosh Monday evening. First prizes were awarded Mrs. W. H. Dougherty, and H. M. Thomas, and second prizes to Mrs. C. H. Bearse and W. H. Dougherty.

Benjamin Flynn has accepted a position at Quimby's drug store.

A pleasing entertainment was given at the Thursday Evening club this week.

Famous Hymn Writer.

As March 24 is birthday of Fanny Crosby, the blind hymn writer, whose hymns have been sung around the world, it is planned to observe Sunday, March 26 as "Fanny Crosby Day," in many churches where her best hymns will be sung and pastors will preach upon the "Power of Religious Music."

The Transcript gives this sketch:

Miss Crosby was born in New York State, March 24, 1820, when six weeks old she was deprived of her eyesight through the negligence of the attending physician. In 1835 she entered the New York Institute for the Blind, graduating with highest honors in 1842. In 1847 she returned to the institution as an instructor of the higher branches, and remained in that institution until her marriage in 1858 to Professor Alex M. Van Alystyne, a talented teacher of music, who was also blind.

In 1851 Miss Crosby united with the Methodist church, and in 1844 published "A Blind Girl and Other Poems." In 1853 her Songs were first set to music by George F. Root, the well-known musical composer, the most popular being "There's Music in the Air." In forty years she has composed over six thousand hymns. Many of these are in the Moody and Sankey collection. Some of her best have been published under various nom de plumes.

The most popular of her earlier hymns were, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," "Rescue the Perishing," "Hiding in Thee," "Pass Me Not, O Gentle Saviour." Her own favorite, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," was sung in Westminster Abbey at the funeral of Lord Shaftsbury. She is accustomed to carrying a hymn in her mind until the whole is complete and then dictating to an amenuensis, and a friend states that she has known her to carry forty hymns in her mind, in this manner.

Of her later and most popular hymns she says: "Blessed Assurance" was written under the inspiration of the thought that perfect peace was possible at all times. "Saved by Grace" was written at Northfield, on the news of the death of a friend.

Miss Crosby says her talent for composition is due to the effort of her old instructor, Hamilton Murray, who used to oblige her to paraphrase passages from Addison, Cowper, Milton and Shakespeare.

During her long life Miss Crosby has been intimately acquainted with Presidents Taylor and Van Buren, William H. Seward, General Winfield Scott and Henry Clay. On the death of a son of Henry Clay, Miss Crosby wrote a hymn expressive of her sorrow, which greatly comforted the stricken parent.

Miss Crosby says she has never regretted she is blind, as it shuts her in with God. Notwithstanding published statements to the contrary she has never been in reduced circumstances, although only comfortably well off, whereas she might have been wealthy if she had not been so generous to the poor.

She calls Bridgeport, Conn., her home, but is in great demand as a speaker and of late has been speaking in Massachusetts. She has just completed her autobiography, which will be published next summer.

William Anderson Youngson prominent in the Granite Cutters' Union at Milford, and Miss Margaret Mitchell Frazer of that town were united in marriage on Thursday by Rev. D. T. Magill.

ATLANTIC.

Master Loyal Safford of Clive street gave a birthday party Friday afternoon March 10, to which thirty of his little friends were bidden. Many novel games were introduced and entered into with youthful fervor. Natal remembrances were profuse. Refreshments delighted the thirty young hearts.

Miss Florence Gray of Botolph street entertained the Smart Set whist club on Thursday evening. Colored paper ruffs were given as favors, pretty creations of the hostess. Prizes were won by Miss Addie Mae Ruggles, Miss Laura Hall, Miss Marion Vogler and Miss Ruth Bassett. Consolation trifles were tendered Miss Corinna Wilde and Miss Nancy Woy.

The Misses Melzard of Botolph street are sailing in early June for Italy and intend passing the summer traveling through that country, Switzerland, Holland, France and England.

Elisha Rigby, station agent at the Montclair station, died at his home on Arbell street, Monday night, aged 73 years.

A large addition is being built to the store of R. J. Barry at Atlantic.

The Hancock street bridge has been called, "The bridge of sighs," a sobriquet earned by the complaints of those plodding through the mud from car to car.

Walker street, which did not receive its pruning last fall after its trial with the gravel teams, is in even more deplorable condition at present. It will need a great deal of rolling and grading to coax it up to its former excellence.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kolseth of Walker street are making preparations for a trip South.

The prompt arrival of the Quincy library books in Atlantic on Thursday last week was appreciated.

Miss Louise Nash of Worcester spent the week end with Miss Emma King of Clive street.

Miss Annie Hall of Newbury avenue is ill with the grip.

High mass was celebrated in all the Catholic churches in Quincy yesterday in honor of the feast of Saint Patrick.

Atlantic has been benefitted by the new time table which went into effect last Monday by one outward train which arrive at 5.32 P. M. It is much appreciated by many, who arrive home some earlier than before.

DOWNS AND PARK.

There will be a "Peddlers' Parade" at the Park and Downs Congregational church next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. E. Poland, gave another of her enjoyable whist parties at the Norfold Downs hall, on Friday evening.

Bowling has become popular on Wednesday afternoons at the North Quincy club and many young women are taking advantage of the excellent alleys and are improving their muscles.

Mrs. Annie Seamen of Elmwood avenue has returned from an extended visit to relatives in Canada.

Special Council Meeting.

Twenty members of the City Council were present on Wednesday evening, at the special meeting called by Mayor Thompson to take action relative to the death and funeral of Christopher A. Spear for many years the Clerk of Council and clerk of committees.

The absentees were Councilmen Gearwar, Savage and Stone.

George T. Magee of the Daily Ledger staff was elected clerk pro tem.

President Nichols then addressed the Council as follows:

The Council is convened tonight in extraordinary session. A modest, faithful public servant of our city has passed to his great reward.

There is nothing that we can say at this time that will add in the slightest degree to the record of Christopher A. Spear—the veteran soldier—the town official—the city clerk—the respected and beloved clerk of the Quincy City Council.

That record of a plain, honest and useful life, which placed him, and which places his memory in highest esteem in the estimation of his associates and of his fellow citizens, he himself established by the sincerity of his character and fidelity of his every day life, covering a long term of years in this community.

It is fitting at this time that the Council take some action in recognition of the loss we sustain, and of the public service and private life of our departed friend.

The chair awaits the pleasure of the Council.

Councilman Bass moved the appointment of a committee of five on resolution which was voted.

President Nichols named Councilman Bass, Chamberlin, Polk, Chase and Sidelinger. The committee retired and the Council took a recess. After due deliberation the committee reported as follows:

Be it resolved by the members of this Council, duly assembled at a special meeting called by His Honor the Mayor to take appropriate action in memory of our late Clerk of the Council, Christopher A. Spear:

That we hereby record in permanent form our great appreciation of the high character, the faithful and untiring services of our beloved Clerk of the Council, Christopher A. Spear, and express our profound sorrow on account of the loss of one whose death will be most keenly felt and whose place in this community no other can hope to fill, and be it further

Resolved, that this resolution be spread on the records of this Council, and that an engrossed copy be forwarded to his family.

The report was accepted, and the motion of Councilman Bass was adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

Upon motion of Councilman Polk it was voted that the Council attend the funeral of Clerk Spear in a body, and that the City Messenger procure a suitable floral emblem.

Upon motion of Councilman Piper it was voted that the President appoint a committee of three to make all arrangements to attend funeral.

The committee are Councilmen Piper, Sidelinger and Burgess.

Adjourned at 8.20.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

Benjamin C. Hardwick to Anna A. Trask.
Catherine E. Dolan to Ellen F. Driscoll.
John W. Chisholm to Clara W. Small.
Thomas Swithen et al. to Wm. F. Steadman.
Jane M. Pope to Margaret J. McCarthy.
Thomas C. or A. McDonnell to Mary A. McDonnell.
Mary E. McDonnell et al. to Mary A. McDonnell.
Herbert T. Whitman to Frank Leming.
City of Quincy to Timothy J. Mahoney.
Mary L. Kennedy to Timothy J. Mahoney.
John H. Dinegan to Timothy J. Mahoney.
Timothy J. Mahoney to Sven W. Anderson.
Edward Grant to Harlow H. Rogers.
Harlow H. Rogers to Geo. L. Reece, heirs of.
John E. Poland by tr. to John E. Poland, $50
Harlow H. Rogers to John E. Poland.
Catherine McNeil to Elizabeth J. McNeil, $900.
John H. Dinegan to Charles Whittemore.
Wm. F. Steadman to Joseph W. Johnson.

—Gov. Douglas has contributed $1,000 toward a fund for the support of the Wales Home for Aged Women at Brockton.

First Church Fair.

From the time the doors of First church chapel opened on Wednesday afternoon until into the evening, there was a constant stream of people who generously patronized the various booths. No attempt was made at special decoration, but potted plants, pretty things on the booths, and all the attendants in white, made the chapel look most attractive.

The parlor was arranged in Japanese style, hung with peach blossoms, and decorated with Japanese sunshades, fans and screens loaned by W. M. Hatch & Co., of Summer street, Boston. Here mysterious packages wrapped in Japanese napkins found ready sale. "Maggie" in Irish peasant costume divided the honors of the parlor, and told fortunes by tea grounds, and cards. She was surrounded all the evening, many wishing to see into the future.

To the left of the parlor were the bag and stock and fancy booths, on the right the Sunday school and home-made candy tables, while at the foot of the hall was the household table loaded with useful things.

At 6.30 a turkey supper was served to about two hundred at the first setting, and fifty to a hundred at the second table. Besides turkey there was cold meat, macaroni, rolls, hot coffee, cranberry sauce, fancy pies and cake. The tables were prettily spread, the decorations being in green in honor of St. Patrick's Day. There were bon bon dishes of shamrock shape filled with nuts and candy, little flags of Ireland and the floral decorations all carried out the color scheme as did also the paper napkins. It was a pretty idea and well carried out.

After supper the booths were again surrounded with buyers and most of them were soon depleted of their stock. The fancy table as usual carried off the honors of taking in the most money, about two hundred dollars being received. The household and bag and stock booths also had fine sales. Every one likes home-made sweets and over eighty dollars were expended at that booth.

The Sunday School table did well, realizing over twenty-five dollars. All the mysterious packages were disposed of with good financial results. Over seventy-five dollars were realized by the sale of supper tickets.

It is thought the net sum from the sale will be over six hundred dollars, which is most pleasing to the ladies of the Fragment society and their assistants, who have been working for the past few months.

Those in charge of the various booths were:

Oriental mystery,—Mrs. Edward B. Marsh, chairman; Mrs. Ross K. Whiton and Miss Flora Underwood assistants.

Bags and stocks,—Mrs. Emery L. Crane, chairman; Mrs. George G. Saville, Mrs. Clarence Burgin, Mrs. John L. Gow and Miss Jane Reed assistants.

Fancy — Miss Florence R. Emery, chairman; Miss Alice K. Prescott, Mrs. W. W. Adams, Mrs. A. H. Doble, Mrs. R. A. Sears, Mrs. P. R. Blackmur, Mrs. Henry M. Faxon, Mrs. Henry Hall, Mrs. E. H. Angier, Mrs. Sylvester Miller, Mrs. A. E. Sproul, Mrs. Perry Lawton, Mrs. C. A. Price, Mrs. G. E. Pfaffman, Mrs. L. M. Glover and Mrs. Parker assistants.

Sunday School, — Miss Mildred Huston, chairman; Miss Marguerite Davis, Miss Stella Barker, Miss Irma Tilton, Miss Carlena Walker, Miss Muriel Rogers, Miss Grace Spear, Miss Olive Huston and Miss Miriam Marsh, assistants.

Candy,—Mrs. Joseph C. Morse, chairman; Mrs. Fred E. Drake, Mrs. E. E. Davis and Mrs. E. W. H. Bass, assistants.

Domestic,—Miss Mary Holden, chairman; Miss Maria Whitney, Miss Lucy Spear, Miss Carrie Crane, and Mrs. Henry W. Tirrell, assistants.

Supper,—Mrs. Thomas Fenno, chairman; Mrs. Annie Pierce, Mrs. Osborne Rogers, Mrs. Henry Wright, Mrs. E. G. Pratt, Miss Eva Sherburne, Mrs. C. F. Pettengill, Mrs. C. H. Johnson, Mrs. F. A. Skinner, and Miss Elizabeth Newcomb, assistants.

Waiters, — Gordon Adams, Sidney Carr, A. C. Sproul, Clark Saville, Harry Drake, Frank K. Patch, Edward Morse, Eaton Pierce, Ralph Winslow, Miss Abigail Waldron, Miss Muriel Rogers, Miss Mollie Rogers, Miss Grace Spear, Miss Edna Smith, Miss Katherine Saville, Miss Stella Barker, Miss Mabel Lovejoy and Miss Gertrude Thompson.

Brotherhood Meeting.

The experience of Col. John S. Rockwood among the Indians of the west, as related Tuesday evening at the meeting of Bethany Brotherhood, greatly interested the men assembled. He spoke for over an hour.

Those who do not attend the monthly meetings are missing some fine talks, which are both instructive and interesting.

At the April meeting the annual banquet will be held and ladies' night will be observed. The speaker will be Mr. Allen Stockdale.

Gypsy and Brown Tail MOTHS.

CITY OF QUINCY, March 17, 1905.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Health of City of Quincy have received numerous complaints of the existing within this city of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths.

The Board wish to warn the inhabitants of this city against this growing plague, the most destructive known to the life of trees.

We would advise the immediate pruning and destruction by FIRE of nests found on all trees at once.

Per order,
BOARD OF HEALTH.

March 17—3t 1w

TO LET.

TO LET—The two large Rooms at 1416 Hancock street, over McConnell's Fruit Store, well adapted for either Professional or Business use. Possession given about April 1st. Apply to J. H. STETSON, 49 School Street.
Quincy, March 17. 1p tf

WANTED.

WANTED, by April 1st—A Woman in good health, who can be recommended as a careful housekeeper, a fair provider and a good cook, to furnish part of house, care for the whole and board three people in it for a most generous arrangement. Married couple prefered, as house has grounds, excellent garden and fruit. In case of party with team, a stable on the premises may be rented. Call at house between twelve and one, any day but Saturday or Sunday, or arrange by mail for interview at any other time. E. LANDIS SNYDER, 1632 Hancock Street, Quincy, Mass.
March 9. 1p-tf

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Why do you suppose that wherever exhibited Jones' Superlative has always had first place?

Why do you suppose we guarantee every barrel of Jones' Superlative to give perfect satisfaction in every respect?

Try a barrel or bag and you will have your answer.

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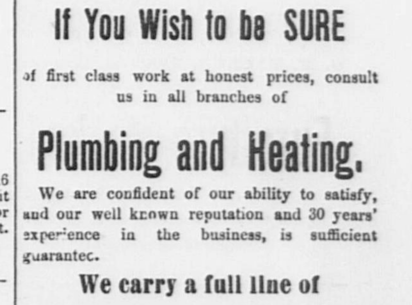

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The decisive touch that settles whether the dessert is a success or not, depend on the purity, strength and delicacy of the flavoring extract. When other Vanilla Extracts besides Foss' are used the cook is apt to keep on increasing the amount of the flavoring to secure the proper strength. In this way the delicious vanilla flavor is destroyed, and a rank, strong taste imparted to puddings, pies, cakes and what not.

It is the artificial flavoring that makes pies, cakes and desserts so often disagree with you. The cleverest imitation can never be as wholesome as merely the fruits in liquid form. Families that have been using flavoring extracts that are mere clever imitations of the natural fruits are always delighted and surprised at the genuine purity, delicate, wholesome quality of Foss' Pure Flavoring Extracts.

Competent cooks and housewives do not try to economize by using second-class eggs or flavoring. These two articles must be the best the market affords, or poor tasting, unsuccessful custards, puddings, ices, sherbets, and cakes will result.

There is something better than the old-fashioned artificial extracts. ***Foss' Extracts are fruits in liquid form.*** Not only are these modern extracts more delicate, purer and from every consideration of health more satisfactory, but they are much more economical, as less is required.

Mrs. Lincoln in her recipe for Ice Cream, on Page 364 of her Boston Cook Book, orders Foss' Pure Extract of Vanilla, simply because it is fruit in liquid form, and the best. Try it and you will agree with her.

All grocers sell it in Quincy, Wollaston, Braintree, Weymouth and East Weymouth.

Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

THE Annual Meeting of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Co. will be held at the office of the company on WEDNESDAY, April 5th, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and for any other business which may legally come before the members.

C. A. HOWLAND, President.

Quincy, Mass., March 13, 1905. 18 3w

Quincy Savings Bank.

THE Annual Meeting of the members of the Quincy Savings Bank Corporation, for the election of Trustees, and any other business that may legally come before them, will be held on

TUESDAY, April 11, 1905,

at 3 o'clock P. M., at the Banking Rooms, 1374 Hancock street, Quincy, Mass.

CLARENCE BURGIN, Clerk.

Quincy, Mass., Mar. 18, 1905. 3w

PUBLIC HEARING.

NOTICE is hereby given that a public hearing will be held at the Council Chamber City Hall, at 8. 0 o'clock, on the 20th day of March, 1905, on a petition dated March 4, 1905, of Charles C. Hearn, that he be granted a Liquor License of the sixth class, commonly known as a Druggist's license.

WALTER F. NICHOLS
President of the City Council.

Quincy, March 16. 1-3t--p-1w

CHESTNUT POSTS!

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WE wish to inform you that we have an extra good lot of CHESTNUT POSTS for sale for cellars, building fences, hen yards, etc. We have all sizes and lengths from a hen yard post to a telephone post . . . .

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BANKRUPTCY NOTICES

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9780.

TO the creditors of ELWYN R. THORPE of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of January, A. D., 1905, the said Elwyn R. Thorpe was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 25th day of March, A. D., 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Mar. 15, 1905. 18-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9890.

TO the creditors of ANDREW J. BURNS of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of February, A. D., 1905, the said Andrew J. Burns, was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 25th day of March, A. D., 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

EMERY B. GIBBS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Mar. 15, 1905. 18-1w

In the District Court of the United States for the County of Norfolk, District of Massachusetts. In Bankruptcy. No. 9942.

TO the creditors of FRANK C. DUNN of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 27th day of February, A. D., 1905, the said Frank C. Dunn was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Boston, in Room 320 Tremont Building, on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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March 15, 1905. 18-1w

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The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 1905.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Full Sea. Morn	Full Sea. Eve	Moon sets.
Saturday, Mar. 18,	5.52	5 54	8 30	9.15	4.12 A.M
Sunday, " 19,	5.50	5 55	9 30	10.00	4.54 "
Monday, " 20,	5.48	5.56	10.30	11.00	rises
Tuesday, " 21,	5 46	5.57	11.15	11.45	6.4[illegible] P.M
Wednesday, " 22,	5 44	5 58	12.00	12.15	8.00 "
Thursday, " 23,	5.43	5.59	12.30	1 00	9.14 "
Friday, " 24,	5.41	6.00	1.30	1.45	10.24 "

Full Moon, March 29, 11.56 P. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of month for three years:

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1904.	In 1903.	In 1900.
Sunday,	37	29	40	55	23
Monday,	37	35	31	56	35
Tuesday,	39	39	43	64	45
Wednesday,	37	42	38	43	44
Thursday,	47	9		42	51
Friday,	45	42	39	61	38
Saturday,	—	39	40	55	31

Notes and Comments.

The brown-tail is with us, and the nests are plainly to be seen on the elm and pear trees. As the pear is not a large tree they can be readily seen and destroyed. Look at your pear tree and if you see something that looks like an old brown leaf which has forgotten to blow off during the winter, then you are pretty sure to have found the brown-tail. Cut off the twig and examine it and you will find a cocoon full of eggs. These clear cool days are the days to get to work, for when the days grow warmer, and the eggs hatch, it is impossible to stop the work of destruction of these pests. After cutting the cocoon from the tree be sure and burn it not letting an egg escape. Start on the good work today.

Salem has adopted the plan of Lynn and other places to get rid of the brown tail moth. Through a contest being carried on by the Salem News the city is being rid rapidly of the millions of nests of the brown tail moth that would soon develop enough caterpillars to eat up the entire neighborhood.

Saturday more than 80,000 nests were delivered at the office by boys and men of the city. Three young men have each turned in about 20,0000 nests apiece, and as each nest is destroyed with its hundreds of eggs, it means the death of many moths.

Great work is being done by the citizens of the city this week, for soon the warm weather will hatch the eggs, and the ravenous caterpillars will be crawling over everything eatable. If the ratio of nests being destroyed every day continues until the end of the week, it is estimated about 750,000 nests will have been collected and destroyed.

Women Taking a Hand.

A Boston daily says the Lend a Hand Society has a rival in the Lend a Pruning Hook committee of Revere. Owing to the indifference shown by many in that town in cleaning their trees from the nests of the brown-tail moth, a committe from the Women's Club has purchased several pruning instruments with long handles with which to reach the nests.

These are placed in the custody of five members, Mrs. E. G. Swift, Mrs. Eben Dewing, Mrs. C. A. Adams, Mrs. L. K. Washburn and Mrs. E. G. Tutein.

Each of these women have in charge one of the instruments, and any person in the town having trees can have the loan of one of the bug destroyers on application.

E. J. Davenport, the tree warden is all smiles at having received such strong support from the Women's Club in his efforts to rid the town of the pest. The committee do not purpose to confine their efforts alone to the residents of the town, and have sent circulars to non-residents property holders stating their scheme, and asking co-operation in ridding the town of the moth nuisance.

From now on it will be war to the death on the moths by the committee and the tree warden.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. All are cordially invited to be present.

CHRIST CHURCH, Quincy, corner Elm street and Quincy avenue—Rev. W. E. Gardner, rector. 8 30 A. M., holy communion. 10.30 morning prayer, litany and sermon. Subject: "The Foundation of Human Progress." 12 M., Sunday School in the parish house. Rector's Bible class in the church. 7.00 evening prayer and address. Subject: "Man's Contribution to Human Progress." All welcome.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The Chamber of Imagery." Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Speaking by Rev. M. J. Fenenga, an exceeding interesting speaker. Free seats and every one invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Charles H. Emmons, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Keeping the Heart Right." Sunday School at 11.45. International lessons. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Preaching by Dr. Dwight M. Hodge of Tufts college, on "The Eternal Life." Special music at both services. Mr. Varney will sing at the evening service. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the Rev. Ernest W. Hunt of Boston. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's Religious Union at 7 o'clock. All are invited.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Motives for Missions." Sunday School at 12.10. Junior Endeavor at 3 P. M. Vesper service and Baptism at 4 P. M. Young People's service at 6.30. All not worshipping elsewhere are invited.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The Twelve." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. at 6 o'clock. Evening service at 7 o'clock, conducted by the pastor. Subject: "The Unknown Man." You are cordially invited.

METHODIST CHURCH ATLANTIC, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45 A. M. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "Abiding with Jesus." Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30 P. M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The Solitudes of the Soul."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue. — Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Reality." Golden Text: "For, behold, I create new heavens and a new earth; and the former shall not be remembered, nor come into mind. But be ye glad and rejoice forever in that which I create; for, behold, I create Jerusalem a rejoicing, and her people a joy." Isaiah, 65: 17, 18. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings with gentlemen in attendance. All are welcome.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, March 15, 1905.

State politics begin to loom up in the business of the session, and we may expect that there will henceforth be at least ruffles on the hitherto placid surface of the legislative sea. For instance, it seemed, in the few minutes' debate yesterday upon Mr. Luce's proposition that the state retain the railroad corporation tax, as if the question of the state tax would be a perplexing and burdensome one, for, instead of its being $1,500,000 to $2,500,000, as it has been for the last 30 years, it must this year be at least $4,000,000, which is the highest ever known, or $4,250,000. Mr. Schofield of Ipswich, democrat, reflected pretty strongly upon Gov. Bates, though he did not name him, for using his efforts last year to keep the state tax down, presumably for political purposes, in order that his election might not be endangered by a big state tax, when there was good excuse for putting it up $1,000,000, on account of the state's taking charge of the insane poor of the cities and towns, and when the people would have accepted the explanation without charging it against the republican administration. So, before we get through with it, state finances may cause considerable debate, though, after all, there are the debts to pay and the state will have to pay them, which means that the tax must go higher.

But there is politics also in the reciprocity and tariff business. It is evident with half an eye to any reader that such a weak set of resolutions as was reported in support of the recommendation of the governor for freer trade relations with Canada was the outcome of nothing but political exigency. They declare for such relations, but only at a time which will never come. Therefore the high tariff men are justified in reporting them and the low tariff men must take them as the best they can get. Therefore the committee was able to be unanimous in support of this resolution. Again, since everybody, Senator Lodge included, is in favor of free hides, it was safe to declare unanimously for free hides, though it is possible that this might not have been included had it not been for Mr. Allen of Brockton, who comes from a shoe town, who has been in the shoe business and is a representative from the governor's city. Mr. Cushman of Somerville does not believe in them, but he does not dissent strongly enough to care to go on record publicly against free hides. On the industrial commission, the division on the governor's recommendation is on party lines (counting Mr. McCann of Lynn as a dissenter, as he is said to be, though he is not recorded,) save that Mr. Allen stands with the democrats, with Brockton and with the governor. But there is plenty of outside republican support for the governor's plan and it is not yet certain that it will be finally defeated.

Gov. Douglas's plan for mobilization of the militia in the western part of the state, if the expense of transportation does not compel the selection of an eastern location, may fail altogether because of the refusal of the national government to send the infantry, cavalry and artillery asked for. Gen. Chaffee's statement that the expense will be prohibitive seems to put an end to it, unless Massachusetts volunteers to foot the bills, and, considering our finances, she will not do that. But it will not be a source of great popular regret if this mobilization does not occur, for it will be remembered that the entire labor organization is against this militia business and objects to its members' being members of militia companies. Fear that the militia might be called upon to repress labor disturbances is doubtless the cause of this feeling.

More consequence to the public than they imagine depends upon the gas consolidation scheme in Boston. The question is whether there shall be put in, as a part of the capital, some $6,000,000 worth of property which is not used at all for the production of gas and which the public would have to pay dividends upon as a part of the investment if the present law of 1903 is permitted to stand. The total capitalization, as admitted by the gas combination managers, would be about $20,000,000, though the expert employed by the commission put upon it a value of $25,000,000. But only about $14,000,000 is wanted for the gas business. The combination wants to saddle the $6,000,000 upon the public as basis of declaring dividends. If it were not for the constant illustration of the way these combinations skin the public and the way they manipulate legislatures, it would be said, on the face of it, that such a preposterous proposition would never become law. But we must not forget that the men who want it to be law are our distinguished citizens, great philanthropists, perhaps church members, and high in social and financial circles. That is the situation which the plain public has to fight.

The unanimous adverse report against biennial elections of state officers and of members of the legislature is going through, apparently without a word of debate. The merits of the case were not considered much by the committee, for the evidence was conclusive that there is no popular interest for biennials and that it would be of no use to inaugurate a campaign for them at this time.

The automobilists gain some consideration from the committee on roads and bridges and perhaps their bills will go through, for it is based upon a petition from the secretary of the state highway commission, asking that local authorities have power to exempt certain roads from the operation of the speed-limit law, so that the chaffeurs may drive their machines as fast as they please. The bill reported yesterday permits this apparently, but the roads which are to be exempted from this law, if the bill passes, must be thoroughly advertised. The pressure of the automobilists to get more privileges upon the public highways is very strong and they have lots of money and influence to support them.

It looks as if the labor men would lose their fight for the bill to permit what is called peaceful picketing, that is, the opportunity for striking workmen to talk with the strike-breakers who are taking their places and try to persuade them to join the strike. The representatives of the working men on the labor committee have dissented from the adverse report, but the republican majority of the committee, with the exception of Mr. Ross of New Bedford, who always stands with the labormen, are against them and therefore that makes it quite certain that the house will sustain the majority unless something revolutionary occurs, and there is no reason to expect that.

While the house promises to stand by the direct inheritance tax of 2 per cent on all property passing by inheritance or by will, with the exemption of $15,000 real and $5,000 personal estate, yet the senate may be relied upon to defeat it, the same as last year, unless this senate is a very different body from any previous one. The reform argument always persuades the house; the personal interests affected always defeat the bill in the senate and doubtless always will until the people attend to the senate.

This afternoon the house has had its last encounter over the bill to require the percentage of alcohol in patent medicines to be put upon the outside of the package or bottle. The manufacturers of these medicines, largely through Mr. Hayes of Lowell, where the great establishments of Hood and Ayer are situated, opposed the bill with all their power, but the sentiment was too strong for them that the public was entitled to know the percentage of alcohol. Some of the Boston democrats voted for the bill also, a sufficient number to have defeated it if they had all voted the other way, for the bill was passed to be engrossed by vote of 109 to 88, and the sarcastic, respectable men of the minority call attention to the fact that another temperance measure has been passed by the votes of the extremists and the liquor men,—so they say. Now the question is whether the patent medicine manufacturers cannot defeat the bill in the senate.

It was a lively debate in the house upon the bill to prevent the sale of undrawn poultry, and the performance of Mr. Birch of Milford in producing in the committee-room an undressed fowl to illustrate his argument about the horrid condition of undrawn fowls was improved upon by the two birds which Mr. Stevens of Somerville presented in the house to show how much worse it would be to have poultry drawn so that the water from the ice in which they are packed could reach the internal parts. The bill was defeated by a very large majority.

Gov. Douglas's idea of a trade school had strong indorsement this forenoon, before the committee on education, and the labor representatives got a postponement in order to prepare their case better. But they have a formidable task before them. Education is at too much of a premium over ignorance.

Rule.

The Brown-tail Moth.

Editor of the Patriot:

The article in Saturday's Ledger on the brown-tail moth, calls attention to a condition of things evidently not fully realized and already long neglected by the people generally. Though we are not threatened with famine or pestilential disease, still the presence of this insect is a fact not pleasant to contemplate, and vigorous and concerted action in regard to the matter is essential to the best interests of the city, and the comfort and well being of its people.

Winter nests of the brown-tail may be seen on trees in all parts of the city, but Houghs Neck and Quincy Point seem to have had the heaviest visitation. Nearly two hundred were taken recently from seven pear trees in the Fore River district. These nests are occupied by from fifty to two hundred and fifty young moths, batched from eggs which were deposited in the late summer and early fall of last year. As soon as the leaf-buds break these worms spread over the tree and begin their work of devastation. If undisturbed they, in their turn, will become parents and in another year will have multiplied many fold.

If, like the tent-caterpillar, they confined their work to one section of the tree they might be reached after leaving the nest; but as they are upon every part of the tree, the proposition becomes a more serious one, if left until then. The nests which are plainly visible while the tree is bare are usually upon the extremity of a twig and may be cut off without mutilating the tree to any great extent.

Dr. W. G. Kendall, Thomas Gurney and W. B. Glover of Atlantic, who take great interest in and care vigilantly for their trees, have had the nests taken off and destroyed. Perry Green of the Monatiquot greenhouses and Mr. Smith of the Vermont house have taken similar action. Doubtless others have been awake to the situation and taken proper action.

Pear trees seem to be the first choice of this insect with apple trees a good second. Stone fruits such as cherries, plums and peaches are almost entirely free from them in Quincy at present.

By providing himself with a Waters' tree pruner, having a ten foot pole and costing one dollar, any owner or tenant of a place having trees could get off the nests himself, or he could hire a man who was used to the work and had the proper appliances. In this way most of the fruit trees in Quincy could be cleaned of the brown-tail moth's nests, at a comparatively small outlay to each owner and the more elaborate and expensive method of spraying, to a great extent be avoided.

The shade trees present a more difficult proposition to deal with. The maples are not as a rule infested, but the elms contain a great many nests many of which are in the highest places and upon the extreme tips of the branches. These can be reached only by expert tree climbers furnished with proper equipment.

The outlay will be necessarily larger than in dealing with the lower growing trees and the sooner intelligent and energetic action is taken, the smaller the outlay will be.

There is a company in Boston, which takes contracts for clearing trees by expert men fully equipped with all modern appliances. They insure their own men and the charge is $10 a day for a gang of three. Some such method as this may be the most effective way of treating the tallest and difficult trees.

Whatever information there may be in this article has been gained by the writer through observation and inquiry and is not offered as authoratative but suggestive.

Evidently tree-owners have a duty to themselves and to the community and the fact that the city is by far the largest tree-owner is significant in this connection. G. H. Higgins.

Atlantic, March 13, 1905.

Pine Tree Club.

The meeting of the Pine Tree State Association which was held Thursday, March 9, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Chase, was very well attended notwithstanding the rain. The meeting was the largest of the winter, over fifty being present.

A fine musical program was very successfully rendered and greatly enjoyed by all. The reciting of one of Longfellow's beautiful poems by Master Elton Chase is also worthy of mention.

A table in the center of one room was graced with a large bouquet of pinks, directly from Maine; they were sent especially for the occasion.

Delicious refreshments were served.

The membership of the Pine Tree State Association is increasing, new members being added at each meeting. The members are making an effort to reach any people from Maine now residing in Quincy, who are not members of the association. Any such who will present themselves at the next meeting will receive a cordial welcome.

The next meeting will be held March 23, at 65 Independence avenue.

Wollaston Unitarian Club.

It was a problem to find accommodations at the annual ladies' night of the Wollaston Unitarian club, for just 112 attended the grand banquet Tuesday evening in the vestry of the church. It was a full dress party, the ladies being prettily gowned in the latest creations.

On the head table was a vase of beautiful Lawson pinks with long stems, and on the other tables in pots were azaleas, tulips jonquils, and other spring flowers from Patterson's greenhouses.

A very substantial menu was served by H. J. Seiler which gave excellent satisfaction. It included bouillon, roast beef and gravy, salads, croquettes and spaghetti, rolls, ice-cream, frozen pudding, sherbets, cake and coffee.

While the guests were assembling in the church auditorium there were organ selections, and during the banquet, there was delightful music by the mandolin club of Wollaston.

At the business meeting President Sprague appointed as the committee to nominate officers for next year: J. Q. Litchfield, J. H. Broughton and Rufus Poole.

The club also accepted a large bust of Lincoln, the work of William Ordway Partridge, and voted hearty thanks to the unknown donor.

President Sprague's fame as a presiding officer is well known by club members, and he was particularly good at the post prandial exercises on this occasion. He told stories, paid the ladies a pretty compliment, and gave the speaker of the evening a good introduction.

Guy A. Ham, Esq., of Dorchester, the able assistant United States District Attorney, was the guest of honor, and his subject was Abraham Lincoln. As a preface, he told several stories, mostly his personal experiences, which met with great favor.

He did not attempt to sketch the life of Lincoln, but spoke mainly of his elements of character, saying the prominent ones in Lincoln's life should be found in every public man and private citizen. Reference was made as to the time of his birth, and he was considered a man of destiny, raised up by providence.

Justice and honesty predominated in the life of Lincoln. He had the courage to stand for what was right. The speaker without the aid of notes made several quotations in support of the above assertions.

The purpose of Lincoln was to preserve the American institutions, to preserve liberty of all the people. Our government is not always conducted for the majority, but sometimes for the favored few, but the nation which stands for mankind receives divine support. President Roosevelt has called the attention of the people to the dangers of today. There have been new evidences of persons seeking special privileges not allowed to all.

We should drive forth individuals who seek to deride and debauch the laws. Remember the characteristics of Lincoln—love of fellow man, love of God, love of country.

The address of forty minutes was frequently applauded.

President Sprague had a few kind words for Rev. Frank W. Pratt, the founder of the club, who will soon move to Hopedale to assume his duties as pastor, regretting very much that he was going, and concluding by presenting a mysterious little package. But valuable articles are often concealed in small packages, and ere this Mr. Pratt has found a valuable pair of gold cuff buttons and also a set of studs.

Mr. Pratt was embarrassed at the unexpected turn of affairs but expressed sincere appreciation of the mysterious gift. He also was pleased at the gift of the bust of Lincoln for the vestry, and spoke briefly of Lincoln, and his great trait of character—simplicity, which we should all emulate. He left the club with the feeling that good work was going on.

Walter E. Simmons did not propose that he should leave the club, and upon his motion the club voted to continue Mr. Pratt as a life member.

Upon motion of F. H. Bishop hearty thanks were also given Guy A. Ham, the speaker of the evening.

At the head table were President Eugene H. Sprague with the guest of the evening, Guy A. Ham, Esq., on his right, and Mrs. Sprague on his left. Also Rev. F. W. Pratt and wife, Walter E. Simmons and wife, Thomas Lacey and wife, Charles B. Luard, Mrs. Fanny L. Johnson.

No Leper Colony Here.

Quincy people will be glad to learn from good authority that a leper colony will not be established at Hangman's Island.

The article in Tuesday's Ledger, taken from a Boston paper, stirred up a hot bed of protest. Citizens all over the city immediately became aroused, and vigorous steps were contemplated to stop it.

Mayor Thompson became thoroughly alive to the situation. He felt that the establishing of such a colony so near Quincy would become a great damage to the city. He lost no time in looking into the matter and began an investigation.

He kept his telephone line hot for a time communicating with parties at the State House. It was a most discouraging job. He was constantly referred from one party to another until he finally landed on Rev. John D. Wells a former resident of Quincy, who is secretary of the State Board of Charities.

From Mr. Wells, Mayor Thompson learned that Hangman's island had not been considered, and that there was no truth in the story.

Another thing that would prevent this island being taken is its smallness. It is doubtful if it would be large enough, as its greatest breadth is only about fifty feet.

Representative Freeman said that this matter was one which came before the Legislative committee of which he was a member, and he could assure the citizens that there was nothing in the story, as Hangman's Island was not being considered. The island contemplated is being kept secret for the present.

Merrymount Lodge.

The following officers of Merrymount lodge, A. O. U. W., were installed Tuesday night by D. P. Deputy, D. J. Sullivan and suite of Roxbury.

P. M. W.,—William G. Lang.
M. W.,—William G. Wheatly.
Foreman,—Edward Pierce.
Overseer,—A. J. Loring.
Receiver,—N. O. Parker.
Financier,—Charles H. Johnson.
Recorder,—A. H. Gilson.
Guide,—Albert Taber.
I. G.,—J. E. Bean.
O. G.,—E. Sutermeister.

Refreshments were served after the installation.

Fire Alarms.

The alarm from Box 26 at 10.30, Tuesday night caused a crowd to hurry toward City Square. A bright illumination in the sky was warning enough that there was a prospect of a good fire.

The fire was in a building on Chestnut street situated on the Willis estate. The building was occupied by the Quincy Sporting Goods Company.

Officer Goodhue turned in the alarm, and the Central station apparatus never made a quicker run to a fire.

In a remarkably short time a stream of water was being thrown into the building and the flames that for a few minutes had been leaping high into the air quickly died down. There was yet considerable fire on the inside and it was some further time before it was all out.

The fire was caused by an explosion of gasoline in the rear part of the store. There was an automobile there, as well as several bicycles that had been left for repairs. It appears that Mr. Lawson the proprietor had been at work trying to find a leak in the gasoline tank of the automobile.

He struck a match to light a cigar and a loud explosion followed. Mr. Lawson was enveloped in flames. His clothing took fire and he had hard work getting out. In a second, almost, the whole interior of the rear store was a mass of flames.

Officer Goodhue was near at hand and while he sprinted for the fire alarm box others entered the front part of the store and succeeded in removing some of the contents to the sidewalk.

The fire was confined to the rear part of the store which was badly gutted. The all out sounded about 10.45, it being a remarkably quick job.

The loss on the building is estimated at $500. Of the contents the loss on the automobile under construction is estimated at $300, and on bicycles and other stock $200.

A telephone call summoned the apparatus at the Central station to a fire at Bracketts wharf about 7.30 A.M. Wednesday. Chief Williams found it was more than a few men could cope with and promptly ordered Box 25 pulled.

The fire was in a house occupied by an Italian family named Mairanna Pagnotta, and owned by Charles McLaughlin and was badly damaged by fire some months ago. It evidently started in the ceilar and worked through the walls to the attic and it was some time before the firemen got at it.

The loss was about $300. Eleven Italians have been occupying the house, and were to move that day. Five had gone to work at the shipyard before the fire was discovered.

Elijah Stone Brown.

The funeral services of Elijah Stone Brown, conducted by the Rev. E. C. Emmons, were held Sunday at the Universalist church, where Mr. Brown had been a member for many years.

Paul Revere Post of the G. A. R. was represented and paid tribute to their fellow-comrade at the church and at the grave. Mr. Brown was the chaplain of Paul Revere Post for many years. Many beautiful flowers showed the love and sympathy of friends.

The W. R. C. was also well represented. During the services Frank A. Varney sang "Face to Face" and "One Sweetly Solemn Thought."

After the services the remains were taken to Mt. Wollaston cemetery where the burial service of Paul Revere Post were performed. The bearers were Mark E. Hanson, John W. Hersey, James H. Webb and William J. Young.

Mr. Brown was born in Jay, Maine, spending his boyhood days at Newton and Quincy, Mass. When the great news of the California gold fields was spread abroad he was among the first to venture forth. He worked at mining and farming until 1860.

When the Civil war broke out he quickly enlisted as a volunteer in the 5th California Infantry. Here he served under Kit Carson and Gen. Carlton, both in protecting Southern California from the Confederates and in putting down the Indian revolts. Later it became his duty to carry the U. S. mail over the Rocky mountains.

After the war was over he came to Quincy and entered into the carpentering business. He was forced to give this up on account of ill health.

Twenty-two years ago he became janitor of the Coddington school, also serving as sexton at different periods in this time at the Universalist and Congregational churches.

He married Miss Clara Sophia Newcomb of Quincy in 1869, who still survives him. There were seven children only three of whom are living.

Mr. Brown was a much respected citizen of Quincy. Although he lived quietly he was beloved by all, even the little children with whom he came in contact daily. During his last illness he was a great sufferer, but through it all he spread about him an atmosphere of love and cheerfulness. As he fought for our nation and flag with an ever loyal heart so he lived his life each day endearing many friends to him.

A Fine Concert.

A large audience was present at Faxon hall Tuesday evening at the sixth annual concert of the pupils of Frederick H. Lord, teacher of the mandolin, violin banjo and guitar. The program was a lengthy one, a greater part of the numbers being encored.

The program opened by two selections by an orchestra of seventy members all of whom were pupils of Mr. Lord. Other numbers on the program included trios for the banjo, mandolin and guitar, banjo duets, and solos on the several instruments. Other numbers were some very pleasing readings by Miss Mabel N. Simmons, and delightful vocal solos by Frank E. Conant.

The work of the pupils was very fine, and their execution showed the thoroughness of Mr. Lord their instructor. It was the best program that he ever presented in this city.

Parish Meeting.

The bell on First church summoned members of the First Congregational society to the annual parish meeting Monday evening in the good old fashioned way. John Q. A. Field was elected moderator and the business was expeditiously transacted.

These officers were elected:

Moderator,—J. Q. A. Field.

Assessors,—Henry M. Faxon, Luther S. Anderson and James H. Stetson.

Treasurer,—Luther S. Anderson.

Clerk,—George B. Dewson.

Collector,—George H. Field.

Trustees Adams Fund,—Charles H. Porter, L. H. H. Johnson and Charles A. Price.

Trustees Caroline Wood Fund and Sarah Vinal Funds,—Henry M. Faxon, Luther S. Anderson and James H. Stetson.

Flower Committee,—Mrs. Lewis Bass, Miss Alice K. Prescott, Miss Beatrice Tisdale and Mrs. Emery L. Crane.

—Miss Helen Stuart Wilson of Seattle, Wash., has been selected to name the armored cruiser Washington, to be launched at Camden, N. J., on Saturday.

Christopher A. Spear.

It was a shock to the citizens of Quincy, Tuesday morning to learn that Christopher A. Spear, a life-long citizen of Quincy and clerk of the City Council, had passed away. Few even knew that he had been ill. In fact his illness was of but brief duration.

He first complained of illness Sunday but it was not until Monday that he took to his bed. He remained in bed all day Monday, but it was not thought that his illness was of a serious nature. He had severe neuralgia pains in his arm. During the night he grew worse, the neuralgia going to his heart, and he passed away shortly before 6 o'clock Tuesday.

Mr. Spear was born in Medford on Christmas day in 1839, and came to Quincy when a child. He was educated in our public schools. His first business was that of a clerk in the dry goods, furnishings, clothing and furniture store of George Saville. He later was employed in the book store and bindery of George L. Gill.

Mr. Gill at that time was town clerk, and during his absence Mr. Spear performed the duties of the office.

When the war broke out Mr. Spear at the age of 22, enlisted for three months in Co. H., 4th Mass., under Capt. Frank Curtis, and was in the battle of Great Bethel. After the expiration of his term of enlistment, he entered the navy and from the frigate Roanoke saw the famous engagement between the Monitor and Merrimac.

After the war he went on a foreign cruise, visiting South America and Africa. On his return he entered the employ of Joseph W. Lombard, then a custom tailor, becoming a partner and finally succeeding him in business, which he carried on for many years.

He had held many offices in the gift of the town. He served on the board of Selectmen in 1882, 1883, 1884, and 1885, each year as secretary. He also served on the board of Registrars of Voters and trustees of the Woodward Fund.

With the inauguration of the city government Mr. Spear was appointed City Clerk, which office he filled until February, 1894, when he was removed by Mayor Hodges. He was also elected Clerk of the first City Council, and served continuously in that capacity until his death.

When the office of clerk of committees was established, Mr. Spear was elected to that office. It is somewhat remarkable that during all the seventeen years Mr. Spear has served as clerk of the city council, he has been absent at but two meetings.

Mr. Spear was married in 1878 to Miss Kate Hughes, who survives him. He was a member of Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., and one of the charter members of the Knights of Pythias when that order had a lodge in Quincy.

The funeral was held Thursday from his late residence on Newcomb street. The services were of a simple nature in accordance with the wish of family, and were conducted by Rev. William E. Gardner, rector of Christ church.

The casket was almost hidden beneath a wealth of beautiful flowers. These included a standing cross and crown from the City Council, a large bunch of roses from the departments at City Hall, and an emblematic piece from the Weymouth lodge, Knights of Pythias. There were also many beautiful flowers from the family and friends.

There was a large attendance of present and former representatives of the city government, including two of the five living ex-Selectmen, Hon. Charles H. Porter and George H. Field.

All but five of the present City Council attended the services. They met at City Hall, and headed by City Messenger Tirrell marched to the house, and escorted the remains to Mt. Wollaston cemetery. The bearers were President Nichols, Councilmen Piper, Hughes and Bass, George H. Field and George W. Morton.

Among the others present were Mayor James Thompson, City Treasurer H. G. Fay, City Clerk Harrison A. Keith, Commissioner Thomas F. Burke, City Solicitor William R. Thomas, City Engineer Hamilton Flood, Chief of Police Frank E. Burrell, Chief Engineer Peter J. Williams, Assessors Charles H. Johnson, Julius Johnson and William B. Glover, Overseer Fred F. Green, ex-Mayors Charles H. Porter and John O. Hall, ex-City Treasurers Horace B. Spear, Clarence Burgin and James F. Burke, ex-Commissioner W. W. Ewell, ex-Chief of Police Joseph W. Hayden, ex-Selectman George H. Field, ex-Councilman F. L. Jones, and Postmaster Charles L. Hammond.

School Attendance.

The average daily attendance at the public schools of the city for the four weeks ending March 3, was upwards of 5,000. Because of sickness the percentage of 90.3 is below the average. The percentage of the High, the John Hancock, and the Cranch were considerably above the average of the city. But one case of tardiness was reported at the Gridley Bryant, only 4 at the John Hancock, and the Willard with 800 pupils reported only 6.

	Whole No. at Date.	Av. Daily Attendance.	Per cent. of Daily Attendance.	Tardinesses.	Dismissal.	Truancy.
High	603	55[illegible].8	92.6	113	25	—
Adams	475	423.6	89.3	105	23	—
Coddington	459	398.5	87.6	21	23	—
Cranch	311	289.4	92.1	31	27	—
Gridley Bryant	316	272.7	87.0	1	23	—
John Hancock	356	330 3	92.4	4	7	—
Lincoln	444	401.6	90.4	36	10	—
Mass. Fields	400	335.1	91.3	17	51	—
Quincy	4[illegible]3	422.4	87.7	28	16	—
Washington	463	416.4	89.6	55	28	2
Willard	869	799.7	91 8	6	4	—
Wollaston	370	330.6	89.3	41	53	—
	5,519	5,003.1	90.3	459	290	2

The funeral of Henry A. Nash at Weymouth on Wednesday was largely attended by town officials. The Rev. R. J. Haughton officiated and the pall bearers were Augustus J. Richards, Charles P. Hunt, Francis H. Cowing, Arthur E. Pratt, George H. Bicknell and Charles A. Hayward.

—Gen. Joseph R. Hawley is reported critically ill at Washington.

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William W. Jenness.

William Whittier Jenness, a well known member of the Quincy bar, died at his home on Whitwell street, on Monday night. Mr. Jenness had ptomaine poison last Christmas, and has been in poor health ever since. He was able to be out, however, a week ago. Last Saturday he took a sudden cold. Complications set in which developed into double pneumonia, from which he died.

Mr. Jenness was born in Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 25, 1861. He removed to Alton Corner, that state, when a young child. Here he passed his early years receiving his education in the public schools and at Bates college from which he was graduated in 1885. Leaving college he taught school for a year, and then entered Boston University from which he was graduated in the class of 1888.

He was admitted to the Massachusetts and New Hampshire bars and practiced law for a year in Lancester, N. H.

He came to Quincy in 1890 and associated himself with Judge E. C. Bumpus. He remained with Judge Bumpus for a number of years. Of late he has been associated with George W. Abele, Esq., with offices in Quincy and Boston.

Lawyer Jenness was also largely interested in real estate in Quincy and owned a farm in New Hampshire, where he passed his summers.

He married Ella A. Becker of Chelsea June 29, 1899, who with one son survives him.

He was a member of the Quincy Bar association and the Granite City club.

The funeral was held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock from Christ Church and was conducted by Rev. William E. Gardner. Three hymnals by the surpliced choir added solemnity to the service.

There was a large attendance, many business men being present, in addition to a large number of Norfolk county lawyers. Paul R. Blackmur and George W. Abele were the ushers at the church, and the bearers were: Judge E. C. Bumpus, District Attorney Asa P. French, Dr. Nathaniel S. Hunting, Robert E. Turner, Joseph P. Prout and Julius Johnson.

The Norfolk County Bar Association was represented by Judge Albert E. Avery, Clerk of Courts Louis A. Cook, John P. S. Churchill, Albert P. Worthen, and District Attorney Asa P. French.

The Quincy Bar Association was represented by William G. A. Pattee, Walter S. Pinkham, John W. McAnarney, Paul R. Blackmur, and Judge E. C. Bumpus.

Other members of the bar present were: John D. Mackay, Frank A. Tirrell, Edward J. Parker, George E. Adams, J. J. McAnarney, Charles H. Wilson, John McKnight and George H. Brown of Quincy, R. Arthur Leeds and J. S. Allen, Jr., of Boston.

Representatives of the Quincy business men and the Granite City club were also present.

There was a profusion of beautiful flowers, which included set pieces from the family and associations with which he was affiliated, and from personal friends.

The remains will be taken to Alton Corner, N. H., today, for burial.

League Bowling.

The Quincys lost all three games in the Old Colony bowling league on Thursday evening to the Holbrooks by scores of 461 to 433, 459 to 421, and 449 to 421. Westland did the best work for the Quincys,

The Quincy Pointers forfeited their games to the South Braintrees, and the Weymouths won two out of three from East Weymouth.

The District Court.

Thomas Sullivan was sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Quincy.

Frederick A. Davis was fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

John Connors was sent to the State farm for being a tramp at Quincy.

William H. Smith was arraigned for disturbing the peace at Quincy and was fined $5.

The continued cases of A. A. Linscott was called. A plea of nolo contendere was entered and the cases placed on file on payment of costs.

Thomas T. Mulkenian was fined $5, Thomas F. Kearns, $3, and Lawrence DeCoste, $3, for drunkenness at Quincy.

Joseph Macalini was fined $10 for assault on an officer at Quincy.

Frank Yovanna was fined $15 for drunkenness at Quincy; a complaint against him for assault on an officer was placed on file.

Fred Yovanna was fined $25 for rescuing a prisoner at Quincy.

James McLaughlin of Quincy was brought into court on a default warrant for drunkenness and fined $15.

Peter Casett was arraigned for assault at Weymouth. Case continued until next Tuesday.

Warren Fletcher paid a fine of $15 for cruelty to a horse at Braintree.

George Milligan and John Knightly were sentenced to thirty days in the house of correction for drunkenness at Quincy.

Michael J. Grey was fined $3 for drunkenness at Randolph.

Patrick Cain was arranged for drunkenness at Quincy. Case continued until March 23.

Fred Hammant was arranged for assault at Quincy. Case continued until April 1.

The continued case of James H. Fleming, for attempted assault at Milton, was called. Examination was waived and he was held in $1,000 for the grand jury.

Louis Erickson was arraigned for malicious injury to personal property at Quincy. Case continued until March 25.

James De Forest was arraigned for non support at Quincy. Case continued until May 1

Deaths.

JENNESS—In Quincy, March 14, Mr. William W. Jenness, aged 43 years, 6 months and 19 days.

SPEAR—In Quincy, March 14, Mr Christopher A. Spear, aged 65 years, 2 months and 19 days.

NOLEN—In Quincy, March 12, at the residence of Mrs. Cushing Lane, Mr. Albert Valentine Nolen of Plainfield, New Jersey, formerly of Boston.

HALL—In West Quincy, March 14, Mr. William J. Hall of 19 Larry place, aged 51 years.

MANNING—In West Quincy, March 13, Miss Mary, daughter of Mr. Michael and Mrs. Julia Manning of 11 Railway street, aged 15 years, 8 months and 19 days.

FIELD—In Wollaston, March 15, Mrs. Adeline, wife of Mr. Seymour Field of 18 Newton street, aged 52 years.

RIGBY—In Montclair, March 13, Mr. Elisha Rigby of Arbell street, aged 73 years and 6 days.

COPELAND—In Taunton, March 16, Mrs. Alida J., widow of Mr. John Copeland of Squantum street, aged 67 years.

JENNINGS—In Braintree, March 14, Susan Ann, widow of Samuel W. Jennings, aged 74 years, 1 month and 9 days.

HATHAWAY—In Braintree, March 15, Mr. Elias Hathaway, aged 69 years.

BENT—In Braintree, March 14, Miss Sarah A. Bent of Quincy, aged 94 years, 3 months and 4 days.

HAVEN—In Milton, March 14, Mrs. Rebecca Elizabeth, widow of Mr. Joseph Haven, aged 50 years and 9 months.

McCORMACK—In Milton, March 14, Miss Ellen, daughter of Mr. Frank I. and Mrs. Catherine McCormack, of High street, in her 16th year.

NICHOLS—In Randolph, March 12, Mr. Charles Henry Nichols, aged 44 years.

BARRY—In Randolph, March 15, Thomas Barry, of Warren street

RILEY—In Randolph, March 14, Mr. Philip Riley, of Liberty street, aged 39 years.

WALES—In Randolph, March 13, Mrs Sarah T Wales, widow of John Wales, in her 82d year.

NASH—In Weymouth Heights, March 12, Mr. Henry A. Nash, aged 75 years

STODDARD—In Marshfield, March 11, Mr. Enos M. Stoddard, in his 82d year.

FORD—In Scituate, March 11, Mr. John J. Ford, in his 56th year.

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On and after March 13, 1905, trains will run as follows: (Subject to change without notice.)

TO BOSTON Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *5 14	abcdefghi	5 42	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 27	cba	6 46 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 27	cba	8 49 r
r 7 43	abc	8 03	9 25	ihgfedcba	9 54 r
			9 43	Exp.	9 59
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 27	cba	10 49 r
r 8 13	abc	8 33	10 45	Exp.	11 02
r 8 27	abd	8 45	11 25	ihgfedcba	11 54 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	11 43	Exp.	11 59
9 01	Exp.	9 16	12 27	cba	12 49 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	12 45	Exp.	1 02
10 01	Exp.	10 17	12 57	cba	1 19 r
r 10 13	abc	10 33	1 27	cba	1 49 r
10 59	Exp.	11 15	1 57	cba	2 19 r
r 11 09	abcdefghi	11 37	2 27	cba	2 49 r
12 02	Exp.	12 17	2 45	Exp.	3 02
r 12 13	abc	12 33	3 27	cba	3 49 r
12 59	Exp.	1 15	3 45	Exp.	4 02
r 1 13	abc	1 33	4 12	a	4 31 r
r 1 43	abc	2 03	4 27	cba	4 49 r
r 2 13	abc	2 33	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 13	abc	3 33	5 15	a	5 34 r
r 3 43	abc	4 03	5 19	dba	5 40 r
r 4 13	abc	4 33	5 27	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 13	abc	5 33	5 46	ihgfedcba	6 15 r
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 57	cba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 15	dba	6 36 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 27	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 57	fedcba	7 23 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	9 27	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 27	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
r 11 03	abc	11 32	10 50	ihgfedcba	11 19 r
			11 27	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

TO BOSTON Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 7 43	abc	8 03	6 24	ihgfdcba	6 52 r
8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
r 9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 08	abcdefghi	7 35	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
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r 10 15	abc	10 38	9 28	ihgfedcba	9 57 r
			10 28	cba	10 49 r

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate the trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 10.19 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 10.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.40 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.15 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY—7.51 8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 10.24 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 8.16 10.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

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Via Norfolk Downs—7 30 A. M., and every 30 minutes past the hour until 8.30 P. M., then 9.46 and 10.10 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.05 6.35 A. M., then every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 10.35 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.35 P. M.

NEPONSET TO QUINCY.

Via Hancock Street—6.05 6.10 6.40 7.00 A. M., then on the even hour and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7.50 and 9 A. M., then on the even hour until 11 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.30 7.30 A.M., then on the even hour and half hour until 12 o'clock midnight.

Cars leaving on the even hour and half hour run through to Brockton and Weymouth Landing.

QUINCY TO NORTH WEYMOUTH.

5.15, 6.05, 6.20, *6.40, 6.50, *7.10, 7.20, *7.40, 7.50, *8.10, 8.20, 8.50, *9.10, 9.20, *9.40, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, *3.10, 3.20, *3.40, 3.50 *4.10, 4.20, *4.40, 4.50, *5.10, 5.20, *5.35, *5.40, 5.50, *6.10, 6.20, *6.40, 6.50, *7.10, *7.20, *7.40, 7.50, *8.10, 8.20, 8.50, *9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, *11.20, *11.50 and 11.50 P. M. (Wednesdays and Saturdays only.)

* Quincy Point only.

QUINCY POINT TO QUINCY.

*6.25, *6 55, *7.05, 7.10, *7.25, 7.35, *7.55, 8.05, *8 25, 8.35, *8.55, 9.05, *9.25, 9.35, *9.55, 10.05, *10.25, *10.55, *11.25, *11.55 A. M., *12.25, *12.55, *1.25, *1.55, *2.25, *2.55, *3.25, 3.35, *3 55, 4.05, *5.25, 5.35, *5.55, 6.05, *6.25 6.35, *6.55, 7.05, *7.25, 7.35, *7.55, 8.05, *8.25, 8.35, *8.55, *9.25, *9.55, *10 25, *10.55, *11.25, *11.55, 12.05 P. M. (12.05 P. M. from North Weymouth Wednesday and Saturdays only.)

* Through cars from Weymouth.

QUINCY TO BRAINTREE.

6.20 A. M. and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 10.50 P. M.

QUINCY TO EAST MILTON.

5.40 A. M. and every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 10.35 P. M., then 10.50 P. M.

EAST MILTON TO QUINCY.

6.10, 6 30, A. M. then on the even hour and half hour until 11.30 P. M.

QUINCY TO WEYMOUTH LANDING.

5.20 5.55 6.30 6.55 A. M., then every 25 and 55 minutes past the hour until 9.55 P. M., then 10.30 P. M.

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Leave QUINCY—Week Days—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A. M., 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 5.10, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P. M. Saturday night, 11.50 P. M., as far as there are passengers to go. Sundays—7.00 A. M. then on the even hour until 3.00 P. M., then 3.50, 5.10, then on even hour until 10.50 P. M.

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Poetry.

An Ode to Spring.

TOWNSEND ALLEN.

Come hurry up, O Spring,
Your balmy breezes bring;
We're tired of poet's gush,
Right in the snow and slush;
Of "blue bird song" and "flowers"
And "daffodils" and 'bowers."

Come hurry up, O Spring,
Your balmy breezes bring;
We're tired of frost and snow,
And beastly blizzard blow;
We're tired of shakes and chills,
And paying big coal bills.

Come hurry up, O Spring,
Your balmy breezes bring;
We're tired of colds and grip.
(Sub rosa take a tip,
Our flannels are worn thin,
Our rubbers gape and grin.)

Come hurry up, O Spring,
Your balmy breezes bring;
We're tired of salted eggs,
Your poet humbly begs
Relief from tin can stuff,
Cold storage fare is rough.

Come hurry up, O Spring,
Your balmy breezes bring;
Don't linger in the lap
Of winter; start the sap,
And stir things up anew,
Get up and hustle, do.

Notes and Comments.

—When Rev. Dr. Henson, of Tremont Temple, publicly calls a scientific man of such reputation as Dr. Osler a "gas bag," and a "blooming idiot," he doesn't raise himself in the estimation of the public—Somerville Journal.

—Indiana has got a real cigarette law. It has been passed by the legislature and signed by the Governor. It prohibits everybody from directly or indirectly selling or giving away a cigarette and from keeping or owning any cigarettes or cigarette paper. There is a fine of $50 for a first offense and the more you smoke or sell cigarettes the greater the fine, and if the offense is persisted in, jail stares the offender in the face. The result of the passage of the law will be awaited with interest. This is the first state to make it an offense to own a cigarette.—Banker and Tradesman.

—Theodore Roosevelt is the youngest man who ever occupied the presidential office. He will not be 47 until next October. He is the twenty-ninth president.

—The legislative committee on public health has decided not to report a bill favoring the cutting off of the sale of cigarettes. Perhaps the committee has watched the fashion in which the law relative to keeping cigarettes away from children is not enforced, and thinks there's no use.—Stoughton Sentinel.

—The improved health conditions at Panama are only another convincing proof that the incoming of American enterprise and hard work in the sickly hot zones can do exactly the same thing that was so thoroughly done in Cuba. There was considerable fear among an army of pessimists that malaria and yellow fever would knock out within a very short time the ablest of our engineers down there in Panama, but it is "Yellow Jack" himself that is being knocked out, by no other medicine than the "knock-out" drops of cleanliness and intelligent sanitary methods applied broadcast.—Boston Courier.

—Miss Stone is to return to Turkey. It will be hard work to raise money for the second ransom.

—Alas for the Christian example set in many of our cities when it status comes to so featuresome a pass as to cause Hindu priests to say to Hindu fathers: "Send your sons to America, and that will cure them of Christianity." Pity 'tis, 'tis true. But no one knows our own inconsistencies better than we do ourselves, let the Hindus rant as they may. We have much to learn from them—and they also from us.—Boston Courier.

—The ship of state in starting on a new four years' voyage never had a more popular, able and fearless captain on the bridge.—Mansfield News.

—A movement, said to be under the auspices of the State Board of Trade, is being made for biennial elections of Massachusetts state officers and legislatures leaving the Presidential election as usual. We fancy that it will fail, believing that business men will frown upon it as being liable to disturb trade and business. Massachusetts has always been known as conservative in acceptance of any change affecting political matters, and besides, she wants her officials situated so that if they are recreant to their duties they can annually be removed.—Athol Chronicle.

—A comparison of census figures shows that there are but twenty-seven larger cities in the world than Boston.

—Once, when asked how he regained his fortune after becoming practically penniless at 52, Jay Cooke said: "That is simple enough. By never changing the temperament I derived from my father and mother. From my earliest experience in life I have always been of a hopeful temperament, never living in a cloud. I have always had the reasonable philosophy to believe that men and times were better than harsh criticism would suppose. I knew that this American world of ours was full of wealth, and that it was only necessary to go to work and find it. That is the secret of my success in life. Always look on the sunny side." This is certainly a get-rich-quick scheme that cannot lose the investor any money, even if it shouldn't make him very much.—Wilkesbarre Times.

—Over $86,000,000 worth of imports during the past year is a record-breaker for Boston, placing the Hub third in rank of the country's ports. The gain over the previous year of something like $4,000,000 is made in the face of a heavy decline for the country as a whole.—Boston Courier.

—The Sunday Globe truthfully says: "Unfortunately there are men in this world who complain bitterly of having to pay 15 cents a gallon for kerosene, but who seem to be perfectly willing to pay 15 cents for a glass for whiskey."

—Samuel Hill, member of the board of overseers of Harvard university, has subscribed $50,000 to a special fund of $1,000,000 to relieve the annual deficiency existing at the institution.

—When a man who makes any claim to responsibility in what he says and does, asserts that the members of a state legislature have been bribed and "bought and sold as were sausages and fish at the markets and wharves," it certainly appears strange that he should find it necessary to afterwards advertise a reward for evidence to prove such an assertion. To declare that "it is common knowledge," is a very different thing from having the evidence to prove the charge.—Banker and Tradesman.

—Boston dealers are doing their best to uphold the campaign against adulterated food, having passed a unanimous vote at a recent meeting not to knowingly sell food containing preservatives or other substances added to improve the condition or appearance.

—At last the poor creditor has been considered of some account by a state legislature. The New York Assembly has passed a bill reducing from $20 to $12 the minimum weekly income which may be attached for unpaid bills for necessaries of life. The measure is one which has for years been favored by the state retail grocers. Legislation has for so many years been all in favor of the debtor that it is gratifying that once in a while the men who furnish the debtors with the necessaries of life, should be given a little something. They don't many of them get rich out of their business.—Banker and Tradesman.

—Every man has his price. And it is a good deal easier for him to get it if it is $100,000 a year than if it is $10 a week—provided he is worth it.—Somerville Journal.

—The king of Italy possesses a collection of coins worth more than $600,000 but it isn't "the finest and largest in the world," as stated. Mr. Rockefeller possesses a collection of coins that is worth considerably more than that.—Boston Globe.

—The patriotism of the Japanese is unrivalled. The new domestic loan was subscribed for twice over and within the country at that. These so-called heathens go forward in leaps when their country's interests are concerned.—Athol Chronicle.

—The month of February, just passed, was the remarkable close of a winter remarkable for the uniform severity of its weather, says the Middleboro Gazette. It is said by veteran meterological sharps to have been the most severe winter since 1856, and with but two exceptions, 1844 and 1856, the worst in a century. There have been nearly 50 days of sleighing in this locality since Dec. 1, which establishes the record for 40 years. The average mean temperature for Feb. was 23 degrees, which is 4 degrees lower than normal. A noteworthy feature of the month has been the almost entire absence of snow or rainfall, a succession of clear, cold days having been the rule.—Rockland Standard.

—The wife of Vice President Fairbanks graduated in the same class with her husband in college and law school, and afterwards took a degree in international and parliamentary law. Is this one of the reasons for the partnership?

—Mary Baker G. Eddy has grown weary of hearing the term "Mother" applied to herself, and has given notice to her followers that its use is to be discontinued by them. Mr. Farlow, speaking in her behalf, says that "it has never been the fault of the newspapers, but of the Scientists themselves that the word has come into so unsatisfactory use," and adds that he wishes the papers would discontinue it also.

Many Visitors.

Over 1,200 people availed themselves on Sunday of the privilege of inspecting the palatial steamer Providence at the Fore River shipyard, and the Shipbuilders' club will net a handsome sum.

The management report that it was a very orderly crowd, and that little or no damage was done. Everything was so satisfactory that it is probable that at some later day arrangements can be made to open one of the battleships for inspection, the proceeds to go to the Quincy Hospital, or some other charity. The Patriot is informed that $4,000 was netted abroad one day at such an inspection.

The Patriot has been reqested not to "write up" the steamer, because the Fall River line are preparing an illustrated souvenir of the floating palace, but a few general remarks are necessary.

The Providence on Sunday was in charge of Henry R. Curwen of the Shipbuilders Club, who was held responsible for damage. All the members of the club entered so enthusiastically into the plans, that the arrangements were excellent. None who visited the steamer were disappointed, and it was a very favorable opportunity to make an inspection.

Members of the club, who are well acquainted with the work which has been done on the Providence, acted as guides, and kept the crowd moving in one direction.

The outside painting of the steamer is one of the last things to receive attention, so that a view of the exterior was not particularly inviting. While the inside is not complete it is well advanced.

The saloon is very attractive, being rich in stacco work and colors but not gaudy or vulgar. When the rich carpets and electric fixtures are in place it will certainly rival the sister boats on the Fall River line.

The drawing room is commodious and the decorations are in excellent taste. One could visit the silver room, the ice cream room, the well appointed kitchen and the directors' dining room.

The social hall and smoking room are also attractive. The purser has an excellent office. The barber shop is opposite.

There are commodious quarters for the frieght, very good sleeping quarters for the crew, and good arrangements for immigrants, although the line does not encourage these travellers.

There are staterooms of all kinds and sizes including several bridal chambers.

The electric plant is large and attracted attention.

Visitors were impressed with the great precautions that have been taken for safety, both from fire and accident.

The Providence is a mammoth boat. Her breadth is only eighteen inches less than the opening in the Quincy Point bridge, a leeway of only nine inches on each side. The pilot-house with its big wheels is 60 feet above the water. One can easily get lost in going about the vessel.

Wollaston Unity Club.

The regular meeting of the Wollaston Unity Club was held in the vestry of the Unitarian church March 10th. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. E. G. Cummings, and there were three papers, "Provisions for Homeless Children," "Child Labor" and "Training of Abnormal Children." The papers were exceedingly interesting and instructive, and showed a comprehensive knowledge of the subject.

The first paper on "Provisions for Homeless Children" was given by Miss Johnson, of Wollaston. She spoke of the "Marcella Street Home" which was founded in 1887. It was a bare, desolate place and was not used after 1898. The office for the finding of homes for orphans and destitute children is now at 30 Tremont street.

Children whose case needs attention are placed in good families, some boarded, others taken free of charge and some working for their board. All must go to school and care is taken that they are placed in families where they may keep their own religion.

The children who are being cared for, come under four classes: the juvenile offenders of ages ranging from seven to seventeen, neglected children, dependent orphans and infants.

The good work is being carried on today by two Boston societies, the Massachusetts Infant Association and the Children's Aid, the latter keeping up the work of the former as soon as the children reach a certain age.

Many of the babies whose fathers or mothers have died are sent to the Massachusetts Infant Asylum at Jamaica Plain, if they cannot be cared for at home. A close investigation of the means of the parent or guardian is made and he or she pays what can be afforded.

The second paper on "Child Labor" was given by Miss Turner, of Wollaston. Miss Turner told briefly the state of affairs in this country in regard to "Child Labor," and read from several papers articles which illustrate its horrors.

In spite of the laws in regard to "Child Labor" many children of few years spend a great part of their time in work which ends in delinquency. Little boys from seven years of age sell papers and black boots on the streets of crowded cities. Hundreds of children all over the country are employed in the canning industry, glass making, cotton manufacture and so forth.

Some foreigners have no conception of the worth of education for their children and to evade the carefully made laws prevaricate in regard to the ages of their children.

Many cases of child labor have ended in crime and to pay for this the child has perhaps made fifteen or twenty cents a day.

During the last year 17,196 children between the ages of fourteen and sixteen were employed in Massachusetts factories.

After a short intermission the program was resumed with a paper on "Training of Abnormal Children" by Miss Adams of Quincy.

Miss Adams said that she was only going to speak about deaf children and she didn't like to call them abnormal. There are schools for deaf children all over the country. "The American Asylum" at Hartford, a school at Northampton and the "Horace Mann school" of Boston are a few of the most important in Massachusetts.

Miss Adams teacher in the Horace Mann school and she limited her talk to the children of this school. The school was intended for Boston children but as far away as Marblehead are represented there. For those children who do not live in Boston the state pays $105 per capita, and all transportation expenses annually.

There are three kinds of deaf children the deaf mutes who were born totally deaf, the semi-deaf, whose hearing is affected in some way, and the semi-mutes who have had perfect hearing and have become totally deaf. Miss Adams explained the methods of teaching the deaf children which are employed in the Horace Mann school and told and illustrated the difficulties of lip reading.

The music of the evening consisted of several selections by a chorus of twelve eighth grade pupils of the Wollaston school, and a solo by Master Fred Bullock. The music was in charge of Mrs. Moulton.

President Crocker appointed Mrs. Chandler N. Smith, Mr. Charles E. Finch and Mr. Lacey as a committee to nominate the officers for next year. Before adjournment, it was voted not to conclude the season with a banquet as has been the custom.

Shipbuilder's Club.

A delightful entertainment was given by the committee of the Shipbuilders' club on Friday evening of last week and some ninety members and friends proved how quite inadequate the premises are for club functions of any description.

Among those present were H. G. Smith, Manager of the Fore River Shipbuilding Co., J. Drinker, forge engineer; Mr. Greser, transportation agent, Councilman Hynes, and many other prominent members.

Mr. Lassell ably carried out the duties of chairman. The program was of a lengthy and varied description, and undoubtedly the best yet rendered in the club, and it is no exaggeration to say that such vocalists as Messrs. Warmington, Hodge, Hendry, Williams, Dornan, Kennedy, Walker and Enright, with that brilliant elocutionist, J. Brown, together with such well known instrumentalists as Messrs. Luce, pianist; Meadows, mandolin; Bradley, violinist; and Foley, flutist, would draw a full audience to the best hall in Quincy at any time.

General Manager Smith made an appropriate speech, dwelling at length upon the utility and cosmopolitan nature of such clubs, and reiterated his readiness at any time to assist the club in every possible way likely to increase its popularity and success.

The genial foreman over "I" department who generously provided the refreshments, was unable to be present, but the thanks accorded him were none the less genuine on that account.

Members were invited to assist in keeping order on board the "Providence," whilst open to the general public on Sunday, nearly fifty readily responding. The usual thanks for their services were accorded all who had contributed to such an excellent program.

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Founder's Day at Woodward.

Long before the doors of the Woodward Institute were open Saturday night people were gathering, and by half past seven the hall was well filled. Founder's day is a most important event at this school. Of recent years the girls have given plays and so well have they acted and carried out the arrangements, that all their friends are anxious to secure admission tickets.

Promptly at eight o'clock the pupils marched in and occupied the seats reserved for them in front of the stage. A short musical program preceded the play, three songs being sung under the direction of Mr. John D. Buckingham, musical instructor at the school. Pupils come and go but the high musical standing of the school always seems to be maintained, and one is lead to ask what magic Mr. Buckingham has to always obtain such good results.

The selections sung were: "Saviour, Again to Thy Dear Name," by Kate Llewellyn, with solo by Miss Celina Beliveau; "The Gallant Troubadour," by Michael Watson; and "Good Night Beloved," by F. N. Lohr.

The play was "The Romancers" by Rostand, author of Cyrano de Bergerac. There were three scenes, the place being the adjoining gardens of Bergamin and Pasquin, fathers of the hero and heroine of the play.

There were the usual lovers, of the Romeo and Juliet sort; the hard parents determined apparently to separate them, a villian and bravos, with musicians, guests and all the characters necessary to a good presentation.

All the parts were taken by the girls of the school, there being representatives from classes 1905, 1906, 1907 and 1908. The play was prettily set, the gardens being full of flowering shrubs. The costumes were all correct in every detail and rich and beautiful. Those taking the parts of men wore mustaches and all the "etcs" necessary to the sterner sex; the bravo looking particularly fierce in black waxed mustache and Vandyke beard. Miss Helen King took this part and was unquestionably the star of the evening, carrying the part with a dash and swing, in fact in the true bravado spirit.

The play opened with the lovers on the wall dividing the two gardens, and planning how they can wed and escape from the wrath of their fathers. Later the fathers meet and congratulate each other on the success of their plans, as they wish the young people to marry. They pretend they are enemies and against the lovers meeting. They plan with the bravo to arrange a mock abduction of the daughter, where the son is to rescue her and then the parents forgive and arrange for the wedding.

Everything went as arranged but the bravo was so anxious to be paid the bill for his work and expenses that the plot was discovered by the lovers who quarreled and separated. All ended happily however as the bravo plots again and succeeded in bringing the lovers together again.

The lovers carried their parts well and were easy and natural. Miss Spear was a dainty little Sylvette. The two fathers quarrelled and plotted and sustained the roles with much credit. All the minor parts were carefully acted in all the little details, and it was a thoroughly good peformance throughout, reflecting credit on the actors and the school.

The Brown-tail Moth Here.

An active member of the Civic Commiteee of the new Quincy Women's club has discovered work which demands prompt attention. She writes as follows:

We are surprised and pained to learn that a persistent and insidious enemy has come to Quincy and is already busy in its work of destruction, and unless immediate and merciless action be taken, our beautiful trees must go, for this enemy is no other than the brown-tail moth.

We have read with sincere sympathy the stories of the devastation brought about in other places by this deadly pest, and have congratulated ourselves that our city was spared, but now that we know our own danger there is only one thing to do and that is to face it and eradicate it without a moments delay.

It is said that this harmless looking insect multiplies so rapidly as to challenge belief, and that even the eggs are so imbued with life as to make it almost impossible to destroy them even by fire; but ways and means are known and understood by experts, and I am sure we will all agree that we should adopt the methods of other places where successful work has been done.

One of the greatest beauties of this historic city is its trees, and any menace to this beauty cannot be met too quickly or too strenuously. I am told that Elm and Goffe streets are both threatened and probably other streets as well.

To mention an evil, and not suggest a remedy, is folly, but I am convinced that the united wisdom and effort of the city officials, the schools, the Women's club and indeed of each individual property owner of Quincy is only needed to effectually stop the work of the brown-tail moth. Money is needed—money is always needed to promote a good work—but the expense might be met if, with what the city could afford to appropriate, two hundred citizens would contribute one dollar each for this purpose. K.A.W.

A gentleman greatly interested in Quincy writes:

I am informed that the brown-tail moth has begun to get a hold in Quincy, and has been discovered at several points. The only way to stop this pest is to destroy all nests wherever found, and everybody should take hold of this, especially the school children.

The Patriot has been informed by a employe of a nursery, who knows well about the best method of exterminating the brown-tail moth, that the best time to destroy them is just when the foliage is beginning to start in the spring and the bugs are beginning to come out of the nest. We can then spray the trees with a preparation that will kill the moth. They cannot be destroyed to advantage later.

The preparation above noted is composed by mixing a quart of kerosene to a barrel of soap and water, soap being put in to allow the kerosene to mix with the water properly. This can be sprayed with a force pump.

The Massachusetts Forestry association at 1118 Tremont building, Boston, could probably give any additional information necessary about the pest.

☞The State troops will not go to Manassas this year. Gov. Douglas intends to mobolize them in July, somewhere within the limits of the Commonwealth. He wants national troops to be with them and assist in the study of the art of war. No doubt the government will order a force of regulars to come to Massachusetts for the purpose indicated. The 10 days' evolutions will form a military spectacle such as is seldom seen in times of peace.—Lynn Item.

President Mellen's Assistant.

By his interest in better train service for Quincy, and probably other places, Mr. T. E. Byrnes, the new man on the N. Y., N. H. and H. R. R. seems to be winning favor. The Globe says: A little over three months ago the public of Massachusetts and New England were interested in a brief newspaper announcement which, signed by Pres. C. S. Mellen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, read as follows:

"Mr. T. E. Byrnes is appointed assistant to the president, with office in Boston, Mass. He will represent the president in all matters requiring his attention, and in all such matters will act with the full authority of the president."

A few days after this announcement Mr. Byrnes appeared in Boston and quietly entered upon the performance of his duties. He took the offices set apart for him at the South station and has been "at home" to callers practically every hour since. The public was quick to realize that Mr. Brynes was here on a mission and it was equally quick to appreciate that it was a mission really in the interest of the public. Comparatively little has appeared concerning the president's assistant in the daily prints since his arrival, but this must be charged rather to his own innate modestly than to the negligence of the newspaper men.

When Mr. Brynes came to Boston there was a fairly well-defined sentiment against the New Haven road in these parts and the sentiment had been the growth of years, during which it was not felt by the people of this state generally that the road was making any special efforts to satisfy its patrons here, or even discuss or consider very seriously grievances put forth.

When Mr. Mellen became president of the company he saw at a glance the situation as it existed, and he also recognized the problems involving both passenger and freight service. And he appreciated something more than this, namely, that the existing situation could not be straightened out from any New Haven standpoint, but that the man to unravel the tangles and placate public feeling must be "on the spot" and he must view conditions with that most essential of faculties—the "local eye."

He selected for the important duty a man whom he knew thoroughly, one with whom he had labored in other railroad fields in the great northwest, and one who, from nature and attainment, was equipped for the work.

Although he has been in Boston but a very few months it can be said that Mr. Byrnes has impressed those with whom he has come in contact. He has already won the confidence of the business men of Boston and Massachusetts. He has spent no time in apology for conditions, but, with characteristic energy, has gone about remedying them. He has studied the situation earnestly. The spirit with which he entered into the work first attracted attention of those most interested in its success. Then his fairness and ability won for the New Haven road friendships that were very new in Massachusetts.

A few weeks ago Mr. Brynes addressed the Boston merchants' association. He admitted that he was working 16 and 17 hours a day to master the problems here. He said that Boston was now his home and he desired to know and meet people; that he was ready at all times to hear the complaints of the merchants of the city and to do all in his power to correct wrongs. This was pleasing to the business men of Boston, and the enthusiasm with which the words of the speaker were greeted must have impressed him that at least he had fallen among kindly enemies who only wanted the chance to be friends.

But perhaps that which most gratifies the traveling public, as well as the business men, is the fact that there is now in Boston a man armed with full authority to take up and adjust the difficulties that so frequently arise here in connection with transportation on the New Haven road. Mr. Byrnes apparently not only has the power and the ability necessary in the premises, but he has the disposition to see to it that the public is treated fairly by the big corporation of which he is now so essentially a part.

Our new "minister plenipotentiary," as he has been facetiously called, is an excellent type of citizen. New England gave him birth, as she did so many other illustrious men of the iron, and like those others he too wandered forth to the woolly west, to return later in life when successes had stamped his efforts.

Mr. Byrnes was born in Bellows Falls, Vt., in 1855. At the age of nine he went with his parents to Minnesota, where his father became a prosperous farmer. He attended the public schools and then entered the university of Minnesota, from which he graduated in 1879. Then he studied law at the Columbia law school in New York, and in 1882 was admitted to the bar in Minnesota. The general practice of his profession attracted him at first, and his success was early noted. In 1893 he returned to railroad law and made a specialty of this branch.

Till 1897 he was engaged as a counsel for the various railroads of that state. In that year he entered the service of the Northern Pacific as the special representative of the president of that road, Mr. Mellen, and had supervision over all questions, executive, operating and traffic. He remained in that service until he came to the New Haven road.

His lifework was directly mapped out for him. His scientific training at the university of Minnesota, his deep legal training and practical railroad experience eminently fit him both for the details of railroad operation and the handling of the broader questions affecting the public.

In November, 1903, New England won back Mr. Mellen, and three months ago, through Mr. Mellen, she regained Mr. Brynes.

As has been intimated above, Mr. Byrnes has now made Boston his home. With his wife he makes the Touraine his present abode, while three sons are off in the west at school, but will soon join the family here. Personally the president's assistant is most pleasing. He is rugged physically as mentally. A well-shaped head set on broad shoulders and a firm, resolute chin are noticeable.

There is something, but not too much, of the "glitter of the steel" in the eye of this railroad man. His nature is warm and generous. His friendships are many and strong. He enjoys the acquaintance and personal friendship of many of the most prominent men in public life. He has no fads. It cannot be said that he has any hobbies, except perhaps, hard work. He works longer and harder than his assistants—and he doesn't expect them to labor as he does.

His mind is clear at all times. He knows how to say "no" as well as "yes." He has promised to do much for the people of Massachusetts. What be has already accomplished he says is but an earnest of what he will do. He prefers to work on without newspaper commendation, but he says "I want the public to be satisfied."

The general sentiment of the community is that the New Haven road took a long, if a belated, step in the right direction when Mr. Byrnes was sent to Boston.

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The "Providence" has been rightly named the "Queen of the Fall River line fleet." She is certainly a handsome looking craft, and a lasting credit not only to the Fore River Co., but to the workmen whose skill has fashioned steel and wood into a thing of beauty. Her great white hull is pretty to look upon, but the interior arrangements and decorations must be seen to be fully appreciated. Her interior finish is ivory white and gold. The woodwork of the finish is pine and is carved, frescoed and gilded.

It is nearly eight months since the steamer slid gracefully off the greased ways into her native element. The launching was a most successful one and was witnessed by thousands of people who lined both shores of the river. Since then she has been tied up to the wharf in Bent's creek. A large gang of men has been constantly at work putting on the finishing touches. She is now about completed and soon will be put into commission on the line between Fall River and New York.

She has accommodations for 2500 passengers. Every possible precaution has been taken to make her a comfortable as well as safe and unsinkable vessel.

She is built of steel with double hulls similar in construction to the big fighting warships built for the government. The prime consideration has been safety from chances of sinking or burning, with sufficient strength to meet the working strain without vibration.

Her length over all is 397 feet, and on the twelve-foot water line, 378 feet, six inches. The breadth of her hull, moulded, is 50 feet, breadth over guards 88 feet, and her moulded depth 21 feet.

She has a cellular bottom, four feet deep at the keel and extending 288 feet admidship. There are also six water tight bulkheads extending athwartship up to the main deck.

She is a side wheeler with twin screws, this type having been found to be the speediest and most comfortable for smooth waters. Her paddle boxes are built into the superstructure, so that they do not show outwardly.

Her main engines are of the double inclined compound type, having two high pressure and two low pressure cylinders. With a steam pressure of 160 pounds, and the engines making 26 revolutions per minute, she will develop 5,500 horse-power, which will drive her at a speed of nineteen miles an hour.

Steam is generated in six cylindrical single-ended boilers fitted for forced draft.

The engines and boilers are in a steel enclosure, with a steel deck over them. She will be steered by steam.

She is lighted throughout by electricity, the lighting plan being capable of supplying current for 1600 incandescent lights in addition to a big search light.

She is ventilated throughout on the plenum system and a pressure water system, supplied by a special pump, is connected with the plumbing.

She has a complete fire extinguishing service under control of the engine room, with connection in every part of the boat, supplemented by separate powerful fire pumps.

She carries life-boats and life-rafts sufficient for 1,200 passengers, in addition to the life-preservers, also a Lyle gun, like those used in the U. S. life-saving service for shooting lines.

All told there are 404 staterooms, 10 bridal chambers, and 1202 berths.

Her furnishings are not yet aboard as they are not covered by the Fore River Co. contract.

West Quincy Not Forgotten.

There has been considerable complaint among West Quincy people because that section did not come in for a share of the additional train service and improvements. Because West Quincy is not to have additional train service just at present does not mean that it was forgotten by the committee.

There were a number of things that were asked for West Quincy. These included in addition to better train service, that depot should be better lighted; that it be kept open a half hour before train time up to 10 o'clock at night instead of being closed early in the evening; that something should be done to abolish the loafing nuisance; concrete walks and shelter over the walks in front of the depot, etc.

All of these things have been agreed to by Mr. Byrnes and will be granted immediately.

As for train service it was impossible at this time to do much in that line, but it was promised that West Quincy would be looked after when the spring time table was issued.

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Anecdotes.

Van Quizz—As for me, I would never marry a brainy woman!"

Fitz-Bile—"Why not? There ought to be one set of brains in every family."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

"How is your son Jack getting along, Mrs. Spriggins? Is he rising in the world?"

"Rising? Well, I guess he is," said the old lady. "Why, he began last year as a chiropodist, and now he's a barber."

Brown—"I understand that Senator Green wanted you to act as his private secretary."

Simmons—"He did; but I wouldn't accept the position, because I should have to sign everything Green, per Simmons."—Exchange.

"That's a fine, solid baby of yours, Middleton," said a friend who was admiring the first baby.

"Do you think he's solid?" asked Middleton, rather irresolutely. "It seems to me sometimes as if he was all holler."

"Father," said a little boy, "what is a mathematician?"

"A mathematician, my son, is a man who can calculate the distance between the most remote stars, and who is liable to be flim-flammed in changing a two-dollar bill."—Washington Star.

Household Receipts.

Simple Salad. A cold weather salad, very effective and good tasting, is made by dressing cold boiled rice with mayonnaise, and putting an amount enough for each person on one of the inside crumply white leaves of a cabbage. Over the rice sprinkle a little paprika or some finely chopped peppers.—Good Housekeeping.

Tripe in Creamed Sauce. Cut the tripe into dice. Place over the fire a half-pint of milk; add a small onion and a sprig of parsley. Allow to simmer until the onion is tender when mashed with a spoon. Blend together a spoonful of butter and flour and add to the milk, Allow to boil about three minutes, then strain. Place over the fire again; add the tripe. now beat up the yolk of one egg with a generous cup of cream. Stir this in when the tripe is very hot. Do not allow to boil after the egg is added. Flavor with salt and white pepper and half-teaspoonful of finely minced parsley.

English Bread Pudding. One pint of soft breadcrumbs, one-half cup of dried currants or raisins, two eggs, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, 1 1-2 cups of milk. Grease small cups or ordinary baking-pan, and put in the breadcrumbs. The better way to make the crumbs is to take a whole slice and roll it between the hands. The fruit may be mixed with the crumbs, or it may be spread on top or on the bottom of the pan. If it is used over the top, it will form a bottom layer when the pudding is turned out. Beat eggs without separating, add sugar and then milk. When the sugar is dissolved, pour carefully over the breadcrumbs. Let stand ten minutes and place in a shallow baking-pan, partly filled with water. Bake in a quick oven fifteen or twenty minutes. The mixture must be "set" in the centre. Serve with a liquid pudding sauce.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Burton Holmes Lectures.

Burton Holmes, the popular lecturer on travel, will begin double series of finely illustrated travelogues this Saturday afternoon and evening at Tremont Temple, the subject being "In London." The two series will be exactly alike, the evenings being repetitions of the subjects of the afternoons, both courses being given on the five successive Saturdays, beginning this week. "In London" deals with the daily life of the Londoner, and the sights and scenes more or less familiar to the tourist. Mr. Holmes will take his fellow travellers to Westminister, the Tower, St. Paul's, the Bank of England and the various palaces, galleries and Parks of this metropolis of the world. Piccadilli Circus, the Strand, and Oxford Street, with their teeming crowds of busy Londoners will be shown vividly in the motion pictures. Other motion pictures will give excellent life portraits to His Majesty, King Edward VII.—Trooping the Colors at the Horse Guards; Changing Guard at St. James' Palace and a glimpse will be given, also by motion pictures, of the frocks and frills of fashion in the pictures of the "Church Parade" after morning service, in Hyde Park, and another motion picture will show Society taking its daily airing during the driving hour in Hyde Park. Although Mr. Holmes has largely increased the number of his motion pictures in each of his travelogues, still he has not in any way diminished the number or beauty of the finely colored lantern slides which formed such a potent tactor in his present success.

On the four succeeding Saturday afternoons and evenings, the subjects will be "Round London," holiday making at Henley, the Derby, etc. "Ireland;" "Russia" and "Japan," thus furnishing the most interesting and varied series of subjects he has ever presented to his patrons.

Colonial Theatre.

Klaw & Erlanger's wonderful production of "Humpty Dumpty" will be seen at the Colonial Theatre in a limited engagement, beginning Monday, March 20th, with matinees Wednesdays and Saturdays, and the engagement will offer the only opportunity to people of New England to witness the greatest spectacle ever presented on any stage in the world. The company contains over 400 artists, and the scenery, costumes and electrical and mechanical devices, fill six sixty-feet baggage cars.

"Humpty Dumpty" is admittedly the greatest indoor entertainment in the world, and its scale is one of such elaborate splendor as to baffle all description. The production cost over $100,000, and its many scenes are of the most wonderful character. It is interesting to everybody, young and old—a great show for the whole family, clean and wholsome, and it contains nothing that can give offense to anyone. Those who see it will have something they can always talk about, for it is very doubtful if such an elaborate production as "Humpty Dumpty" will ever again be witnessed in America.

Tremont Theatre.

The Augustin Daly Musical Company, whose success in "A Country Girl" is one of the pleasant remembrances of last season, will begin at fortnight's engagement at the Tremont Theatre next Monday, presenting a musical play new to Boston, "The Cingalee, or Sunny Ceylon." The piece is by the authors of "The Geisha," "San Toy," and "A Country Girl," and was first produced about a year ago at Dalys Theatre, London, where it is still a potent attraction. It is said to happily combine brilliant spectacle, charming music, and unlimited fun. The story concerns a sweet little Cingalee, married by proxy at the age of four to a native potentate, but in her 'teens deeply in love with her employer, a young Englishman, with whom she has taken service to escape her fate as one of many wives. The villian of the piece is a Baboo lawyer, a delightful scamp, who gives the keynote to the humor that pervades the entire production. The company numbers seventy-five and the stage setting is said to be of unusual beauty and elaborateness.

Castle Square Theatre.

"Romeo and Juliet" will make the offering at the Castle Square Theatre next week, this being the first presentation of a Shakespearian play at the Castle Square the present season. It is designed to make this production the notable event of the spring season and to give all possible care to every detail of the presentation. The leading characters have been cast as follows; Romeo, Mr. Hansel; Mercutio, Mr. Davis; Paris Mr. Van Buren; Lord Capulet, Mr. Wade; Tybalt, Mr. Jennings; Friar Lawrence, —— ; Peter, Mr. Ben S. Field; Balthazar, Mr. Vehan; Sampson, Mr. Macfarlane; Gregory, Mr. Thorne; Apothecary, Mr. Kent; Page to Paris, Miss Lillian Hall; Juliet, Miss Kemble; Lady Capulet, Miss Bradley; Nurse, Miss Ryan; Lord Montague, Mr. Kent; Araham, Mr. Carleton; Prince Escalus, Mr. Mason.

Majestic Theatre.

The first professional production of Samuel E. Rork's spectacular musical merriment, "The Filibuster,"—written by John P. Wilson with music by William Loraine (composer of "Peggy from Paris") will be made at the Majestic Theatre, Boston, next Monday evening, March 20th. A large section of the orchestra seats has been secured for the opening night by the Bank Officers' Association which originally produced "The Filibuster" in an amateur way, but with marked success. Since then the book has been completely rewritten for the professional production and much of the music changed. "The Filibuster" is said to excel in three great points: first as a musical show, second, as a funny entertainment, and third, as a gathering of pretty women in beautiful costumes. Of the music a great deal has already been said for the Boston press was unanimous in declaring it to be the best of any musical show since "Ermine," when it was given by the Bank Officers. William Loraine's score for "Peggy from Paris" was tuneful but in "Filibuster" he has completely eclipsed all previous efforts.

—Many Chinese are becoming Christians because they have discovered that the provincial magistrates, in disputes between Christians and non-Christians, incline to favor the former, says the Hong Kong Press.

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FIFTIETH ANNUAL STATEMENT
JANUARY 1, 1905.

Amount at Risk	$37,809,990.00
Cash Assets	607,409.00
Deposit Notes	627,581.17
Available Assets	1,134,990.24
Total Liabilities	338,543.29
Cash Surplus	168,86 578
Gain in Surplus in 1904	7,438.47
Gain in Assets in 1904	35,012.93
Losses paid in 1904	103,055.43
Dividends paid in 1904	68,294.25
Receipts in 1904	244,429.85
Disbursements in 1904	228,975.58

This Company now pays the following Dividends:

On five-year Policies	60 per cent
On three-year Policies	40 "
On one-year Policies	20 "

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Incorporated 1825.
Norfolk Mutual Fire Ins. Co.
DEDHAM, MASS.
STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1905

Amount at Risk,	$24,627,979.48
Cash Assets,	668,766.38
Total Liabilities, including re-insurance,	193,222.23
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$475,544.15
Contingent Assets,	552,120.59
Total Available Assets,	1,020,886.97
Gain in Surplus,	17,211.31

Dividends are now being paid on five-year policies, 70 per cent.; on three-year policies, 50 per cent.; on one and two-year policies, 25 per cent.

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Incorporated 1837.
Dedham Mutual Fire Ins. Co.
DEDHAM, MASS.
STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1905:

Amount at Risk,	$7,224,426.07
Cash Assets,	169,173.07
Total Liabilities (including re-insurance),	62,518.78
Amount of Cash Surplus,	$106,654.29
Contingent Assets,	111,131.71
Total Available Assets,	280,304.78
Gain in Surplus,	4,559.07

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JANUARY 1, 1905.

Cash Capital,	$4,000,000.00
Reserve for Re-insurance (Fire)	4,506,936.04
Reserve for Unpaid Losses (Fire)	564,542.63
Reserve for Other Claims,	295,725.22
Net Surplus,	6,446,851.09
Total Assets,	15,814,054.98

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C. A. HOWLAND, Jr., Asst. Sec.

CASH FUND January 1, 1904. **$705,963.30**
SURPLUS over Re-Insurance, **$455,776.74**
LOSSES paid the past year, **$42,201.94**
DIVIDENDS PAID the past year, **$66,032.42**
GAIN IN SURPLUS the past year, **$12,983.04**
GAIN IN CASH FUND the past year, **20,297.34**

AND EVERY LOSS PAID IN FULL.
AMOUNT AT RISK, *$32,586,226.00*
TOTAL LIABILITIES, *$250,186.56*

Dividends Paid on Every Expiring Policy; 60 per cent. on 5 years, 40 per cent. on 3 years and 20 per cent. on all others.
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Poetry.

To-Day.

HARRIET PRESCOTT SPOFFORD.

Upon John Ruskin's writing-desk
A slab of chalcedony lay,
And on it, cut in careful script,
The word "To-day."

Honored of all, a wondrous man,
And held a prophet in his way,
He let "To-morrow" bide its time,
And used "To-day."

Upon the tablet of the will
How good to write, the selfsame way,
Putting to-morrow's uses by,
The word "To-day!"

Miscellany.

BLANCHE'S ROMANCE.

It was a dreary, chill March day, and Blanche and I betook ourselves to the conservatory to find a little summer-like warmth, and have a pleasant chat over old times. The fountain, which tossed its wreaths of silver spray into the bright, surprised faces of the velvety, pink azalias, and dripped over the purple clusters of just-opened violets, made its splash heard above the desolate wind, and there was a sweet, subtle, spring odor in the air; so we were as cosily shut from winter as the fairies in Elf-land.

Blanche and I had much to say to each other, for we had been separated for the past three years, and never, until then, for more than a week or two at a time, in all our lives. She was my cousin, but seemed more like a sister. I found her the same romantic, fanciful girl that I had left, more of a child than a woman, in spite of her twenty-five years. She delighted in fairy tales, and was forever conjuring up romances from the commonest, every-day life. She went mad after relics and antiquities, and was as full of quaint superstitions as any old lady in the land. She believed in dreams and fatalities, and was always prophesying in her quaint, half-grave, half-merry way, that something good, or something evil, was going to happen. That day, as she made herself a little bower of the long sprays of a tangled ivy vine, and seated herself therein, she said suddenly, "Sara, I really believe that something strange—whether of good or evil I cannot tell—is going to happen to me."

I laughed, but had scarcely heeded what she was saying; I was thinking how lovely she was with all that bright bloom about her, and the shining, green sprays falling over her golden-brown hair.

"You are very sympathetic, aren't you?" said she poutingly.

"Pardon me, my dear, but I was thinking of something else, Blanche; how strange it is that you've never fallen in love. Aren't you ever going to marry?"

"Why, Sara, you stupid child," said she, "you know I have fallen in love, years ago; I'm only waiting for him to come. I think that he will come soon."

I looked up in surprise.

"I certainly did not know it, Blanche; do tell me who it is," I said.

But without replying, she danced away up stairs, and returned bringing a little picture, in a velvet frame, which she tossed into my lap.

"There he is, Sara. I never, never will marry anyone, but him; you remember I said so at first, and I say so still," said she emphatically.

"O Blanche," I exclaimed half-angrily, "how can you be so absurd? I can't think that you have been clinging to that silly superstition all these years!"

"Call it what you please," said she, coolly, "but we shall see. I was beginning to laugh at it myself once, and had almost made up my mind to marry Mr. Halbert, not because I loved him, but it is so dreary to be always alone, and he's nicer than anyone I know; so noble, and good, and kind; but, Sara, when I looked at the picture again it had a changed expression! The eyes gazed into mine with such a strange, sad, reproachful look, that it startled me, and then I knew, if never before, that he was my fate. Isn't he splendid?"

"It is a handsome face, certainly," I answered, musingly, for it brought me back so vividly to my school days.

Let me tell you how the picture happened to fall into Blanche's hands. We were at Madame Vere's school, Blanche and I, and one day Madge Keene, the ringleader of fun and mischief, chanced to spy in some newspaper the following advertisement:

"Young lady or gentleman, if you are curious to see a correct picture of your future husband or wife, send fifty cents and stamp, together with a description of yourself, age, height, color of eyes and hair, to Madame ——, the famous astrologist, and the photograph will be forwarded immediately."

"Aren't you curious to see your fate, girls?" asked she, bringing the paper into the room where a half dozen were gathered, sitting dolorously over the next day's lessons, and reading the extraordinary paragraph aloud.

Of course we were all curious, and each resolved to patronize the famous astrologist at once.

"But how shall we ever do it, Madge, without being found out?" said Fan Reynolds. "Miss Peckham's worse than ever lately; she's never off her post."

Miss Peckham was a teacher who acted as a sort of sentinel, in our hall, and, as Fan Reynolds declared, was just like a pussy cat, creeping stealthily, and hiding her hostile intentions with the sweetest smiles. But Madge Keene was as cunning as she, and it was she alone who escaped her vengeance in her manifold forbidden ways, and we felt comparatively safe in trusting anything to her, so when she assured us that she had planned a way, both to send and obtain the letters from the post-office, we began at once, the whole eight of us, to prepare the important documents, and the next morning they were duly despatched. This was Monday, and Saturday the answer came, brought under the cover of the night, to a back entrance, by a good natured kitchen maid, who was bribed to act on the occasion, and received there by Fan, while the teachers were holding their usual Saturday evening consultations in the schoolroom—councils of war we called them—and Miss Peckham was, as we fancied, for a moment off her post. O what a fateful package it was, and how eagerly we tore open the thin, yellow envelopes, receiving them one by one from Fan's triumphant hands.

But suddenly there was a slight rustle in the hall, which caused the eight yellow envelopes to disappear very quickly in eight ready pockets.

"'By the pricking of my thumbs, something evil this way comes,'" whispered Blanche, solemnly.

And just then Miss Peckham's face made a shadow in the doorway, but to our unspeakable relief she only lingered a moment, taking a survey of the apartment, and disappeared as suddenly as she came. Each one drew a long breath, and after a few minutes the yellow envelopes were produced again, and their mysterious contents brought to the light. The astrologist had made quite a good selection of pictures, though we were not all of us quite satisfied with the appearance of our future husbands. Madge Keene's was an elderly, spectacled gentleman, who seemed to be brooding over some melancholy fate, and Lou Denton recognized in Fan Reynolds' fate a butcher in her native town. Mine was the photograph of a well-looking but very young gentleman, whose face expressed a painful consciousness that he was sitting for a picture. But all the girls went into rapture over Blanche's picture; it was such a perfect face, such fine classic features, and large, deep, expressive eyes. It was an uncommon face, too, with a high-bred, haughty look, mingled with an almost feminine sweetness, and Blanche declared solemnly then, as she did now, that she would never marry in the world if she could not marry the original of that picture. She took it out to look at a hundred times in the day, and could talk of nothing else for a long time, and when we left Madame Vere's at last, and our school days forever, and were again domiciled at home, she purchased this exquisite little frame for it and hung it in her own room, just over her dressing-table, where she could gaze upon it to her heart's content, and there it had remained ever since for aught I know.

"Well," said Blanche, starting up suddenly, "he may come today and I must look my prettiest. What if he should find me in this trim?"

I thought that she was very pretty, in her soft crimson wrapper, with her bright hair confined by a silver comb, in one great careless twist, and it was early in the day, and such weather that there was scarcely a probability of visitors.

"I hae a bonnie breast knot, and for his sake I'll wear 't,"

she sang, as she tripped away upstairs, and when she appeared again she was radiant in a "bodice blue," and was just arranging a cluster of violets for a "bonnie breast knot," when the door bell sent a low, vibrant tinkle through the house.

Blanche flushed and paled in a breath.

"Visitors, certainly," said she.

"How do you know that?" I said, laughing at her eagerness. "I should think it very unlikely; it is early, and such an unpleasant day; it is probably a beggar, or a pedler, or the postman,—he comes about this time."

"No," answered she, shrugging her pretty shoulders, "don't you know, child, that such people never ring like that? They couldn't if they should try. It was the hand of a nervous, sensitive, refined person, that touched that bell; it may be Mr. Halbert, he always makes his appearance in stormy weather, though it didn't sound like his ring."

A servant opened the door.

"There are two of them," whispered Blanche, peeping through the glass door; "one is Mr. Halbert, but the other;—O Sara, I'm almost afraid to go out;" and she was as pale as a snow wreath.

I could not suppress the peal of laughter which rose to my lips. "Why, Blanche," I exclaimed, "I verily believe you are a little insane."

Mr. Halbert, hearing our voices, came across the drawing-room into the library, with the familiarity of a frequent visitor, and Blanche opened the door of the conservatory.

"O, here you are, Miss Blanche," he said. "I've taken the liberty to bring a friend with me, this morning, Mr. Castleton, just from Europe. I remembered your saying that you liked visitors on a stormy day, particularly. How delightful it is here; you only need the bees and butterflies to make it summer. May I bring Mr. Castleton into fairy-land also?"

Blanche greeted the gentleman with her usual pretty, unaffected manner, but her face was still very pale, as she seated herself by my side, her cheek in close proximity to a cluster of crisp, pink cactus blossoms, and I was too bewildered, after a first glance at Mr. Castleton, to speak or move.

The gentleman's face was the exact counterpart of the one we had just been discussing, in the picture. I tried to think that it was only a fancy. I half believed that I was dreaming, and stared at the unconscious gentleman until a glance of surprise from him restored me somewhat to my senses, and I was able to join in the conversation, now and then, though I hardly knew what I was saying; Blanche sat as silent as a statue, with downcast eyes and folded hands. They stayed a long time. Mr. Halbert talked, and Mr. Castleton talked, and after a while Blanche ventured to raise her eyes; the soft rose flush came back to her cheeks, and I never saw her more beautiful than she was then; and Mr. Castleton seemed fully aware of her beauty, regarding her with a sort of pleased look, as one does a flower.

"I am going to start on a southern tour, tonight," said Mr. Halbert, as he arose to go at last, "and I suppose Miss Blanche will predict misfortunes for me. She deems Friday a day full of mysterious evils; one that the fates frown upon invariably."

"She deems it a fateful one, Mr. Halbert," said Blanche, lifting her large, limpid, hazel eyes, full of mysterious meaning, though she laughed lightly as she spoke.

"It has always been so in my experience," said Mr. Castleton, "but not always unhappy; my Fridays are the 'fairest or the foulest,' as they are in the almanac."

"What do you think now, Sara?" asked Blanche as soon as the door closed upon the two gentlemen; "do you remember that it was on Friday that we sent those letters to the astrologist, and the pictures were sent on Friday, though we did not receive them until Saturday, and Friday he came. I believe I never thought of it before."

"And other happy events may happen on Friday," I added laughing. "But seriously, Blanche, I believe that you're a witch; you make me feel uncanny. Who ever in the world, beside you, has such strange things happen to them! What if you should really marry this Mr. Castleton? That picture can be no other than a photograph of his face."

"I shall marry him, Sara," said she, gravely.

"But perhaps he won't ask you to, Miss Vanity; he may be already married, for aught you know."

"No, indeed," said she, "I am sure he isn't. I should be perfectly wretched if I imagined he were."

And she took the picture from my hands and disappeared most unceremoniously.

Just one week from that day we met Mr. Castleton at a picture gallery, down town. It had been cloudy and dreary weather ever since, and we had been dull enough, for Blanch was abstracted and uncompanionable. This morning, for the first time in many days, the sky was blue and clear, and the air full of sunny spring warmth. Mr. Castleton was absorbed in one of Bierstadt's wonderful pictures, and did not see us, at first, neither did I see him, but Blanche gave me one of her bright, delightful looks, and whispered eagerly: "There is Mr. Castleton," and in a few minutes he turned around, and came toward us with a look of pleased recognition.

Blanche was like herself this time, and not like a statue; she talked and laughed in her old, happy way, making quaint, original comments upon the pictures, which seemed to amuse and interest the gentleman vastly and by-and-by they strayed away by themselves, quite forgetting me; but I was content that it should be so. I was in a hurry to read the end of Blanche's romance; it was more interesting to me than the pictures. So I sat down and watched them. Truly I thought Friday may be a fately day in Blanche's life. Mr. Castleton escorted us home, accepting Blanche's invitation to come in, readily, and remaining until late in the evening.

I listened while they talked and concluded that they were well suited to each other; as harmonious as a full major chord, and yet very unlike, I fancied.

"This has been one of my bright Fridays," said he, with a meaning look at Blanche, as he bade us good-night.

And after that he made a good many of his Fridays bright, as well as other days, if Blanche's presence had the power to brighten them. He made his appearance at all hours in our drawing-room, and was quite at home, there, from the first.

One day I brought Blanche's mysterious picture downstairs to compare it with a photograph of Mr. Castleton which he had given us the day before, and neglected to put it away again, throwing it carelessly upon the library table. Blanche and Mr. Castleton had been out driving and came in together. He seated himself by the table and his eye fell upon the picture at once. He took it up with a look of surprise.

"Miss Houghton," he said, "if I did not know that it was impossible, I should declare that this was an old picture of myself taken in my college days at Hartford."

Blanche reddened painfully, and I felt the blood rushing into my own face and was full of confusion.

"That picture has its story, Mr. Castleton," said I, foolishly.

"Tell me the story," said he, "I'm all curiosity."

"Indeed I cannot," I answered, "at least not now; perhaps I will tell you sometime."

He looked mystified, but seeing that it was a very delicate subject to both of us, dropped it at once.

But in a few days he asked Blanche to tell him another story and she told him that story from beginning to end, and he was as much pleased with its strangeness as she, and declared that if the astrologist could be found, she should be rewarded handsomely. Blanche insisted upon being married on Friday, and it was the sunniest day in the whole year, and they were the sunniest couple. But I am sorry to say that not one other of the eight girls who answered Madame —'s advertisement, was as fortunate as Blanche, but each one found her fate in a far less romantic way.

Definition of a Grocer.

"What is a grocer, papa?"

"What is a grocer, child? Why, he is a good-natured man who deals in necessities of life at the corner, and is to humble to believe for a minute that he has any rights. He solicits trade by marking all his goods down to cost, and when the customer don't pay promptly, he waits. Yes my child, some grocers stand and wait until the undertaker gets his bill in, and then they lean over the graveyard fence and wonder how to get their money. "Yes, he is the man who lives by selling sugar, and makes so much money on it that he is expected to give lumps of it to all the children.

"Oh yes, the grocer is a pious man. He rarely ever swears, except when he sells 18 pounds of raisins out of a 26-pound box, or when he weighs out a barrel of granulated sugar and it lacks just 6 pounds, or when he hears Mr. Never-Pay say "charge it," or when the summer is so hot he loses a dozen good cheese, or when the winter is so cold that his potatoes freeze, or—But your mother is calling you. Good night child; I'll tell you the rest about the grocer another day."—Gastonia Grocer.

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Public Building Insurance.

The legislature has taken favorable action on the bill authorizing cities and towns to establish municipal building insurance funds. The bill leaves to each city and town the acceptance of this provision under its prescribed limitations, which are that money for the designated purpose may be raised, not exceeding in amount in any year one-twentieth of one per cent. of the assessed valuation, and taxation for this object shall cease when such fund exceeds or equals one per cent. of such valuation. It is being generally recognized that it is not advisable for cities and towns to take chances of fire. It is all very well until the fire comes and then no fund having been provided for such emergency, it comes hard on the taxpayers. Taking such chances is like failing to take out life insurance and proposing to put money in the bank each year, equal in amount to what the premium would be. The money is generally spent for something else and there is no life insurance and no savings bank deposit.—Banker and Tradesman.

Reward of Merit.

The president of the Vanderbilt lines receives a salary of $10,000 a month, has a palatial New York house, and a finer private car than king ever occupied. He rose to his present position from the humblest employ. He is paid now because his services are deemed worth the price.

There is in this case somewhat of an inspiration. This official never would have reached his present place except that he faithfully performed the duties of each place below it. Part of the secret of his success was application.

Comparatively few people will command a salary of $120,000 a year, however diligent. Nevertheless, the fact that big rewards are possible is stimulating, and there are many rewards intrinsically worth the having. The young man in any line of duty may be certain that he will not succeed without the exercise of the same traits that have elevated the Vanderbilt official. He may not, even by these traits, reach the top, but at least he can retain a post of respectability, and if he thinks that fortune is coming to rout him from his slumber and pour gold into his hands, he is dreaming.—Boston Journal.

The Captain's Distinction.

On one of "Old Hoss" Hoey's trips across the Atlantic the steamer, moving slowly along in a dense fog at about 3 o'clock in the morning, struck on the rocks off Fastnet, the light not being visible. Fortunately, nothing more than a scare for the passengers resulted. Everybody was soon on deck except Hoey, who had been having a hilarious time the night before and had slept through all the trouble. One of his friends sent a steward for him, and at last he appeared, still a trifle befogged. When the facts were explained to him, he joined fervidly in an impromptu praise service which the passengers were holding.

Finally there came a lull in the proceedings, and "Old Hoss" took advantage of it to propose three cheers and a tiger for the captain. This proposition caused much astonishment, and some one ventured to ask on what grounds he based the proposed honor to the captain.

Drawing himself up to his full height, "Old Hoss" replied impressively, "On the ground that he is the only man sailing the Atlantic ocean who could have hit that infernal rock without a light.—San Francisco Argonaut.

A Trade for Any Hour.

The thriftiest man in the United States lives in Louisville. He has trades that fit any climate, season or time of day. As an example of his wonderful versatility, a friend tells the following story of an average day in the life of this strenuous man: One morning last week he started out with a rug to sell on commission for an instalment house. He sold the rug, and then came back, and took out a clock, which he also disposed of. About noon he was called by an undertaker to embalm a body, which he did. Another undertaker sent for him to drive a hearse to the cemetery, and after he had disposed of this errand satisfactorily he preached a short sermon at the grave. He drove the hearse back to town, and filled in an afternoon for a candy-maker, who was taken suddenly ill. In the evening he worked from six till eight o'clock in a barber shop, and from that hour until midnight set type on a daily newspaper.—Louisville Post.

A Rat Story.

A particularly good rat story is told in a Belgian paper:

A gardener had planted 250 tulip bulbs; the following day, when about to complete the number, the man noticed that the bulbs had disappeared mysteriously. He was told that perhaps rats had been at work, and looked for their hole.

This he found, and dug down into the earth until a subterranean chamber was disclosed where the whole of the 250 bulbs were hidden, packed neatly in rows one above the other.

There was a bundle of hay and dead leaves, also, showing that the rats had made most elaborate preparations for the winter season.

Boston's Crooked Streets.

How many years out of twenty-one it requires to really get started. We consume about three or four years in getting accustomed to the crooked streets of Boston. How many of you Bostonians know how you came by these crooked streets? I will tell you. Two hundred years ago, a calf walked through the primeval wood. He made a crooked path, as all calves do. The next day a lone dog took up the trail and followed the crooked way. Then a bell-wether sheep pursued the path,

"And from that day, o'er hill and glade,
Through those old woods a path was made.
And many men wound in and out,
And dodged and turned and bent about;
And uttered words of righteous wrath
Because 'twas such a crooked path."
And the Boston people—now don't laugh—
Are following still the footsteps of that zigzag
calf.—Every Day Church.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the Capital.

Washington, March 18, 1905.

There has been a momentary lull in matters political. The Senate in extra session is doing next to nothing, but the under-surface indications are full of interest to those who can discern them. The Santo Domingan Treaty is not dead but sleepeth, and it will sleep all summer. If all the senators who are in favor of it because of party affiliation could be mustered, it would be passed this week. It will almost certainly be passed by the Senate when it assembles in extra session next October.

The Mothers' Congress which has been in session the past week, gave the President an opportunity, through an address, to express and emphasize his well known views on several questions and especially with reference to what is known as his "race suicide" theory where he is in perfect agreement with M. Zola's views as elaborated in his famous novel called "Fecundite." He was in a particularly happy mood when he took the stand, or rather the pulpit, at the Metropolitan Methodist church where the sessions of the Mothers' Congress are held. He was introduced by Mrs. Sholl, the President and he bowed to her remarking, "The father of five children salutes the mother of seven." The address, read between the lines, was really a rebuke to all that these women are doing, though not what they pretend to be doing. They are passing resolutions in favor of or against everything that is afloat in politics, sociology and religion, and are away from their homes and their babies, where the President naively intimated all mothers should sometimes be, and that they should not be engaged in speech-making, resolving and pseudo-intellectual dabblings of various kinds. The President's recent preachments both here and at his church last Sunday are among the best he has ever made. Of all the Presidents we have ever had, he seems to be the least afraid to talk and the least afraid of anything.

The coming spring and summer will be a period of great improvement in Washington. This week, the demolition of thirty buildings on Capitol Square, northeast of the Senate Chamber, will begin to make the foundation for the marble Senate Offices for which this ground was purchased. The purchase money amounted to nearly a million of dollars and it is expected that a building costing from three to five million dollars will be erected there, to correspond with the offices that are already under construction for the House of Representatives at the other wing of the Capitol. The railroad terminal improvements, consisting of a railway passenger station longer than the United States Capitol—though out of deference to that towering building not more than half as high—are under way and will be in the main completed by next winter. The Agricultural Department Building which will be one of the finest department buildings in Washington is in the hands of the contractors. The same may be said of the National Museum, while hundreds of private enterprises are making progress in different parts of the city.

Various small junketing trips are in preparation by members of Congress at Government expense. Ostensibly the purpose is to see things at first sight in the Philippines, Hawaii, Porto Rico, Panama, Alaska, Santo Domingo and various other places, in order to be better prepared to legislate intelligently when questions concerning the interests of our broad dominions come up in the sessions of Congress. The theory is a good one. Our legislators are nothing if provincial and since many of them have not had time or opportunity to travel on their own means, it is no doubt economical for the Government to send them abroad. "Home-keeping youth have ever homely wit." But what interest has the Government in sending their wives, daughters, cousins and aunts on these educational excursions? They cannot but be in the way of effective work, study and investigation. These ladies are dead heads and dead weights and they paralyze to a marked degree the work for which these expeditions are launched. In the Mexican army on the march, thousands of women compose the van guard, they keep a day's march ahead of the army, and prepare the camp and meals. Then the army presses forward with ardor—it has something to march for. But in our junketing expeditions, the women are simply impediments. The most important of these expeditions is the one to the Philippines which will be composed of Secretary Taft, ex-Secretary Root and members of Congress with the ladies of their families.

Secretary of State Hay is still in feeble health and is expected to leave on a sea voyage and during his absence the Secretary of War, Taft, will act in his stead. It is significant that the under secretaries, since the Santo Domingan fiasco, are not to be trusted with the portfolio of State.

The recent pronouncement of the Secretary of War with reference to the independence of the Philippines ought to put that question to rest so far as the policy of this administration is concerned. He has plainly said that he does not think the Filipinos will be fit for self-government during this generation and possibly not during the next generation, but that the next generation, it is to be hoped, will be wiser and better able than ourselves to decide. He further said that if the Filipinos demanded independence, he would be strongly in favor of giving it to them, but he thought it more likely that the Filipinos after they had been associated with the American people for a generation or more would prefer a relation to America like that of Canada or Australia to England, rather than to have absolute independence.

Adams.

Patriots' day will come on Wednesday the 19th of April.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.
Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case, no matter of how long standing, in 6 to 14 days. First application gives ease and rest. 50c. If your druggist hasn't it send 50c. in stamps and it will be forwarded post paid by Paris Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo.

The Quincy Patriot.

SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 1905.

Brockton Horror.

Before eight o'clock Monday, shortly after work was commenced at the large shoe factory of R. B. Grover & Co., at Campello, an explosion of the boiler wrecked the building and it was destroyed by fire. About 400 were employed in the factory at the time and a large number lost their lives.

The boiler tore its way through the building, and through the L of the engineer's house near by and struck another house with such force that it was moved a foot or two from its foundation.

The inability of those nearby to render assistance to those buried or pinned beneath the debris made them almost insane, and it was pitiful to see those having relatives in the building.

The revised figures on Thursday were:

Bodies recovered,	55
Bodies identified,	16
Bodies impossible to identify,	39
Persons reported missing,	45

The Enterprise says: With 48 children of tender age and 27 wives made widows in the space of one short hour last Monday morning, Brockton has reason to look with horror today on the ruin that has been wrought in her homes. A careful compilation of the families affected to the extent that the bread winner has been taken away and want privation mayhap, stares them in the face today, with only the help of the relief workers as a buffer, shows these to be facts.

Thursday in particular was a day of mourning in the city, when a union memorial funeral was held for the unknown dead at the City theatre, St. Paul's Episcopal church, and the Porter church.

A large relief fund has already been raised.

Brown-tail Remedies.

The habit of the caterpillar in wintering over in webs at the tips of the branches gives a key to the simplest and cheapest remedy, which is merely to cut off and burn the webs during the fall, winter or spring. This preventative means is most effective, and gives such excellent results that in Germany, France and Belgium there is a law making it obligatory on property owners to destroy the webs during the winter season. Where citizens neglect to carry out this work it is done for them by the local authorities, and the sum thus expended added to their tax levy.

The work of removing the webs is best done in winter by the use of a long-handled tree pruner or similar device. Particular care should be given to gathering the webs and burning them, as any left on the ground will yield caterpillars and continue the infestation locally.

Spraying is very effective against these insects; in fact they are much less resistant to the action of poison than is the gypsy moth or elm leaf beetle. To secure best results, spraying should be done as soon as the foliage develops in the spring. Five pounds of the arsenate of lead paste to one hundred gallons of water is sufficient, or, if preferred, one pound of good Paris green kept well stirred may be applied in one hundred and fifty gallons of water.

Where the caterpillars swarm from trees along fences or on house walls the use of kerosene emulsion or strong soap suds is advisable.

Work for the Shipyard.

It is reported that the Electric boat company of New York, which is practically the Holland submarine torpedo boat company, has placed a contract with the Fore River Shipbuilding company for four submarine boats.

It is understood that the Holland company are building these boats for the United States government, and that the company has guaranteed to deliver them at a stated time. The price to be paid for one of the boats is $250,000, one at $200,000 and two at $185,000 each.

The contract calls for the completion of the boats in eighteen months.

Easter Display.

The late Easter this year will have its advantages for the flower lovers, for City Forester Doogue of Boston is preparing to take advantage of the lateness and have the finest display ever known at the Public Gardens and at Copley square. Easter church goers will stroll across the Public Garden through lanes of many kinds of flowers; hyacinths, jonquils, crocuses, spireas and lilies of the valley will predominate, they being now forced in the city greenhouses ready for transplanting a day or two before Easter. Quincy people will be repaid by a visit to Boston, Easter Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Aaron C. Dowse of Malden observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage on Saturday, the eighteenth. Mr. Dowse is editor of the New England Grocer and is well known to the newspaper fraternity and the trade. He has also done good work at the state house ably representing his district. They have two daughters and a very pretty home in Malden, where they hospitably entertain their friends.

—A bill is pending in the legislature which authorizes the district police to formulate regulations for the keeping, storage, manufacture, transportation, etc., of gunpowder, dynamite, crude petroleum, or any of its products and other explosives. By a vote of 18 to 4 an amendment offered by Senator Lane of Boston to exempt fireworks and firecrackers was adopted. Senator Chapple stated that these had not been included because the laws of last year gave the state police regulating powers. The bill as substituted takes its place in the calendar for the several readings.

—George S. T. Whitney, 199 Quincy avenue, will be 91 years old next Wednesday. His mind is clear and he is quite smart for an old gentleman, eating his three meals a day. He is pleased to have his friends call to see him.

—Elmer H. Capen, president for many years of Tufts college, died this week, after a few days' illness of pneumonia. The funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in Goddard chapel. Dean William R. Shipman of the college of letters, will deliver an address.

—John M. S. Hunter, proprietor of the Farmington, Me., Chronicle, died quite suddenly on Saturday last of heart disease. He was a much respected member of the Suburban Press Association of New England, and was frequently present at its meetings in Boston.

—The First Presbyterian parish of Hyde Park will erect a $10,000 church edifice at 60 East River street.

CITY BRIEFS.

Mrs. Fred Thurston of Cherry avenue, is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Julius Johnson has commenced work on two new houses on Upland road.

Ex-Councilman A. W. Thompson is convalescent from a serious illness.

Daniel B. Snow of Hancock street is entertaining his sister from Lewiston, Maine.

Mark J. Myett, is at a Boston hospital for an operation for a serious head trouble.

It is expected the Whitney road tennis court will be in condition for play on Patriots' day.

Samuel Curtis has been confined to his home on Cottage avenue the past three weeks by sickness.

Mrs. E. A. Penniman returned to her home on Elm place on Tuesday after a brief visit with her sister at the Point.

Mrs. Mary A. Mitten of Amherst, Mass., has been the guest of Mrs. A. W. Wilscher of Beacon street the past week.

It is rumored that Fred B. Rice is to open a retail shoe store in the building on Chestnut street recently purchased by him.

A degree team composed of past grands of Mt. Wollaston lodge I. O. O. F., will perform work before the grand officers May 9.

Mrs. Fenton E. Lowe and daughter, Mabel Katherine, of Hingham, spent Sunday with her cousin Miss Katherine Merritt of this city.

It is rumored that the Quincy post office will occupy the store in the Durgin-Merrill block recently vacated by L. M. Pratt & Son.

Mayor Thompson is in almost daily receipt of letters from citizens commending the good work being done by Commissioner Burke.

The addition to St. Francis church at Houghs Neck is completed. About thirty feet have been built onto the rear of the building.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Tedlin of Northfield, Vt., are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of an 8-pound boy born on Thursday, March 9.

The local contractors report considerable activity in their line and that there will probably be an unusual amount of building this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crotty (Lottie Harris) who were married four weeks ago, have returned from their wedding trip and are residing on Chestnut street.

The Committee on Finance of the City Council will complete its work on the annual budget this week, and it will be reported to the meeting next Monday evening.

Division 5, A. O. H., will attend holy communion in a body at St. John's church Sunday morning for Dr. Joseph M. Sheahan, the division physician.

The fourth annual concert of the Quincy High school will be given on Friday evening of next week at High School hall. It promises to excel its predecessors.

Henry Adams, the brother of Brooks Adams of this city, rendered valuable aid to Secretary Hay on Saturday when he collapsed just before sailing on the Cedric from New York.

A special civil service examination for clerks and carriers for the Quincy post office will be held in Boston, Tuesday April 4. See John H. McDougall at Quincy office for particulars.

Nature leaflet, No. 26, relative to the Brown-tail moth, may be obtained free on application to the Board of Health at City Hall. It is issued by the State Board of Agriculture and is illustrated.

Herman F. McIntire has begun the erection of his new home on Dixwell avenue, adjoining the Lawton place on Presidents hill. If it is as attractive as his present house it will be quite an addition to the neighborhood.

The prompt assistance of Mr. C. C. Hodgkinson of Bigelow street prevented the drowning of a little four-year-old boy living on Revere road, who fell into Town brook near the Bigelow street bridge on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. S. I. Wood, the popular Quincy milliner, was awarded a certificate of honorable mention for an original and meritorious design entered in the Inaugural hat contest at New York recently. But ten certificates were issued.

Good weather to fight the brown-tail. People are asking what the city is going to do about the shade trees along the road side. If the city does not look after its trees it will not do much good for property holders to look after theirs.

Some persons unknown, evidently boys, broke into the store of V. E. Miller on Sunday and carried away a quantity of oranges. Entrance was made through the rear window. This is the second time that a similar break has been made.

The Committee on Public Buildings held a prolonged session Saturday night. The subject under discussion was the enlargement of the High school. Mayor Thompson and Commissioner Burke were present at the meeting, and it was after midnight before the committee adjourned.

Frank W. Leighton formerly of Quincy died March 16 at Barre, Vt., of pneumonia. Mr. Leighton was a stone cutter and went to Barre several years ago, where he has since been employed at his trade. He leaves a widow and several children. The body was brought to Quincy for burial.

The steamer Providence which left the Fore River works Tuesday on her maiden trip did not go very far toward her destination. It was deemed unwise to proceed in the teeth of a howling northeast snowstorm, and she came to anchor in the lee of Fort Warren where she remained all night. She proceeded on her way Wednesday morning.

Miss Whitney of Gay street was at home on Wednesday afternoon from three until half-past five in honor of her brother's bride, Mrs. William Harrison Whitney. About a hundred relatives and friends were present during the afternoon. Cocoa, punch and cake were served by friends of the hostess. Mr. and Mrs. Whitney reside at 264 South Central avenue, Wollaston, where they are at home to their friends.

The regular monthly meeting of the Junior Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. was held with Miss Catheryne Hutchins, 54 Bigelow street, Friday afternoon, March 17, at 2.30. The afternoon was spent very pleasantly discussing plans for a gentleman's night to be held in the near future and for the fair which is to be given in May. The solo by Miss Hazel E. Mowry was enjoyed greatly by the members. A special meeting will be held with Miss Avah R. Gilson, April 7, to discuss further the plans for the Y. M. C. A. fair.

Mrs. Georgie Rich is stopping with friends at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York.

Handsome new awnings have been placed over the entrance to Johnson Bros.' market.

The sale of the horses, wagons, etc. of L. M. Pratt & Son advertised for Thursday was postponed.

Mrs. A. G. Durgin of Winchendon, formerly of Quincy, is the guest of Mrs. A. H. Gilson, 22 Linden place.

The Colonial express runs out to Braintree every night about midnight to turn around by means of the Y.

Napoleon B. Furnald has been reappointed for a term of seven years a justice of the peace with authority to solemnize marriages in Quincy.

At the request of Brockton officials Quincy sent two wagons to that city Thursday to assist at the public funeral of the victims of the recent fire.

The Tippecanoe club met Wednesday evening with the club secretary Miss Mollie Harris of Edwards street. A most enjoyable evening was past.

The Metropolitan Water and Sewerage commissioners have asked for proposals for 500 tons of coal in bins at Quincy pumping station, and 400 tons in bins at Nut island.

A special meeting of the School Committee will be held in their rooms this evening, March 25, to consider plans and specifications for an addition to present High school.

About seventy-five Woodward girls were guests Wednesday afternoon of Miss Georgiana C. Lane at the Copley exhibition in Boston. A special car was attached to the train for the party.

A largely attended whist party under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Sons of Veterans was held Wednesday evening at Grand Army hall. Prizes were awarded to those having the best scores.

The Westerly association football club, champions of Rhode Island and Connecticut in 1903, 4, and 5, would like to arrange a game or two games with the Quincy eleven. Address: John McGrogan, 62 Mechanic street, Westerly, R. I.

Mrs. Annie E. Shaw read a paper on Thursday at the district conference of the Y. M. C. A. auxiliary at North Abington on "The value of new workers." Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard was appointed on the committee for the next conference.

The regular meeting of the Hospital Aid association will be held Thursday, March 30th, at 2.30 P. M., in the chapel of the First church, City Square. A large attendance is desired as the subject of establishing a visiting nurse is to be again considered.

As Miss Randall lived in Germany, a year, studying music and travelling, her next travel talk on Germany and German life should be most interesting. It is to be given at the home of Mrs. C. Theodore Hardwick, Chestnut street, on Tuesday afternoon, the twenty-eighth.

At the literary meeting of the Manet club at Christ church parish house on Tuesday evening Mrs. Walter T. Babcock is to give a paper which she wrote for the Wednesday Morning club of Boston and which was so well received, the subject being "Our territorial growth."

A very pretty whist party was held Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Eastern Star lodge at the rooms of Mrs. Paul W. Kribbs in the Durgin-Merrill block. Eight tables were in play. Prizes for the best scores were awarded to Miss Alice B. Haltman, Mrs. Charles H. Penniman and Miss Jennie Crowell.

Contractor W. R. Lofgren, who is finishing the Revere road apartment house, expects to have it completed by the middle of April. These apartments will have all the modern appliances such as a public telephone, electric door openers, speaking tubes, dumb waiters, set ranges, rotary ash sifters, refrigerator drips, etc.

Announcements have been received from Mrs. Florence Williams Starr of Dorchester, of the marriage of her daughter, Miss Florence Edna Cowling and Mr. Charles William Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Whitney Hall, of 1173 Hancock street, this city. The young people are to make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Hall and will receive their friends after May first.

George B. Burgess, Commander of Major J. A. Frye camp, No. 22, L. S. W. V., of Brockton, was among the killed, and unknown in the Brockton horror. He recently attended the public installation of Camp Boyd in this city, and the camp has passed resolutions of sympathy with the family, and Brockton camp. Mr. Burgess was with Dewey at the naval battle in Manila bay.

George Wilson, keeper of the Quincy Home, has tendered his resignation to take effect April 1. William J. Vaughn of Quincy Neck has been appointed to fill the vacancy. Mr. Vaughn was brought up on a farm, afterward learning the trade of a machinist. He served for two years as keeper of the almshouse at East Bridgewater. For some time past he has resided at Quincy Neck and has been employed at the Fore River works, while Mrs. Vaughn conducted a boarding house. He comes to the Quincy Home well recommended.

The open meeting of the Quincy Women's club at First Church chapel on Wednesday afternoon will give club members an opportunity to meet Dr. Brackett, who has so generously given the club the use of his home for a club house. Dr. Brackett will not only be present at the meeting but will outline some of the work in which he is particularly interested. Cards have not been sent out but it is hoped all members will attend the meeting. In April or May the club house will be open to members for inspection before the repairs are begun.

The Quincy bowling team visited the Elite alleys in Boston Wednesday night and sprung quite a big surprise on the crack Elite team, taking two out of the three games. The totals were: 465 to 457, 490 to 478 and 476 to 511. All the Quincy boys were in good form and mowed down the pins right and left. Connell did the best work getting a total of 318. For the Elite team W. Ferris was honor man, and got an elegant single of 119. The series now stand even, each team winning three games and the rubber game will be rolled on the Granite street alleys some night next week.

Mrs. A. H. Gilson, Mrs. W. T. Babcock and Miss Annie L. Prescott, were guests of the Philergians at Pythian hall, Braintree on Tuesday afternoon. Officers of the Quincy Women's club were also invited but owing to the storm were unable to be present. Miss Georgia Bacon, of Worcester, vice president of the State Federation of Women's clubs, was the speaker of the afternoon and gave a most interesting paper on "Tramps." It contained food for reflection and club women will probably hereafter give tramps nothing but the cold shoulder when they solicit food and money.

Mrs. Rachel Loud, of Elm street, is seriously ill at her home.

Edward A. Allen has moved to Quincy avenue from East Milton.

Mrs Carrie Gray of Hingham visited friends in Quincy on Thursday.

Ex-Councilman Thompson is quite ill with erysipelas at his home on Elm street.

George H. Wilson has cleared all his trees of the brown-tail moths having discovered a few moths on his pear and elm trees.

The next regular meeting of the School Committee will be held in their rooms Tuesday evening, March 28, at eight o'clock.

A business meeting of the Fragment society will be held in the chapel of the First church next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Warren Greene Ogden of Washington was an over Sunday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Faxon of Adams street.

There will be special music at both services at the Universalist church on Sunday. Rev. Charles Conklin, D. D., will preach at the morning service; subject—"Christian service."

Cuff's orchestra has been engaged for the Masonic social dance at Quincy Music hall next Wednesday evening, which ensures popular music.

Rev. A. A. Ellsworth of Russell park preaches tomorrow at the First Evangelical church, Milton Centre; the pastor being away in southern California.

The Sunday school of the First Parish will observe Association day on Sunday by a special service at 12 noon in the chapel. Parents and friends are cordially invited to attend.

George F. Wilson & Co., who will vacate their store before April 1, offer big bargains for the coming week in groceries and store fixtures. One-fifth off is worth saving.

Little is known of Labrador, so that the lecture of Dr. W. T. Grenfell at the Wollaston Congregational church next Tuesday will be of interest. Hear about the icebergs the dogs and the cold weather.

The regular meeting of the Quincy branch of the Alliance will be held on Monday afternoon in the parlor of First church at three o'clock. Rev. William Lord of Rockland will speak, his subject being "Birds."

Mrs. Beatrice Porterfield gave a matinee whist at her home on Granite street Thursday afternoon, at which time eight tables were in play, and favors awarded to Mrs. George Craig, Mrs. E. J. Sandberg, Mrs. Donahue, Mrs. G. H. Pierce, Mrs. Jennie Langhorne and Mrs. Annie Denton.

The association of members of company K, 5th regiment, who served in the "Spanko" war will hold a reunion at the American House, Saturday evening, April 1, at 7 o'clock. Secretary George A. Wardwell, 159 Taylor street, Wollaston, would like all members who served with this company to send him their addresses.

In a letter to a resident of Quincy, Mr. Albert Crane writes, from the Royal Palm hotel, Miami, Florida. "Here all is bright, and warm,—roses, and oleanders, salvia, phlox and many other flowers in bloom, and all the ladies in white thin gowns. We leave here Thursday for Hampton Terrance, North Augusta, South Carolina."

Charles F. Harper, head master of the Quincy High school, will speak at the Young People's Religion Union at the First church, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock on "Religion in every day School Life." An unusually interesting evening is anticipated. A large attendance of the members is desired, and the general public are invited to attend.

A special meeting of the Quincy Women's club will be held Wednesday afternoon, March 29, at half-past two, in the chapel of First church, City square. Dr. Jeffrey R. Brackett will be present and address the meeting. The subject will be, "the establishing of a visiting nurse under the auspices of the city, with headquarters in the clubhouse." A large attendance is especially desired.

SOUTH QUINCY.

Work in the granite cutting yards is going on uninterrupted although all that desire work have not found employment. Those that are able to earn the $3 minimum and more had no difficulty in obtaining work. There is some dissatisfaction among the poorer class of workmen that the recent settlement did not give them $3 per day also.

Lafayette Gleason left Saturday for a ten days' visit to his former home at Canaan, Maine.

Miss M. Lizzie Marnock is quite ill at her mother's home on Bennington street.

There has been preaching each night this week at United Presbyterian church, Fort square, by Rev. John Heslip of Brockton who is assisting the pastor in special services preparatory to communion next Sabbath.

One of the first acts of Fire Commissioner Wells of Boston after receiving his appointment was to appoint Joseph A. Webber, a son of ex-Chief Webber late of Quincy, as lieutenant. Lieutenant Webber who has been connected with Engine 6, is assigned to Engines 26 and 35, as chief's clerk and driver.

McKinley Monument.

Architect Magenigle has reported to Secretary Hartzell of the McKinley National Memorial Association at Canton, Ohio, that he has completed the revised plans for the McKinley Monument. These will be submitted to seven contractors, who are to be ready to report about April 1. The trustees of the Memorial Association will meet in New York, May 1, when the contract for the monument is to be let. Secretary Hartzell says work on the monument will be commenced by June 1.

☞The great want in this age is men. Men who are not for sale. Men who are honest, sound from center to circumference, true to the heart's core. Men who will condemn wrong in friend or foe, in themselves as well as others. Men whose consciences are as steady as the needle to the pole. Men who will stand for the right though the heavens totter, and the earth reels. Men who can tell the truth and look the world and the devil in the eye. Men that neither flag nor run. Men who can have courage without shouting to it. Men in whom the courage of everlasting life runs still, deep and strong. Men who do not cry nor cause their voice to be heard on the street, but who will not fail nor be discouraged till judgment be set in the earth. Men who will not lie. Men who are not too lazy to work, nor too proud to be poor. Men who are willing to eat what is placed before them and to wear only what they have paid for.—Brookline Press.

WOLLASTON.

A grand program has been prepared for the concert of the Wollaston Glee Club which will be given next Wednesday evening at the Congregational church. Concerts by this organization have passed the experimental stage, as this will be the seventh. The club will be assisted by Mrs. Annie Estelle Hollis, soprano, and William Howard of Boston, violinist. The accompanist will be Mrs. Mira Richards Moulton. An eight-page program will be issued giving the words of the choruses of which there are seven or eight.

Whatsoever Circle, King's Daughters, will meet with Mrs. Charles Brooks, Highland avenue, on Monday.

Friends of Waldron P. Schumacher of Wollaston, are very sorry to hear of his serious misfortune in Boston last Monday. While at work with some machinery, at the Institute of Technology, his left hand was caught between two rollers, breaking a bone and badly lacerating the flesh. He was taken to the City Hospital, Boston, for treatment where he remained until Thursday when he was removed to a hospital in Cambridge. Under skillful treatment and care, it is hoped that no permanent serious results will follow.

Mrs. Jesse I. Litchfield and little daughter Sylvia, returned the first of week from Buffalo, New York, where they have been guests for several weeks of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Potter, nee Field.

Mrs. George A. Brown of Arlington street, Wollaston, spoke very emphatically before the City Council Monday evening, against the petition for the granting of sixth class licenses to druggists, and was greeted with applause.

The seventh concert of the Wollaston Glee club will be given Wednesday evening, March 29, at the Congregational church, Wollaston.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bates, and daughter Mary are spending a few weeks in Wollaston during Mr. Bates' vacation.

Dr. W. T. Grenfell, of the Mission to Deep Sea Fishermen, will lecture in the Wollaston Congregational church next week. His subject will be his work on the Labrador coast. All are cordially invited.

A large number of scholars and teachers attended the social in the Wollaston Unitarian vestry, March 17, given by Mrs. Chandler W. Smith and her class. Games of all kinds were played, the older as well as the younger entering into them with a will. Several amusing stories were told by some of the teachers by way of entertainment. Fruit punch and fancy crackers were served by the young ladies.

A. J. Preston was among the prize story tellers in the Sunday Herald.

The duet, "God, Thou art great," by Spohr, was beautifully rendered by Mrs. G. H. Collyer, contralto, and Madison L. Jordan, tenor, at the Wollaston Unitarian church Sunday morning.

The regular meeting of the Y. P. R. U. of the Wollaston Unitarian church was held in the vestry Sunday evening at seven o'clock. After the usual opening exercises F. M. Rollins read a very interesting and instructive paper on "Glimpses of religious belief—past and present."

Wollaston lodge, American Benefit Society, will visit Loyal lodge at Brockton next Tuesday evening.

Dr. Grenfell's Lecture.

Of Dr. Grenfell, who is to give an illustrated lecture at the Wollaston Congregational church Tuesday, March 28th, Norman Duncan writes:

"Will you not permit me to call attention to the approaching visit of Dr. Wilfred T. Grenfell, of the Royal National Mission to Deep Sea Fishermen, whose particular field is the coasts of Newfoundland and Labrador? Dr. Grenfell is not a missionary of the familiar type; he is less a preacher than a physician, and not more a physician than a philanthropist and industrial inspiration and organizer of the most sane and practical sort. Moreover, he is the devoted champion of the simple folk among whom he labors.

These simple folk inhabit some two thousand miles of what has been called by seamen 'the worst coast in the world.' What with fog, wind, reefs, and ice, navigation of those waters is a matter of extreme difficulty always, and often of hardship and dreadful danger. Nevertheless, in summer and winter, Dr. Grenfell manages to make his professional round—in summer by the little hospital ship Strathcona, in winter by means of dog-team and komatik. It is a proverb on the coast that he regards neither hardship nor peril.

Promise Obtained.

An application for an injunction to restrain the Old Colony Street Railway Company from cutting off the limbs of trees in the vicinity of its property in Quincy, made by Frank S. Patch, was denied by Judge Sheldon in the equity superior court on Thursday, says the Herald. The company stipulated in court that it would not interfere with the trees. The company is engaged in installing a high-tension service between a new power station at Quincy Point and Brockton and other places, and Patch was apprehensive that it might injure the trees in carrying out that work.

☞Hurry to condemn and hurry to exonerate are alike futile in the discussion of the terrible catastrophe at Brockton. It is easy to construct a snap judgment in either direction—but snap judgments are ordinarily of no value, and they may be easily worse than valueless in this case. After all that has been learned of the reasons for boiler explosions, it is evident that there are fields of ignorance concerning their possible causes still left to be explored, and laymen should certainly be cautious until those who have a right to speak have investigated and spoken.

Various general principles can be stated with assurance with respect to the prevention of such disaster—as, for example, the need of honest and careful work in the construction of boilers, and the need of intelligent and thoroughgoing care of them when they are in use. These apply everywhere, and their soundness has been demonstrated so many times that their lesson is of the tritest. As to this particular case, it may be that the experts will be able after a thorough examination and study to discover, at least approximately, the cause of the explosion; but the death of the engineer, who seems to have been the only man who could have given positive information concerning the condition of affairs in the boiler room, cuts of a source of knowledge that can never be made entirely good.—New Bedford Standard.

—To meet the growing demand of business on Cape Cod, the New York New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company has made arrangements to place the "Dude" train in commission on May 5. This is nearly a month earlier than in previous years.

QUINCY POINT AND NECK.

Mr. and Mrs. Sabin Grigg of Hartford, Conn., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son. Mrs. Grigg before her marriage was Miss Edna Austin, youngest sister of Rev. Leon H. Austin of this city.

Several Point people have been to Brockton this week to view the scenes of the accident.

More nests of the brown tail moth have been discovered on the trees at the Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hobbs of Sumner street, welcomed the arrival of a little daughter into their home this week.

The contract for laying the sixty-inch cast iron twin siphons of the sewage system, under the Anacostia river at Washington, D. C., has been awarded to Hiram W. Phillips of this city.

If everybody would give the same attention to the trees on their premises that F. A. Reynolds of Washington street, Quincy Point, has given, brown-tail moths and other pests would find Quincy a very unhealthy place, and we would soon be rid of them. Mr. Reynolds found a bushel box full of the winter nests of the moth on his trees which after removal he destroyed by fire. He very thoroughly cleaned the trunks of all the trees for a distance of four or five feet from the ground and has applied a solution which not only gives them a neat, clean appearance but is a disinfectant and will result in more perfect fruit, and probably more fruit. Hats off to Mr. Reynolds.

Mrs. Robert Clegg has recovered from her recent illness and joined her husband in New York where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hayden, of River street entertained the whist club at their home March 17. Prizes were taken by Mrs. Dorley, Mr. Hogan and Mr. Howes. After whist, an excellent supper was served consisting of salad, cake, fruit, ices and frappe. Mrs. Hayden was presented with a very handsome table-cover, in remembrance of her birthday. The company left for their homes about midnight after spending a most delightful evening.

Thomas B. Pollard is confined to his home on Edison street with a severe cold.

Miss May Tower of East Howard street is confined to the house by illness.

Albert L. Hayden assisted the regular choir at the Point church Sunday morning.

A number of hymns written by Fanny J. Crosby were sung at the evening service at the Quincy Point church on Sunday.

After a six weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Bates of Waltham, Mrs. Samuel Oxford has returned to her home on River street.

C. H. Logan, former acting carpenter on board the U. S. cruiser New York, which went out of commission at the Navy yard Charlestown for extensive improvements, on Saturday, has been assigned to the construction department inspection duty at the Fore River ship yards this city.

B. P. Sturtevant spent Sunday with relatives in East Bridgewater.

The many friends of ex-Councilman Aubrey R. Keith, will be sorry to learn that he is confined to his home on River street, a sufferer with lumbago.

Several employes at the Fore River shipyard were hurriedly summoned to Brockton or vicinity on Monday because of injuries to relatives in the factory horror.

When some of the whistles were blown on the "Providence" Monday afternoon, many of the people living near, thought the steamer was about to start. One glance at the tide changed their minds, however.

Miss Nan Carter entertained a number of her young friends at her home Monday evening. The occasion being her twenty-first birthday.

James Crawley of North street has returned from his western trip.

The torpedo boat destroyer Des Moines arrived at Havana on Monday.

Vesper services will be held at the Washington street Congregational church on Sunday afternoon.

The Fore River Shipbuilding Co. is encouraging its employes to take advantage of the International Correspondence school, and office arrangements will soon be made for representatives of the school.

M. R. Newcomb of Saugus was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. George K. Carter entertained a few friends on Wednesday in honor of her birthday.

Mr. Pote and family of Washington street are moving into the house on Stanley avenue recently occupied by Mr. Small and family.

Richard Sprigings, a son-in-law of George Wight, a brother of Marcus Wight, was among the killed in the Brockton horror, and Mrs. George Wight was also injured. Mr. Sprigings was head usher at the City theatre.

The annual supper of the parish of the Washington street Congregational church was held Wednesday evening in the vestry, and consisted of baked beans, salads, cold meats, pies, cake, coffee and rolls. Both the supper, and business meeting which followed, were largely attended. Officers and committees were elected for the coming year.

City Auditor George A. Sidelinger was moderator at the annual meeting of the Quincy Point church on Wednesday. The reports were encouraging. These officers were elected:

Clerk,—Edward H. Bushnell, M. D.

Prudential Committee,—Thomas B. Pollard, Herbert E. Bonney and Herbert D. Adams.

Auditor,—George A. Sidelinger.

Special Committee,—Arthur W. Newcomb, George A. Sidelinger and Eugene R. Stone.

It was voted to increase the salary of the pastor, $100.

Mrs. I. P. Bent, who underwent an operation at the Massachusetts Homoeopathic hospital, Boston, five weeks ago, is rapidly improving and has returned to her home at Quincy Point.

Charles C. Foster has bought three lots of land on Bay View street, Edison Park, and will commence the erection of three cottage houses.

John C. McGuane has accepted a position in the "Q" department at the shipyard.

The Unity club of Quincy Point held a whist party in the club rooms Thursday evening.

A number of Point people attended the fair held Thursday evening at the Wollaston M. E. church.

The engine of the Fore River branch was derailed for a short time on Quincy avenue Thursday morning.

Gilbert M. Wight and family are moving this week from Braintree to North street, Quincy Point.

The steamer "Surprise," formerly of the Joy line, left the Fore River docks Thursday for Boston where she will undergo repairs.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Quincy Point church held a business meeting Thursday evening at the home of their pastor, Rev. L. H. Austin.

A patent was issued this week to W. H. Doble of this city.

ATLANTIC.

Reports are still encouraging concerning the recovery of Miss Marion Carver of Billings street, who is ill at the Quincy Hospital.

If eggs were as plentiful as hens are in Atlantic, the town could live on angel cake every meal and still have the price of eggs in everyone's reach. But judging from the playfulness of said hens, they really don't have time to waste laying eggs, they had rather eat the struggling blades of grass off a disinterested neighbor's lawn.

On her way to the station, Tuesday morning, Miss Cassilda Gardner of Atlantic street, lost a very valuable piece of lace. She did not discover her loss until the train reached Neponset. Here she got out and walked back, retracing her steps slowly. On Sagamore street the lost treasure was found just where it had fallen. It was fortunate for Miss Gardner that those who take the early trains are mostly men, who would scorn a bit of lace on the roadside in their haste for the station.

The politeness which is manifest in every act of the boys in Atlantic is extremely creditable. No child over five forgets to remove his cap in greeting his elders, and the thoughtfulness of some of the older boys could well be copied by some of the men who think it enough to raise languid fingers to the hat-brim in saluting a woman. It is earnestly hoped that these chivalrous youths will not pattern after their elders in the years to come. There is little enough politeness left in these days, and the man—be he young or old—who takes off his hat with that innate touch of respect to women will succeed in life, no matter what his vocation may be.

The Misses Cole of Faxon road left on Tuesday for a trip to Washington and points south.

DOWNS AND PARK.

The alarm from Box 152 at 1.00 P. M. Wednesday was for a slight fire in residence of George Doran on Faxon road. The fire was confined to a bed lounge which was practically destroyed. The fire was caused by children. It was extinguished with a chemical stream.

G. W. Chisholm of Norfolk Downs is seriously ill with cancer of the liver.

Mrs. Annie G. Grignon, Senior Vice-President of the Woman's Relief Corps, who has made her home in Wollston for the past number of years, moved to Hamden circle, Norfolk Downs, last week.

Fred F. Grignon and family have moved from Arlington street, Wollaston to Norfolk Downs.

WEST QUINCY.

The Quincy Quarries Co. is getting out a number of turned columns for the Annapolis Naval academy. The columns are 4 and 5 feet long, and are 3 feet in diameter.

Chief of Police Burrell with Inspectors McKay and Bradley and Officers Hinchon, Cahill and Holloran raided the premises of Battista Crasti on Hall place, about 7.30 Sunday night, and seized a barrel of beer, a half-barrel of beer, and 25 gallons of wine. Crasti, the proprietor, was placed under arrest.

Elizabeth A. Barrows of West Quincy is attending the New England Conservatory of Music.

The Monday Night whist club concluded its weekly games at Mrs. E. G. Hayden's this week. Mrs. Charles Russler was again tendered the consolation prize having won seven this season. By a rule adopted, it fell to her lot to entertain the entire club at her home Friday evening for a final windup.

John J. Barron, of West Quincy, went to New York on the new steamer Providence from the Fore River shipyard.

Stephen B. Little has recovered from a severe attack of the grip.

Rev. A. F. Roche is preparing for a grand concert to be given in the near future for the benefit of the church.

Miss Carrie Heald of Miller street has returned from Solon, Me., where she was called by the illness of her mother.

It is expected that the Methodist Episcopal church conference in April will transfer Rev. W. A. Mayo of West Quincy to some other church.

To Save Doctor's Bills.

It was an association of gentlemen, professionally physicians and chemists, all of whom were born in the drug trade, so to speak, and who have been connected with it all their lives, who first gave to the world Castoria, which as every one knows is a pleasant and effective remedy for the ailments of infants and children. It has always been recognized as a meritorious preparation, and its reward has been the greatest popularity ever enjoyed by any remedy ever put upon the market; attained, not by flamboyant advertising or appeals to ignorance or vulgar prejudice, but by inherent merit. All physicians recommend it, and many, very many, prescribe it.

Many parents call in the family physician. Many other parents take advantage of what the physician told them when he was first called in consultation. All good family physicians say: "Give the children Castoria." Healthy parents know this remedy of old, for they took it themselves as children. It was more than thirty years ago that Castoria made a place for itself in the household. It bore the signature of Charles H. Fletcher then, as it does today. The signature is its guarantee, which is accepted in thousands of homes where there are children.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Empire Theatre.

As the circus season draws nigh the spirits of the small boy rise accordingly. The small boy, and his parents and relatives likewise, will be interested, then, in the announcement that while a circus entire is not to be put on at the Empire Theatre, Boston, formerly Boston Music Hall, next week, there will be one feature which will smack of the sensational element to be found only in a modern menagerie. Mlle. Ona Cecil and her den of leopards will be the attraction, and it is said to be one which for daring and and absolute mastery on the part of the trainer, and for wild beauty and fascinating powers on the part of the leopards, far surpasses any animal act ever presented in the varieties. There will be an abundance of comedy in the coming show, a fair share of which will be provided by Watson, Hutchings, Edwards and company, in Vaudeville Exchange," a sketch built on original lines and teeming with mirth-provoking dialogues and action.

Majestic Theatre.

A success was predicted for the professional production of Samuel E. Rork's spectacular musical merriment, "The Filibuster," long before it was given but even the most hopeful did not dare to predict such an overwhelming triumph as it achieved at the Majestic theatre last Monday night; moreover it is proving to be lasting in its magnitnde, and the second big week will begin next Monday. The Boston press, without an exception, did not hesitate to proclain it the best show of its kind ever seen in the city. The music was spoken of as second to none in recent years. The comedy provoked continued mirth. The costumes and scenery were admitted to be second to those of no other production and the girls—gracious! Every newspaper in Boston devoted at least 200 words to proclaiming the beauty, winsomenes and generally attractiveness of the feminime chorus. Also it was stated emphatically that they were not only pretty but that they could sing sweetly.

MILTON.

The body of Mrs. M. L. Kelsey, who died in California, arrived in East Milton on Thursday. The burial was from the East Milton Congregational church this afternoon. Mrs. Kelsey and her husband went to California for the winter last fall, intending to return in the spring. Mrs. Kelsey was taken ill with typhoid pneumonia and lived but a few days.

Mr. Ackerman, the State Forester, gave a talk before the Thursday Evening club this week.

Rev. C. P. Mills will preach at the Mission of Our Saviour church on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

O. D. Smith is receiving congratulations on the birth of twin daughters.

Littleton S. Bolton has purchased a Stanley steamer.

John Erwin has moved his barber shop to the Rugby block.

George Robie is entertaining his friends with graphophone concerts.

The matinee whist club met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Percy Hammersley of Belcher circle. Prizes were awarded to Miss Annie Tinker and Mrs. H. M. Thompson.

The East Milton Thimble club met with Mrs. John Hennigan on Buntin lane Tuesday afternoon.

Joseph Garrity has commenced the erection of a house on Pierce steet.

Edward A. Allen has moved to Quincy.

George Kelley has moved from Milton Lower Mills to Pierce street.

John Haley has purchased the Wellington house on Adams street.

The alarm from Box 2 at 5.53 Monday afternoon was for a slight fire on Adams street, caused by a lamp exploding.

S. F. Parsons of Church place is visiting his parents in Gloucester.

Knights of Malta Degrees.

Fully 300 were present at Music hall, Thursday evening at the final act of institution of John Adams Commandery, Knights of Malta. The work of this meeting was the exemplification of the Red Cross, and Sepulchre degrees.

The work was conferred upon 100 candidates, 69 of whom were charter members of John Adams commandery. Of this number but two received the degree, which was witnessed by the other candidates. There were also present companions from many of the commanderies about Boston.

The work was in full form and regalia, and was performed by Sovereign Commander Orson Young and full red degree staff of the Grand Commandery.

It was nearly midnight when the business of the evening was completed and an adjournment was made to Greenleaf hall, when a banquet was served. A social entertainment followed and it was 2.30 A. M. before the affair came to an end.

Sudden Death.

George W. Noyes, of South Braintree, an engineer, on the New York, New Haven, and Hartford railroad, died Thursday at the hospital in New Haven, Conn., as a result of a surgical operation. Mr. Noyes formerly lived on Crescent street, West Quincy, but after the death of his wife removed to Braintree.

He was secretary of the grievance committee of the brotherhood of locomotive engineer, and was attending a conference at New Haven, when it became necessary to go to the hospital, and undergo an operation. He was 38 years of age, and leaves a family of children.

☞Some Massachusetts Democrats are said to contemplate side-tracking Governor Douglas next fall, and running a nominee more to their own liking. In that case, there will be no need for the Republicans to worry about the succession.—New Bedford Standard.

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OPPOSITE Adams Academy, 4 Johnson Avenue, House of eight rooms and bath. Newly papered and painted, with furnace, range, shades and screens.

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TO LET—The two large Rooms at 1416 Hancock street, over McConnell's Fruit Store, well adapted for either Professional or Business use. Possession given about April 1st. Apply to J. H. STETSON, 49 School Street.
Quincy, March 17. 1p tf

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WANTED—An energetic man, woman, boy or girl to show a quick selling household article. Good commission. Call at 33 Prospect avenue, Wollaston.
March 24. 1p 1t

Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

THE Annual Meeting of the Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Co. will be held at the office of the company on WEDNESDAY, April 5th, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and for any other business which may legally come before the members.

C. A. HOWLAND, President.
Quincy, Mass., March 13, 1905. 18 3w

Quincy Savings Bank.

THE Annual Meeting of the members of the Quincy Savings Bank Corporation, for the election of Trustees, and any other business that may legally come before them, will be held on

TUESDAY, April 11, 1905,

at 3 o'clock P. M., at the Banking Rooms, 1374 Hancock street, Quincy, Mass.

CLARENCE BURGIN, Clerk.
Quincy, Mass., Mar. 18, 1905. 3w

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5 lbs. can	.60
3 lbs. can	.40
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All Wool Carpetings,	45c. to 65c. per yd.
Heavy Ingrain Carpetings,	75c. to 85c. per yd.
Regular Tapestry Carpetings,	75c. to $1.25 per yd.
Straw Mattings,	12 1-2 to 40c. per yd.
Oil Cloths,	25c. to 50c. per yd.
Heavy Linoleums,	55c to 75c. per yd.
Art Squares,	each $2.50 to $10 00.
Door Mats,	each 25c. to $1.50.
Rubber Door Mats,	each $1.25 to $1.75.

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From the first appearance of Foss' Extracts hotel chefs, cooking school teachers and thousands of plain housewives entirely discarded the use of all artifical extracts and began to use nothing but Foss' Pure Flavoring Extracts because they know that they are using simply the natural fruit in liquid form.

Women who have just begun the use of these extracts are delighted at the dainty flavoring imparted to their desserts and surprised that the matter of flavoring should make so great a difference in the palatableness of their cooking. This is the comment in many homes, not only by those whose business is to "taste" the food before serving, but by the men and women who only know the proof of the pudding by the eating.

There is something better than the old-fashioned artificial extracts. *Foss' Extracts are fruits in liquid form.* Not only are these modern extracts more delicate, purer and from every consideration of health more satisfactory, but they are much more economical, as less is required. Mrs. Lincoln in her recipe for Ice Cream, on Page 364 of her Boston Cook Book, orders Foss' Pure Extract of Vanilla, simply because it is fruit in liquid form, and the best. Try it and you will agree with her.

All grocers sell it in Quincy, Wollaston, Braintree, Weymouth and East Weymouth.

Sheriff's Sale.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. March 21, A. D. 1905.

TAKEN on execution and will be sold at public auction, on MONDAY, March 27, 1905, at nine o'clock, A. M., at the factory of the United States Standard Scale Company, Old Colony Avenue, in Quincy, (Wollaston) in said County of Norfolk, the following described personal property, being the same attached on mesne process, to wit:

1 Diebold Safe.
1 Standing Desk.
1 Flat Top Desk.
1 Roll Top Desk.
1 Typewriter and Table.
6 Office Chairs.
About 400 pounds of Zinc.
About 275 pounds of Pig Lead.
About 640 pounds of Copper in ingots.
1 Gasolene Engine, 30 horse-power, counter shaft and water tank.
1 Igniter and Battery.
Lot of Pulleys and Belts of various sizes.
Portable Forge, Anvil and Tools.
About 550 pounds of bar and rod Steel.
1 Emery Wheel, counter shaft and bolt.
Lot of Drill Chucks of assorted sizes.
1 Rotary Neostyle.
1 Motor Fan.
About 125 gross assorted Machine Screws.
Large lot of Yale Locks.
About 400 Twisted Drills, assorted sizes.
Large lot of Small Tools.
About 100 Weighing Machines, completed and partly finished
Miscellaneous lot of Castings and parts of Weighing Machines, Bench, Vises, Bench Tools, etc., etc.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 1905.

WEEKLY ALMANAC.	Sun Rises	Sets	Full Sea. Morn.	Eve	Moon rises.
Saturday, Mar. 25,	5 39	6 01	2 15	2.45	11.30 P.M
Sunday, " 26,	5 38	6 03	3.15	3 45	12.03 A.M
Monday, " 27,	5.36	6.04	4 00	4 45	12.30 "
Tuesday, " 28,	5 34	6.05	5.00	5 45	1.24 "
Wednesday, " 29,	5 32	6 06	6.00	6.45	2.11 "
Thursday, " 30,	5 30	6.07	7.15	7.45	2.52 "
Friday, " 31,	5.29	6,08	8.15	8.45	3 29 "

Last Quarter, March 27th, 4.35 P. M.

This Week's Temperature.

The noon temperature of the week is compared below with that of last week and the same day of month for three years:

	This Week.	Last Week.	In 1904.	In 1903.	In 1900.
Sunday,	55	37	48	65	55
Monday,	35	37	47	74	65
Tuesday,	37	39	47	48	44
Wednesday,	39	37	45	47	43
Thursday,	45	47	56	45	58
Friday,	48	45	57	57	39
Saturday,	—	57	62	58	37

Notes and Comments.

That there is a very strong No-License sentiment in Quincy was emphasized at the public hearing given by the City Council this week on the application for a druggist's liquor license. The Citizens' No-License Temperance League also showed itself to be alert, and conducted a campaign even more aggressive than on the eve of the annual municipal elections when strenuous efforts are used to get out a large "No" vote.

On a matter of this importance, where so many citizens had prepared themselves for a vigorous remonstrance, it was unusual to limit the speakers by vote to five minutes. With one or two exceptions the time of speakers were extended without opposition. Many noted, however, that the Councilman who limited the time soon left the chamber, and was not present to be recorded on roll call when leave to withdraw was voted.

To Mrs. George A. Brown of the W. C. T. U. and Rev. A. F. Roche of St. Mary's church in particular, credit is given for the great No-License victory. But all the speakers in remonstrance contributed to this end: Delcevare King, by organizing the opposition and his clear statement of the law and the attitude of the voters; Dr. Sherman, who was well fortified with advice in letters from officials in other cities; Rev. A. F. Roche, who was familiar with abuse of druggist's licenses; Theophilus King, who put his whole heart and soul into the cause; H. O. Cassidy, by his plea for the home; Theodore Hermanson, who told of the downfall of a friend; Rev. L. H. Austin, by his plea for law and order at Quincy Point; and Mrs. Brown for temperance, the home, and children.

Among others who contributed by their presence and were probably ready to speak in remonstrance were: H. H. Faxon, Rev. N. J. Sproul, Rev. J. A. Bernhard, Rev. E. N. Hardy, Rev. W. B. Barr, Rev. Edward Norton, Secretary Gay of the Y. M. C. A., A. D. Albee, Edward Southworth and many more.

The general feeling among the citizens is that the City Council did perfectly right in giving the petitioners for sixth class liquor licenses leave to withdraw. Some of the druggists who did not petition for a license, admit that it would be an open door, and that anyone would be able to obtain liquor at will.

The sincerity of Druggist Hearn is not questioned by anyone, and the action of the City Council in no way reflects upon him. In fact he stands better in the community today, for his efforts to do a legal and straightforward business, and people believe him when he says he has had opportunites to do considerable for temperance and he has done it.

Channel at Houghs Neck.

The Legislative Committee on Harbors and Public Lands, to whom was referred the petition of Eben W. Sheppard and others, that the Harbor and Land Commissioners be directed to dredge and widen the channel off the southerly shore of Quincy, at Houghs Neck, will visit Quincy next week to look over the location.

The bill that has been reported, authorizes the expenditure of $5,000. It instructs the Harbor and Land Commissioners to dredge and widen a channel, known as the Quincy and Boston Steamboat Company's channel, off the southerly shore of Quincy and opposite the Quincy Yacht club house, to a depth not exceeding six feet at mean low water.

Liquor Cases.

James P. Flannigan, a Quincy Point expressman, and Clifford H. Towle, who runs a little store at Quincy Point, in which Flannigan has an office, were arraigned in court Wednesday, for violation of the liquor laws.

George E. Adams, Esq., represented the government, and J. J. McAnarney, Esq., the defendants. The police made a raid at these premises some time ago, seized a quantity of liquor in bottles. It is alleged by the police that Flannigan did a liquor business under the disguise of an expressman.

The hearing on the two cases occupied a greater part of the morning. At the conclusion of the hearing both cases were continued for judgment. Flannigan to April 5, and Towle to March 25.

An Interesting Meeting.

Wollaston lodge, No. 174, American Benefit Society, had a jolly time at their regular meeting in Brasee's hall, on Tuesday evening. Despite the bad storm, three-fourths of the members were present. Several applications for membership were received, quite a number were elected, and four were initiated. They were honored with the presence of the Supreme Medical Director, Dr. M. Morey Pearson, of Boston, who, in her address, highly complimented the officers for their good work, and predicted a bright future for Wollaston lodge. Dr. E. R. Johnson, who is the Medical Examiner, also gave an address in his usual jovial way, intermingled with laughable jokes, some of which were aimed at Bro. J. V. Carter, of Brockton which created considerable merriment. Sister Cora Merrill entertained with readings. Sandwiches, and hot coffee were served, while members partook of a mystery box. To Brother Ernest M. Tribou fell the possession of a pretty hand mirror. A laughable feature in the form of an empty egg shell race was then enjoyed, Brother Samuel Hanson winning the prize of a silver quarter presented by working Deputy, J. V. Carter. A social time followed.

John Oja, administrator of John Ojalawishrokka, late of Gloucester, recovered a verdict of $2,250 for his intestate's death, and of $250 for the latter's conscious suffering, against Edwin Canney, owner of a quarry at Lanesville, in the United States circuit court before Judge Lowell on Tuesday. The deceased, while working at the quarry Nov. 11, 1903, was hit by a chain used in lifting granite.

For the Patriot.

Letter from the State House.

Boston, March 22, 1905.

State finance is henceforth the most important matter at the state house for this session of the legislature. Gov. Douglas's message yesterday seems to settle that beyond doubt. More than that, the matter is put in such a way that the issue does not come as a partisan matter, but as a public concern, aside from partisan considerations. With the legislature strongly republican, both in numbers and in ability, in both branches, there is no possible chance to make democratic capital out of the matter, otherwise than by laying down a policy and challenging the majority party to meet the situation. This is practically what the governor has done, and he has done it in such a broad way that the challenge must be accepted and the relief given, if the majority party expects to stand well with the people. A strong pull, and a pull all together is the need in the present financial situation, and the best policy of the majority is to seize the opportunity, as Bryan did when he praised President Roosevelt for his anti-trust declaration, and work for the good of the people, aside from partisan policies.

As to the wisdom of the direct inheritance tax, it has been demonstrated for years in succession to the satisfaction of the house. But the bill has failed every year in the senate, after it has passed the house, and it is well understood that this failure is not due to a difference in the logical demonstration for the bill in the senate, but to the pressure of selfish influences in the senate where they are much stronger than they are in the house. The fact that not over 4 per cent of the property in the state will come under the proposed law illustrates how lightly it will bear upon the people, but the defeat of the bill proves where the burden comes.

The element of justice in the measure is what commends it to the average legislator. No one can talk long with the tax authorities without seeing how deeply they feel the evil of tax dodging and how they deplore the almost universal fact that the people who ought to bear more taxes evade them as much as possible. If the wealthy people paid their just proportion of the taxes, the burden on other people would be much lighter. But human ingenuity and honesty is not yet equal to devising a law which will operate well. Therefore, the argument is, since these people escape their just share of taxes when alive, it is only fair for the state to take a share when their estates pass through the probate office. Of course there is injustice in this plan, but it is a rough approximation to justice and a marked improvement upon the present system. Yet, in spite of this truth, the wealthiest people will doubtless still be able to defeat the popular will in the senate and continue to put their share of taxes upon other people.

Now the season approaches when some of the measures which helped the undoing of Gov. Bates will confront Gov. Douglas. The labor committee has reported the bill to prevent women and minors from working overtime (or between 6 P. M. and 6 A. M.) to make up time lost in factories from the stoppage of machinery for repairs. The mill people have stoutly opposed this bill, in order to have leeway for making up orders when there is pressure to fill them. But last year the employees carried their point and the bill went to the governor. Of course the republican majority will not try to prevent this bill, as a matter of politics, from reaching the governor. The democrats want it to reach him and so the prospect is favorable for its passage. Then will come the question of signing.

The eight hour bill for public employees is another bill now pending which reached Gov. Bates and was vetoed by him. What its fate will be cannot yet be foretold, but political reasons will tend to let the bill go to the governor, so that he may face the same dilemma as Gov. Bates encountered with such disaster. But the non-political opposition may believe that the risk is too great to run and will try to beat the bill in at any event. Doubtless there will be some members of this class, but probably not a majority. Then there is the Christmas shopping bill, to modify existing law so that retail stores may keep open evenings for ten days before Christmas and make the clerks work overtime. Boston labor and philanthropic influence are strongly against the bill, while the leading retailers of Worcester, Springfield, Haverhill and other places, demand this much of relaxation of the strictness of the present law.

Failure has once more been the fate of the effort to preserve country hunting for the benefit of the city sportsmen, and their effort has met a unanimous adverse report from the committee on fisheries and game,—reference to the next legislature,—and his report will doubtless be accepted. The farmers would not stand such interference. The four western counties, Worcester county, and some eastern places would not stand such interference with the traditional rights of the farmers, while the farmers' boys, in their pursuit of woodchucks and partridges, had friendly consideration. No report has been made yet on the petition for a license fee of $10 for every unnaturalized foreigner who wishes to hunt. This is aimed at the Italians who are destroying the song and insectivorous birds without mercy in large numbers.

From the unexpected source of Simon Swig, of Taunton, a new representative from that city, and a man of foreign birth, and rearing, has come a bill which was reported unanimously yesterday by the committee on election laws to prevent the giving of money for political purposes by any domestic corporation, or any corporation which is authorized to do business in the state. Its prohibits a gift of money or other valuable thing whatever by any such corporation, or its officers or agents for any political purpose, and it prohibits the solicitation of any gift of money or other valuable thing whatever from any such corporation, its officers or agents. The penalty proposed in the bill is $1000 fine, and a year's imprisonment upon any guilty person, and $5000 penalty upon the guilty corporation. Whether the bill will pass, and whether it could be enforced, if passed, are different questions, but it is worthy of note that such a bill comes in with a unanimous report.

The eulogies in the senate of the career, and character of the late ex-Gov. Boutwell were of an unusually high order, befitting the subject, and the public had an opportunity to learn something of the rare ability, and high patriotism of this statesman of a late generation, who never had a college training, but, by sheer native force of mind, and will, raised himself so high that honors, many and lofty, came to him without solicitation, honors which he bore worthily, for the lasting benefit of the nation.

Patent medicine men, defeated in the house by the public interest in having the percentage of alcohol in their products put on the outside of the bottle, defeated the house bill in the senate by means of letters, and telegrams. Not a word of debate occurred, but the bill was killed by a big vote on the first call of the calendar.

This afternoon the house had a debate upon the abolition of the death penalty. It was long, but it was not as strong as it has been in some years. But the sentiment of the members was more largely against any change than it has been for some years when a vote has been recorded. On the motion to substitute the bill to abolish capital punishment for the adverse report of the committee, there were 54 yeas to 107 nays. That is a strong enough vote to make it seem certain that for a long time to come there will be no chance of having imprisonment for life as the greatest punishment for murderers.

The probate and chancery committee has agreed to report a bill which will stiffen up the Sunday law regarding theatrical entertainments. It aims to cut off a lot of entertainments which are now given under the guise of benevolent or charitable. It takes away from the licensing authorities of cities and towns the right to license any Sunday show whatever, except a concert of sacred music, or a free concert under municipal auspices upon some bandstand, common or park.

All cities outside of Boston have a direct interest in the bill which is said to have been agreed upon by the committee on cities to limit the height of buildings. It is not to be over 100 feet in any event, and is subject to other limitations. The argument in favor of the improved health conditions preserved by the presence of light and fresh air outweighs all considerations of economy in property. Sunlight kills disease germs. Family life is healthier and brighter in sunny rooms than in those shaded by tall buildings. The property-owners must stand aside for the benefit to the public. Rule.

Pine Tree Club.

One of the most enjoyable meetings held thus far by the Pine Tree club, was that of Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gleason on Independence avenue. Fully eighty were present, all of whom claimed Maine as their native place.

The guests were not confined to Quincy, for they came from all the adjoining towns. Luther T. Greenleaf of Boston, was to be present to address the meeting, but at the last minute found it impossible to come. He however sent his greeting.

Fragrant cut flowers transformed the house into a perfect bower. No two rooms were decorated alike but the flowers were so arranged that they blended beautifully. "Jed's" office was used as a smoking den for the gentlemen and the wreaths of blue that worked their way from that room told only to plainly that the men were enjoying themselves.

After a short business meeting there ws vocal and instrumental music, and brief remarks. These with social intercourse seemed to make the hours pass all too quickly.

No occasion like this would be complete without a lunch, and cake, ice cream, frozen pudding, coffee, etc., were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Gleason proved the best of entertainers, and it was the unanimous expression of all present that it was one of the best meetings yet held by the club.

Mrs. Gleason received in a beautiful gown of white and wore a corsage bouquet of violets. Each guest upon departure received a pink, jonquil or rosebud.

Miss Dearborn.

Miss Belinda Dearborn of Manchester, N. H., the only sister of Miss Mary E. Dearborn, who died last week after a long illness, is highly spoken of in the Manchester Union, as an earnest worker interested in benevolent and missionary enterprises. She found special spheres of activity in the People's Baptist church, the Dorcas Society, the Women's Home and the Foreign Missionary Society.

Miss Dearborn was the ideal church worker in many respects. Without display, never lifting her voice into prominence in the meetings, evidencing little of the exalted ecstacy of revival tides and never settling into the lethargy and gloom which too often intervenes between times of religious awakening, always possessing the same strong sweet, earnest spirit, and always quietly engaged in work along her chosen lines, her influence was wholly for good. Her last service, done while she was restricted to her bed, was the preparation of a paper which was read in a meeting of the mission society to whose work she was absolutely devoted.

Miss Underwood Eligible.

It is surprising that there is anyone in Quincy who will work against the success of Miss Underwood in the Herald contest, but such is the case and many votes are being taken out of town.

The report is being industriously circulated that Miss Underwood is not eligible, but early in the contest the Herald editor decided that Miss Underwood was a teacher in the "Coddington grammar school," although teaching in a primary grade, and there is no appeal from this decision.

Fortunately Miss Underwood is receiving coupons by the hundreds from a great many out of town friends. At least 25 former teachers and pupils of Quincy are working for the success of Miss Underwood, and there is no question but what she will win without the purchase of extra coupons, if she receives the hearty support of Quincy. If the contest was decided today Miss Underwood would be one of the three winners in this district. Why not keep her at the front?

Votes may be sent in blank to the Daily Ledger office, or to Henry C. Prescott, 33 Bigelow street, Quincy.

Arrested for Maine Officers.

Andrew D. King, of Vinal Haven, Me., was placed under arrest Thursday afternoon by Inspector Bradley, as being a fugitive from justice. Word was received at police headquarters from the sheriff at Rockland, Me., that they held a warrant for King for felonious assault, and that he was probably in Quincy.

Inspector Bradley found him at the residence of a relative on Quincy street, where he had arrived but a short time previous. King says he does not know about the charge unless it was in connection with the death of his wife.

He says that his wife died a few weeks ago, under circumstances that resulted in an inquest being held. After the inquest he says that he supposed they were all through with him and he came to Quincy. He will be held to await the arrival of Rockland officers. King says that he will return to Maine without the formality of extradition papers.

—Mrs. John D. Long of Hingham and Mrs. D. B. Russell of Brockton have been appointed by Gov. Douglas on the board of trustees of the State Sanatorium.

Steamer Providence.

A crowd of several hundred people gathered on the Quincy Point bridge and adjoining wharves Tuesday morning to see that floating palace, the steamer Providence, start on her maiden trip.

The steamer left her moorings in Bent's creek shortly after 9 o'clock, and accompanied by two tugs came gracefully down the river. The great white steamer towered above the little tugs like a mountain. Flags were flying from the steamer and it was a magnificent sight.

There was but a small leeway between the beam of the steamer and the opening of the draw, but it was hoped she would get safely through. It was a little after 9 30 when she approached the draw, her big paddle wheels turning slowly.

Quite a stiff breeze was blowing and it was a difficult job. Suddenly there was a crash which shook the very foundation of the bridge, and for a moment many feared that the Quincy abutment of the bridge had been carried away.

The guard rail of the steamer had struck the bridge a savage blow, but evidently did not injure either. The force of the blow caused the steamer to rebound, and then the paddle wheel caught in the dolphin piling and held her fast.

Officer Larkin quickly drove the crowd away from the bridge opening, as it was feared some one might get injured.

It was impossible to move the steamer, as she was stuck hard and fast. The officials did not dare to pull her back or pull her ahead. The tugs worked about her for some time without success. In the meantime the tide was constantly rising and about 10.30 she cleared.

Again the paddle wheels began to move, and she slowly forged ahead and in a few minutes was entirely free from the bridge. As she swung around, so as to follow the course of the channel, whistles on the tugs and at the works announced that the steamer had started on her trip to New York.

It was a grand sight to watch her as she steamed away, and there were few of the hundreds of watchers who would not have been glad of the opportunity to have taken the trip to New York.

The departure of the new steamer is an event of importance to the city, as it marks the completion of a million dollar palatial floating palace by a Quincy corporation.

In the aggregate, Quincy ships a valuable product of granite every year; other cities ship shoes and other manufactures, but here is one article—a grand steamer for the Fall River line which has been built and fitted wholly in Quincy.

When business calls Quincy people to New York they will take considerable pleasure in travelling in the Providence and telling other passengers that the ship was built in "my city." It will be a good advertisement for Quincy.

The "Providence," will soon take her place on the Fall River Line, running from Providence to New York, is about a mean in size and dimensions of the other large boats of the line, being very nearly the tonage and dimensions of the "Puritan," somewhat smaller than the "Priscilla," and somewhat larger than the "Plymouth" and "Pilgrim."

The hull is constructed of mild steel on the double hull system for the greater part of her length, and in appearance is of the familiar "Sound" type, having straight stem and semi-elliptical stern, with sponsoned wing walls from side wheels tapering gradually forward and aft, adding considerably to the strength and ensuring a great range of stability. Three tiers of deck houses are erected over the main deck and with two large smoke stacks and the usual bunting poles, a particularly pleasing profile is composed. The following are the principal dimensions of the steamer:

	Ft.	In.
Length over all	397	
Length on 12 ft. water line	378	6
Breadth molded at widest part	50	
Breadth over guards	88	
Depth molded at centre	21	10
Dome deck to keel	62	
Gross tonnage, 4365		

Appliances for fire protection are most complete, thorough and very much in advance of any statutory requirements.

In addition to this complete water service the vessel is well equipped in all parts with all minor appliances such as axes, chemical extinguishers, and water buckets. The efficiency of the watch force is insured by complete electric watchman clock service.

An automatic fire alarm thermostat is located in each stateroom and at short distances apart in other parts of the vessel. When a thermostat is set off by any abnormal rise in temperature it indicates its location on the telephone central switchboard and at the same time rings fire alarm bells in the pilot house, engine room, and crew's quarters.

A very complete telephone system is installed. Each stateroom and all the important stations of the vessel are provided with telephones connected to a central switchboard. There are also private lines direct from the pilot house to the engine room, steering gear, wireless telegraph station and main deck, and from engine room to chief engineer's room. American Bell apparatus is used with the common battery system.

There is also installed an elaborate system of voice tubes, electric call bells and mechanical signal gongs.

The life saving appliances consist of twelve metal life boats each 26 feet x 7 feet x 2 feet 6 inches; ten 20 feet x 22 inches diameter life rafts; one Lyle line throwing gun to make a shore connection and 1400 cork life jackets each of ample buoyancey (tested) to support indefinitely one person so that it will readily be seen everything that foresight could suggest has been done to provide for the safety of all on board.

The "Providence" is propelled by iron feathering paddle wheels which are 29 feet 6 inches outside diameter and each containing twelve buckets 13 feet long by 4 feet wide.

Anti-Cigarette Meeting.

This afternoon, at four o'clock, a large anti-cigarette meeting is to be held at Faneuil hall, Boston, called by Hezekiah Butterworth, president of the New England branch of the World's, and Natural Anti-Cigarette League. Hon. Charles Bulkley Hubbell, of New York, will be the orator, and among other speakers will be Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, Mrs. Howe, Dr. H. O. Marcy, and Miss Lucy Page Gaston, under whose auspices, the New England campaign was inaugurated. There will also be good music.

The cigarette evil despite all efforts is an increasing menace to home, school, and social life. None know it more than mothers, and instructors of youth. The hearty cooperation is asked of every one to help stamp out this evil, and all interested are invited to attend the meeting at Faneuil hall, this afternoon.

Granite Men at Work.

The new bills and articles of agreement between the Granite Manufacturers' Association and Granite Cutters' and Blacksmiths' Unions were signed March 17, and work in the sheds was resumed Monday morning.

The principal articles in the agreement are those relative to the minimum day wage, the apprentice clause, overtime clause and increases in the piece bill. These articles as agreed upon in the Cutters' bill are as follows:

"The minimum rate of wages to be 37 1-2 cents per hour. Any man incapicated, by old age, or physical disability, from earning that rate, and whom the employers do not want to hire by the piece, to have a rate established, by committees representing both associations, on his earning power by the piece bill, but in no instance to have his rate established on a stone figuring less than $12 by the piece."

"The piece bill to be a uniform increase of 7 per cent. on the 1900 piece bill. Some items may be increased more, others less, but the general rise to equal 7 per cent. all the way through."

"There shall be not more than three apprentices to a journeymen gang, or less. If not more than two journeymen are employed there shall be but two apprentices. If more than a gang is employed there may be an additional apprentice to each additional four journeymen employed."

"For all overtime work done at request of employers, add 25 per cent. but in case of the cutter spoiling a stone, a special agreement may be made for overtime, but in no case to be less than the usual rate of wages."

Monday Evening Club.

The Monday Club, of Atlantic, held its sixth regular meeting of the season, March 20. One hundred and forty-two members were present.

Mr. Meyer Bloomfield, director of the Civic Service House of Boston, addressed the club. His subject was—"The Truth about the So-called Slums." Mr. Bloomfield explained to the club the training for citizenship which the immigrants are receiving, and defined the duties of all loyal, patriotic Americans toward these strangers upon our shores.

Miss Isabel Emery, former secretary of the club, and to whom the club owes in part its organization, and success for seven years, read a valuable paper on "The Peace Conference of 1904."

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Small had charge of the music for the evening.

Miss Mabel Florence Burr, soprano, Miss Marguerite Hickok, the young violinist, and Mr. C. H. Buker, basso, were the artists, who offered the club, one of the richest musical treats of the season.

The program was as follows:

Bass Solo, "The Skipper," Mr. C. H. Buker.

Soprano Solo with violin obligato by Miss Hickok, "Bright Star of Love," Miss Mabel Burr.

Bass solo, "The Friars of Orders Gray, Mr. Buker.

Both Miss Burr, and Mr. Buker generously responded to enthusiastic requests for encores.

Mrs. Metcalf, and Miss Emilie Gassett accompanied.

In the Brockton Horror.

Willie Martell of West Quincy was one of those fortunate ones who escaped from Grover's factory at Brockton, on Monday, with his life. Martell was probably the only Quincy person employed in the factory, and he had been there but two weeks.

He was in the shipping room, and when the collapse came was thrown down and buried beneath a mass of debris. He says that everything about him was darkness. He, however, saw a little ray of light and finding himself uninjured began to crawl toward it.

Just how he got out he does not know but he suddenly found himself in the open air. He was immediately surrounded by frantic women who pulled him this way and that, each claiming him as her son.

His face and clothing was so besmeared at that time with dust and dirt, that his features were not recognizable. This was why the frantic women thought he was some of their people.

In making his escape he thinks that he must have crawled over some burning timbers, although he did not know it at the time, but the inside of his hands were quite badly burned.

Martell says that he was never so frightened, before in his life. He is naturally of dark complexion, but thinks that his face must have been as white as a sheet with fright.

Young Martell is well known in West Quincy, when he has always lived. He was employed last summer, as driver of an express wagon.

Old Colony League.

The South Braintree team won two out of three from the Quincys in the Old Colony bowling league on Wednesday evening, by the following scores:

SOUTH BRAINTREES.

	1	2	3	Totals
Stetson,	79	68	92	239
Johnson,	77	94	80	251
McPhee,	106	96	100	302
Church,	88	103	104	295
Brown,	93	84	96	273
Totals	443	445	472	1360

QUINCYS.

	1	2	3	Totals
Jenkins,	69	93	102	264
Ferris,	90	92	75	257
Welch,	78	74	88	240
Grant,	84	105	71	260
Westland,	80	91	87	258
Totals,	401	455	423	1279

It was not surprising that the Quincys were defeated, as the Braintrees imported three professionals, Brown, McPhee and Church. Under the circumstances it was surprising that Quincy won one game.

At East Weymouth the home team was defeated two out of three by the Holbrooks by scores of 413 to 401, 431 to 420, and 417 to 420.

The Quincy Point and Weymouth teams did not bowl.

—There has been no horror like the one at Brockton since the Pemberton mill, in Lawrence, fell, on Jan. 10, 1860, burying 700 persons in the ruins, of whom about 100 perished. Fire in the Pemberton after the collapse, as at Brockton, added to the horrors of the disaster.

In the Massachusetts senate on Tuesday the committee on military affairs reported a resolve to provide for the erection at Winchester, Va., of a monument to the memory of the members of the 34th regiment, Massachusetts Volunteers, who lost their lives in the Shenandoah valley campaign.

Military drills at the Newton high school are to be abolished. Instead the boys will have athletic exercise.

—The Milford granite companies have consolidated with a capital of $2,000,000.

Imperial Minstrels.

A large and enthusiastic audience attended the first annual performance of the "Imperial Minstrels" at the Wollaston Unitarian church vestry Wednesday evening. The young people who took part and R. F. Weston the director should be congratulated upon the success. Miss Ethel Parker at the piano was an excellent accompanist.

The first part started off with piano duets by Miss Parker and William Weston. After the overture there were several comic songs and local jokes. The first part ended with a display of the worth of the Bell and Edison telephones by rival agents, a bone and tambo.

In the second part, G. D. Spaulding made a hit with several solos. He was dressed as a lady, and sang. "It's enough to make a perfect lady mad," "I'm a poor unlucky maid," and others. Baker and Simmons, the clever black faced comedians called forth great applause in their latest comic sketch "Look out for the cat."

In contrast to the comic part of the show Miss Jessie I. Fowler rendered two charming solos, "Hello, central, give me Heaven," and "Stay in your own back yard." These pathetic little songs were illustrated by beautiful stereopticon views.

The show concluded with a stirring musical burlesque, "Under the Stars and Stripes." One of the features was "The Big Brass Band." A quartette assisted by the chorus were equipped with zobo instruments and with Ralph Weston at the cornet and Winslow Weston and O. P. Stearns at the drum the band was complete.

After the band had responded to an encore, Robin Ding Dong sang "Move On." The whole chorus then sang a a medley including choruses to popular songs which were acted out by members of the company.

The show ended with a sensational military finale "Fall In," sung by St. Tom Evans assisted by the chorus.

The end men were dressed in gorgeous costumes with high collars and tall hats in the first part. In the second they wore straw hats, white neglfgee shirts and white duck trousers.

The end ladies wore long coats and large paper hats during the whole performance.

The gentlemen in the chorus wore costumes similar to the "second part" costumes of the end men, and the ladies wore white shirtwaists, duck skirts and large hats.

The lighting effect during the whole performance was quite a feature. The stage was illuminated by red, white, and blue lamps at different times, and many colored lights were thrown on from arc lamps.

R. C. Baker who had charge of the lighting and scenery should be congratulated on the effect of his work and industry.

The tambos were Miss Helen Blossom Miss Minnie Heelan and Miss Cora Morton, and the bones Messrs. George Skalum, Bill Ellis, and Ray Loftus.

Among the company were: Miss Helen M. Sprague, Miss Cora B. Williams, Miss Gladys M. Parker, Miss Edna Fowler, Miss Marion Hatch, Miss Minnie Packard, Miss Helen C. Barnes, Miss Jessie I. Fowler, Miss Marjorie Fay, Miss Grace I. Bishop, Miss Alice L. Gow, Miss Leona Robbins and Miss Margaret T. Barnes.

Messrs. George E. Brown, Raymond B. Jordan, Francis H. Bishop, Harry Hooper, Osborne P. Stearns, Clarence W. Loud, George B. Weston, Carleton D. White, Winslow B. Weston, William E. Weston, Roy C. Baker, Earle Boyce, George Alexander, Lewis B. Weston, Geo. I. L. Keyes, Percy A. Hull, John L. Merrill, Ralph W. Weston.

The ushers were Miss Bula L. Loud, Miss Sue M. Page, Miss Mary L. Brown and Herbert Percival.

The vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church was crowded again Thursday evening by an enthusiastic audience, when the second performance of the Imperial Minstrels took place. Showers of confetti together with generous applause greeted the successive features and showed the appreciation of the audience.

The jokes ran very smoothly. Roy C. Baker, the interlocutor, directed and answered questions in a cool, gentlemanly manner, and added greatly to the show, and his dignity and self possession were praised by many.

A novel feature which was introduced for the first time, and one which took decidedly, was a quarrel between two ends during which the interlocutor blew his whistle and in marched little Winslow Weston, dressed as a policeman. He silenced the riotous parties and marched out amid great applause.

In the finale to the first part "The Wonderful Telephone," chocolates were sent for, and brought by a messenger, and these the ends threw out to the audience.

Then, a large bunch of pinks was ordered, and instantly brought, and presented to Ray Faunce Weston as a mark of the appreciation for his work as director. Wednesday night a large bunch was presented to Miss Ethel Parker the gift accompanist of the performance.

The few minutes with G. D. Spaulding were very enjoyable ones, he making a decided hit in his songs and impersonations. Mr. Spaulding has aided the performers in many ways by his advice, and it was clearly demonstrated that he can act as well as direct.

On the whole the show was a decided success both nights and reflects much credit upon all parties concerned. The Patriot is pleased to give an extended notice although slighted in advertising and printing.

—The Whitman Co-operative Bank, at the semi-annual meeting last week, had such a successful season that the bank could pay a dividend of 6 per cent. and carry nearly $600 to the surplus fund and 2 per cent. to the guarantee fund. It is the best showing the bank has made.

—Henry A. Hutchinson was on Wednesday appointed postmaster of Dedham, to succeed Charles H. Riley.

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Wollaston Alliance.

At one o'clock, next Wednesday, March 28, a lunch will be served in the vestry of the Wollaston Unitarian church, for the ladies of the parish and their friends. A limited number of tickets may be procured of the committee in charge, of which Mrs. Geo. W. Bennett is chairman, assisted by Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Brigham, Mrs. Rowe, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Parker.

At half-past two in the afternoon, the regular meeting of the Alliance will be held. Mrs. Abbie A. Peterson of Boston, a director in the National Alliance, will speak on Southern circuit work. Mrs. Peterson has just returned from a trip south, and will no doubt have many interesting things to say upon the condition of affairs there, and particularly in regard to the work that is being so ably carried on by the Rev. W. S. Key, former pastor of the Unitarian church at Wollaston.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT.

Church services are inserted in this paper without charge, but none will be accepted to run until further order. A notice should be sent each week even though it is but a renewal. Give subject and special services when possible. Let all churches be represented—Eds.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH—Rev. E. C. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. R. U. at 7 P. M. Address by Mr. Charles F. Harper. All are cordially invited to be present.

BETHANY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, junction Hancock and Chestnut streets—Rev. E. N. Hardy, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the Rev. Edward Norton, pastor emeritus. Sunday School at 12 M. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening church service at 7.30. Address by Mr. Galen M Fisher, Secretray from the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. in Japan. Free seats and every one invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH, Washington street—Rev. Charles H. Emmons, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by the Rev. Charles Conklin D. D. Subject: "Christian service." At the close of the services Holy Communion will be celebrated. Sunday School at 11.45. International lessons. Evening service at 7.30 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "Jesus' reply to spirit of worldliness." Special music at both services. A chorus choir will sing at the evening service. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

WASHINGTON STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Leon H. Austin, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Rev. N. J. Sproul of the First Presbyterian church will preach in exchange with the pastor. Sunday School at 12 M. Vespers service at 4. Friday evening prayer meeting at 7.30. All cordially invited.

FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Fort Square—Rev. W. B. Barr, pastor. Service at 10.30 A. M., preaching by the pastor. Men's Bible class and Sabbath School at 11.45. Junior C. E. meeting at 3 P. M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Preaching and administration of the Holy Communion,

WOLLASTON UNITARIAN CHURCH—Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the Rev. Bertram D. Bowin of Cambrige. Sunday School at 12 M. All are invited.

WOLLASTON BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. Edmund D. Webber, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Sermon by Rev. Edward A. Chase in exchange with the pastor. Sunday School at 12.10. Junior Endeavor at 4 P. M. Young People's service at 6.30 P. M. Social prayer and praise service at 7.30 P. M.

WOLLASTON METHODIST CHURCH, corner Beale and Safford Streets,—Rev. W. J. Heath, pastor. Residence, Brook and Harrington street. Morning service at 10.45. Subject: "The materials of character." Sunday School at 12.10. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7. Subject: "Christ the emancipator." Seats free. All are welcome.

MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, ATLANTIC—Rev. Jason G. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 10.45. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The attractive power of the cross." Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 o'clock. Evening service at 7 o'clock, conducted by the pastor. Subject: "Zaccheus." Special music. Solo by Mr. Charles A. Peirce of Dorchester. Obligato by Marguerite Hickok. Regular orchestra. All are cordially invited.

METHODIST CHURCH ATLANTIC, corner Newbury avenue and Squantum street. Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor. Morning service at 10.45 A. M. Preaching by pastor. Subject: "A Message for today." Sunday School at 12 M. Junior League at 3.30 P. M. Epworth League at 6 P. M. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The tragedy of defeat.."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Braintree, Christian Science Hall on Washington street, south of Hollis avenue. — Morning service 10.45. Subject: "Unreality." Golden Text: "Now that which decayeth and waxeth old is ready to vanish away." Hebrews, 8; 13. Sunday School at 10.45 A. M. Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., a testimony and experience meeting. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 and Tuesday evenings with gentlemen in attendance. All are welcome.

The District Court.

James P. Flannigan was arraigned for the illegal keeping of liquor at Quincy Point. Case continued for judgment until April 5.

Clifford H. Towle was arraigned for keeping a liquor nuisance at Quincy Point. Case continued for judgment until today.

David Tobin was arraigned for threatening assault at Weymouth. Case continued until March 31.

Charles Daley was sent to the State farm for drunkenness at Weymouth.

John J. Tracy was fined $5 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Patrick Holloran was fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

George Young was arraigned for threatening assault on John W. Mitchell at Quincy.

Louis Wright was fined $3 for drunkenness at Quincy.

Several juvenile cases were disposed of in the juvenile session.

Morris Fitzgerald was fined $3 for drunkenness at Weymouth.

Fred Townsend was arraigned for drunkenness and creating a disturbance on a street car at Holbrook. He was fined $10 for creating a disturbance on the car. The complaint for drunkenness was placed on file.

The continued case of Battisto Crasti, for keeping a liquor nuisance at Quincy, was called and he was defaulted.

—Rev. Willis B. Halcombe of New Bedford will act as locum tenen of Holy Spirit parish at Mattapan.

Marriages.

HALL—COWLING—In Dorchester, March 21, by Rev. H. M. Saville, Mr. Charles W. Hall of Quincy to Miss Florence Edna Cowling of Dorchester.

Deaths.

HAYDEN—In Quincy, March 18, Mrs. Eliza A., widow of Arthur P. Hayden, aged 90 years and 11 months.

CARVER—In Atlantic, Mar. 22, Mrs. Sarah Morse Carver, widow of Cyrus Carver.

LEIGHTON—In Barre, Vt., March 16, Mr. Frank W. Leighton of Quincy.

NOYES—In New Haven, Conn., March 23, Mr. George W. Noyes of 28 Tremont street, South Braintree, formerly of West Quincy aged 38 years and 6 months.

SPEAR—In Braintree, March 21, Mrs. Mary, wife of Mr. James Spear of 68 School street, aged 75 years.

WHITE—In East Braintree, March 19, Mr. Alexander White, aged 85 years, 8 months and 18 days.

HOLLINGSWORTH—In South Braintree, March 20, Mrs Susan J. Sumner, widow of Mr. E. A. Hollingsworth.

OTIS—In North Scituate March 19, Mr. James Edwin Otis, in his 57th year.

WATSON—In North Scituate, March 18, Mr. Galen Watson, aged 84 years, 9 months and 8 days.

KELSEY—In Pomona, California, March 9, Mrs. Mary M., wife of Mr. M. L. Kelsey, of East Milton, Mass.

TIRRELL—In Hyde Park, March 19, Mrs. Martha C., wife of Mr. Frederick N. Tirrell, in her 59th year.

PRICE—In Hyde Park, March 22, Maria, wife of Mr. Charles Price, in her 74th year.

New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.

On and after March 13, 1905, trains will run as follows: (Subject to change without notice.)

TO BOSTON Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r *5 14	abcdefghi	5 42	*5 50	ihgfedcba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 27	cba	6 46 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 7 26	ad	7 45	8 27	cba	8 49 r
r 7 43	abc	8 03	9 25	ihgfedcba	9 54 r
			9 43	Exp.	9 59
r 7 54	abcde	8 15	10 27	cba	10 49 r
r 8 13	abc	8 33	10 45	Exp.	11 02
r 8 25	abd	8 45	11 25	ihgfedcba	11 54 r
r 8 46	abcd	9 05	11 43	Exp.	11 59
9 01	Exp.	9 16	12 27	cba	12 49 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	12 45	Exp.	1 02
10 01	Exp.	10 17	12 57	cba	1 19 r
r 10 13	abc	10 33	1 27	cba	1 49 r
10 59	Exp.	11 15	1 57	cba	2 19 r
r 11 09	abcdefghi	11 37	2 27	cba	2 49 r
12 02	Exp.	12 17	2 45	Exp.	3 02
r 12 13	abc	12 33	3 27	cba	3 49 r
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r 1 43	abc	2 03	4 27	cba	4 49 r
r 2 13	abc	2 33	4 50	edcba	5 16 r
r 3 13	abc	3 33	5 15	a	5 34 r
r 3 43	abc	4 03	5 19	dba	5 40 r
r 4 13	abc	4 33	5 27	cba	5 49 r
4 59	Exp.	5 15	5 45	dba	6 06 r
r 5 13	abc	5 33	5 46	ihgfedcba	6 15 r
r 5 29	abcdefghi	5 57	5 57	cba	6 19 r
r 6 13	abc	6 33	6 15	dba	6 36 r
r 6 43	abc	7 03	6 27	cba	6 49 r
6 59	Exp.	7 15	6 57	fedcba	7 23 r
r 7 13	abc	7 33	7 27	cba	7 49 r
r 8 08	abcdef	8 32	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
r 9 13	abc	9 33	9 27	cba	9 49 r
r 10 08	abcdef	10 32	10 27	ihgfedcba	10 57 r
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			11 27	cba	11 49 r

SUNDAYS.

TO BOSTON Leave Quincy	Stops at	Arrive Boston.	FROM BOSTON Leave Boston	Stops at	Arrive Quincy
r 7 43	abc	8 03	6 24	ihgfdcba	6 52 r
8 42	abc	9 02	8 58	cba	9 19 r
r 9 12	abc	9 32	10 16	ihgfedcba	10 45 r
r 9 33	a	9 51	12 28	cba	12 49 r
r 11 16	abcdefghi	11 44	2 16	ihgfedcba	2 45 r
r 1 12	abc	1 32	3 16	ihgfedcba	3 45 r
r 4 16	abcdefghi	4 44	4 28	cba	4 49 r
r 5 12	abc	5 32	5 28	cba	5 49 r
r 6 16	abcdefghi	6 44	6 57	cba	7 19 r
r 7 08	abcdefghi	7 35	8 24	ihgfedcba	8 53 r
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			10 28	cba	10 49 r

* The letters in the same line as the figures stand for different stations and indicate the trains stop as follows:

a Wollaston,	f, Harrison Square.
b Norfolk Downs,	g, Savin Hill.
c Atlantic,	h, Crescent Avenue.
d Neponset,	i, South Boston.
e Pope's Hill.	r, Quincy Adams.

Exp.—Express train.

WEST QUINCY FOR BOSTON (Stopping at East Milton.) 6.16 6.46 7.16 8.01 8.16 9.01 9.16 10.16 A.M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—7.46 8.46 9.46 A. M., 1.16 5.16 10.19 P. M.

BOSTON FOR WEST QUINCY (Stopping at East Milton)—6.16 7.16 8.16 10.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 4.40 5.16 5.40 6.16 7.16 9.16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAY—8.46 A. M., 12.16 4.16 5.16 6.46 10.16 P. M.

MONTCLAIR FOR BOSTON—6.21 7.21 8.21 9.21 10.21 A. M. 12.21 1.21 2.21 3.21 4.21 5.21 6 21 7.21 9.21 11.21 P. M. SUNDAY- 7.51 8.51 9.51 A. M. 1.21 5.21 10.24 P. M.

BOSTON FOR MONTCLAIR—6.16 8.16 10.16 A. M. 12.16 1.16 2.16 3.16 4.16 5.16 6.16 7.16 9 16 11.16 P. M. SUNDAYS—8.46 A. M. 12.16 4.16 5.16 10.16 P. M.

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DIVISION 1.

TIME TABLE.

In effect March 10th, 1905.

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QUINCY TO NEPONSET.

Via Hancock Street,—5.40 6.10 6.40 A. M. and every 10 and 40 minutes past the hour until 8.40 P. M. and 9.10 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7 30 A. M., and every 30 minutes past the hour until 8.30 P. M., then 9.46 and 10.10 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.05 6.35 A. M., then every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 10.35 P. M., then 11.00 and 11.35 P. M.

NEPONSET TO QUINCY.

Via Hancock Street—6.05 6.10 6.40 7.00 A. M., then on the even hour and every 30 minutes past the hour until 10.30 P. M.

Via Norfolk Downs—7.50 and 9 A. M., then on the even hour until 11 P. M.

Via Wollaston—6.30 7.00 A.M., then on the even hour and half hour until 12 o'clock midnight.

Cars leaving on the even hour and half hour run through to Brockton and Weymouth Landing.

QUINCY TO NORTH WEYMOUTH.

5.15, 6.05, 6.20, *6.40, 6.50, *7.10, 7.20, *7.40, 7.50, *8.10, 8.20, 8.50, *9.10, 9.20, *9.40, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20, 11.50 A. M., 12.20, 12.50, 1.20, 1.50, 2.20, 2.50, *3.10, 3.20, *3.40, 3.50 *4.10, 4.20, *4.40, 4.50, *5.10, 5.20, *5.35, *5.40, 5.50, *6.10, 6.20, *6.40, 6.50, *7.10, *7.20, *7.40, 7.50, *8.10, 8.20, 8.50, *9.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, *11.20, *11.50 and 11.50 P. M. (Wednesdays and Saturdays only.)

* Quincy Point only.

QUINCY POINT TO QUINCY.

*6.25, *6 55, *7.05, 7.10, *7.25, 7.35, *7.55 8.05, *8.25, 8.35, *8.55, 9.05, *9.25, 9.35, *9.55, 10.05, *10.25, *10.55, *11.25, *11.55 A. M., *12.25, *12.55, *1.25, *1.55, *2.25, *2.55, *3.25, 3.35, *3 55, 4.05, *5.25, 5.35, *5.55, 6.05, *6.25, 6.35, *6.55, 7.05, *7.25, 7.35, *7.55, 8.05, *8.25, 8.35, *8.55, *9.25, *9.55, *10 25, *10.55, *11.25, *11.55, 12.05 P. M. (12.05 P. M. from North Weymouth Wednesday and Saturdays only.)

* Through cars from Weymouth.

QUINCY TO BRAINTREE.

6.20 A. M. and every 20 and 50 minutes past the hour until 10.50 P. M.

QUINCY TO EAST MILTON.

5.40 A. M. and every 5 and 35 minutes past the hour until 10.35 P. M., then 10.50 P. M.

EAST MILTON TO QUINCY.

6.10, 6 30, A. M. then on the even hour and half hour until 11.30 P. M.

QUINCY TO WEYMOUTH LANDING.

5.20 5.55 6.30 6.55 A. M., then every 25 and 55 minutes past the hour until 9.55 P. M., then 10.10 P. M.

QUINCY AND HOUGHS NECK.

Leave QUINCY—Week Days—5.25, 6.20, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 A. M., 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 5.10, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 10.50 P. M. Saturday night, 11.50 P. M., as far as there are passengers to go. Sundays—7.00 A. M. then on the even hour until 3.00 P. M., then 3.50, 5.10, then on the even hour until 10.50 P. M.

Returning, leave HOUGHS NECK—Week Days—5.45, 6.45, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.40, 11.40 A. M., 12.40, 1.40, 2.10, 3.30, 4.10, 5.10, 6.40, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.20, P. M.—Sundays—7.40 A. M., then 40 minutes past each hour until 3.30 P. M., then 40 minutes past until 10.30, then 11.10 P. M.

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Poetry.

A Spray of Arbutus.

JOHN BURROUGHS.

Sequestered flower of April days,
Thy covert bloom in leafy ways
A spell about me weaves.

Thy frosted petals' faint pink glow,
Crystal pure like urns of snow
That all with incense overflow
Half hid beneath the leaves.

Thy ear lies close upon the ground,
Far off it hears the thrilling sound
Of spring's returning tide;
Nor lingering snow, nor chilly day.
Can keep the swelling flood at bay
That clothes thee as a bride.

Thy brittle leaves, so harsh and hard
And torn by winds, or winter marred,
Belie thy tender face;
But he whose days are ever green
Though storms do come and frosts be keen,
Is sharer in thy grace.

Notes and Comments.

—The Czar's income from the crown and State domains is reckoned at $7,500,000 a year, or more than three times as much as England's king is allowed. More than forty members of the imperial family have enormous revenues from property set aside for their support.

—Some people reading that the tobacco trust made $22,000,000 last year and has a surplus of nearly $30,000,000 will mourn about the prevalence of the vice of smoking, and others will say that the price of cigars ought to be reduced.—Somerville Journal.

—The complaint that woman is encroaching upon man's rightful field of work seems to be justified. The Boston Globe finds there are in the United States 550 female carpenters, 130 wood choppers, 200 blacksmiths, 170 brick and stone masons, 3,500 iron and steel workers, 40,000 boot and shoe workers, 180 engineers and 600 machinists. No wonder the number of male cooks is increasing and that our big city streets are lined with the signs of men forced into the polite vocation of ladies' tailoring.

—There are more places selling liquor illegally in Spencer today than there are licensed places. Didn't they tell us that these would go out of business when we voted license?—Spencer Leader.

—Marshfield residents have been active after bounties on woodchucks and hawks in the past year. The selectmen have paid bounties on 507 woodchucks and 38 hawks at 25 cents per head, and the expense to the town has been $126.75 on woodchucks and $9.50 on hawks.

—A boy has been suspended for reading the following essay on pants: "Pants are made for men, not men for pants. They are like molasses—they are thinner in hot weather and thicker in cold. The man in the moon changes his pants during the eclipse. Don't go to the pantry for pants; you might be mistaken. Men are often mistaken in pants. Such mistakes make breeches of promise. There has been much discussion as to whether pants is singular or plural. Seems to us when men wear them they are plural, and when they don't it is singular. Men go on a tear in pants and it is all right, but when the pants go on a tear it is all wrong."—Hingham Journal.

—A certain man is reported as saying: "If I could purchase a good character for $10,000 I would do so quickly. I would count it a good investment. I could immediately make $20,000 out of it." He meant a good reputation, and his thought was that if he were believed to be honest and reputable he could secure a situation that was entirely out of his reach under the circumstances. Of course such a man would use such a place for dishonest purposes. Nevertheless he gave testimony to the commercial value of a good reputation.—Universalist Leader.

—The Whitman Co-operative Bank, at the semi-annual meeting last week, had such a successful season that the bank could pay a dividend of 6 per cent. and carry nearly $600 to the surplus fund and 2 per cent. to the guarantee fund. It is the best showing the bank has made.

—For a few weeks the price of smelts will be one dollar each. Keep away from the smelt brooks unless you have money to burn.—Weymouth Transcript.

—Good lawyers believe that there should be more resort in this state to the Torren system of land transfer. The law has been in operation for about six years and a great many titles have been registered, but by comparison the business done under the Torrens law is comparatively insignificant. Much of the opposition to the registering of titles comes from conveyancers who have for years been collecting abstracts, and they would lose a good thing if the Torrens law was generally taken advantage of. Chicago is a city where this law flourishes with great vigor. For abstracts of title and fees for their examination Chicagoans have paid annually $3,500,000. Now that their titles are under the Torrens system they calculate that the annual saving is about $3,000,000. The average cost of the initial registratration in Illinois is $24, and once registered no further search is needed. An ordinary sale or mortgage costs but $3, and is usually completed upon the day on which it is negotiated.—Banker and Tradesman.

—Brookline, Mass., with a population of only 24,000, is the richest town in the world, and the voters have horse sense enough to keep out of a city form of government. Its real estate is assessed at $61,842,600, personal property at $26,432,200. It has a cash balance in the treasury of $95,312. The last tax levy was $939,707; there were 6411 polls, and the tax rate is only $10.50 per $1000. No wonder that the citizens of the town are contented and happy as they are.—Athol Chronicle.

—Scotland is becoming alarmed at the increase in the number of "Burns relics." Chairs enough are now known to have furnished a dozen Burns cottages. Six of them were at the St. Louis exposition alone, and even the well-known habits of the poet will not account for the array of Burns cup and mugs that are scattered around the world.

—Evidently the defeat of the Dominican treaty in the senate is due to the Democratic desire to help out the Republican majority. When the majority has really wanted to ratify a treaty it has never lacked of ways and means for persuading a sufficient number of the minority to join with it in the process. There is every reason to suppose that the Dominican treaty meets disaster because a large share of the Republican members wish only disaster for it. It cannot be said, we think, that the people of this nation are as yet in a condition of great excitment over the matter. There are those who want Mr. Roosevelt to have his way simply because it is his way; and there are those who do not want him have it for the same reason. But as a rule, the condition is one of indifference, and largely of a feeling that after all no great harm will be done even if there is a little more delay.—New Bedford Standard.

—It was a Scotch boy who explained David's preference to be a doorkeeper in the house of the Lord by saying: "Because he could walk about outside while the sermon was being preached!"

—The recent recommendations for, and advocacy of, manual training schools, made by Gov. Douglas have aroused much discussion, and the advocates of both sides are free with their views as to whether they would be good or bad things for the working man. The unions, as a rule, do not favor their establishment, evidently thinking it might work against the effectiveness of that body, but it does not seem as if the trade school can be any menace to the strength of the union, provided the highest and best principles of that organization are carried out. The trade school for Massachusetts would seem to be a most desirable thing, and peculiarly adapted to the needs of the state's prosperity. Massachusetts must more and more rely on the highest efficiency of its skilled class of workmen; it is far removed from the sources of supply of the raw materials, and must in a great measure make up for this disadvantage by the only thing left her—superiority in her workmen. That the trade school would be a great factor in the scientific training of the coming workman there would appear to be no reasonable doubt, and it seems as if the opportunity was one that that the state could not afford to forego. Other states may not need such schools yet, even if they may at some future day, but anything which will conduce to the continued prosperity of our commonwealth should be promptly provided and thoroughly maintained.—Old Colony Memorial.

The Late William W. Jenness.

Editors of the Patriot:

On hearing of the death of Lawyer Jenness, a certain citizen remarked that it was a pity his brain could not be transferred to someone instead of returning to silent dust. The observation contains quite a tribute to the learning and ability of the deceased attorney. That, however, is not what I desire to emphasize, but the value of integrity and industry.

When Mr. Jenness came to Quincy he had little else save his Bar certificate and a resolute mind, bent in the right direction. During the few years that he practised he acquired a large business and considerable property; and that in spite of physical infirmity and ill health.

His success was due to an extensive knowledge of the law; and his knowledge of the law was not inherited by him, nor received from someone else who was about to die and had gotten through with it. It was the direct result of concentration of purpose and hard work.

Mr. Jenness realized that the law was a jealous mistress; he therefore did not attempt to flirt with the fickle jade of politics, and club life had no attractions for him.

He seemed to take for his motto the words of the great apostle, "This one thing I do," and gave to the study and practice of law his undivided attention. He may fairly be said to have earned what Senator Hoar once said was the highest title an American could wear, —"a good lawyer." His life was but a chapter in the gospel of hard work.

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Diamonds Found.

A few years ago at the breaking of friendship between Great Britian and the South African Republic and Orange Free States, followed by the outbreak of the Boer War, with the infesting of Kimberly by the Boers, the diamond world was thrown into an unsettled state on account of the great diamond mines in this district and the unknown results of what might follow the cutting off of this source of supply. Happily the great mines were not flooded as was feared and today as then this district with Brazil are still supplying the greater part of the world supply. To wear a diamond, set in ring, charm, pin chain or bracelet is the desire of every woman and ever the men look to the wearing of them in ring, stud or cuff button. To the average person the first thought that enters the mind when mention is made of diamonds is a large sum of money. Today although the prices of diamonds is advancing one can be bought from $25 up. This does not mean paying down at once this amount. The Bently Jewelry Co. 373 Washington street Boston, a firm of good reputation have adopted a system of easy payments whereby a person can easily get a diamond without inconveniencing themselves. Not only do they do this on diamonds, but on watches and other jewelry. You should have a diamond. Don't let your friend get ahead of you.

Granite Cutters' Demands.

The North Chelmsford branch of the National Association of Granite Cutters has informed employers, says a dispatch to the Herald, that, beginning May 1 next, they will expect $3 a day on day work; that eight hours shall constitute a day's work; that 13 men shall constitute a gang; that none but union men shall be employed, and that the number of apprentices shall be limited. If the agreement is accepted, three months' notice will be required before a change can be made.

Always Remember the Full Name
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

The City Council.

Monday night's meeting of the City Council was one of the largest attended meetings ever held. The unusual interest was on account of the public hearings on granting sixth class liquor licenses, and on amending the Woodward Ordinance.

Both of these hearings attracted many citizens who occupied a larger part of the time of the council up to 11.15.

Geo. T. Magee was elected clerk pro tem. Councilman Savage was the only absentee.

The Mayor, City Clerk, and Councilman Burgess drew Edward F. Drohan as a grand juror

Petitions were received from Edward J. Murphy and S. F. Copeland for sixth class liquor licenses. Laid on the table.

Councilman Stone presented a petition for a public float and landing at foot of Sea street. To Committee on Public Buildings.

Councilman Stewart presented a petition for street lights at Germantown. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Flaherty presented a petition for a fire alarm box at the corner of Willard and West streets. To Committee on Fire Department.

Petitions were received for the refunding of $43.20 and $13.50, one-half cost of edgestones on Centre street. To Committee on Finance.

A petition was received from L. B. Titus for permission to plant and grow oysters on flats adjoining Squantum and Little Moon Island. To Committee on Licenses.

The New England Telephone Co. presented petitions for permission to attach wires to poles on Cranch, Whitwell and Edwards street, and for locations for poles on Granite and Quarry streets and Warren avenue. To Committee on Streets.

A public hearing was held on petitions of the New England Telephone Co. for attachment of wires to poles on Miller, Cross and River streets, Brook road, North and South Central avenues, Highland avenue, Billings road and West Elm avenue, and for a location for three poles on Park street. No one appeared and the orders were recommitted.

The Committee on Streets reported on orders as follows:

A public hearing on petition of William Cashman to cross Furnace avenue with a railroad track at grade.

A public hearing on petition of the Old Colony street railway for a double track location over the new Atlantic bridge.

A public hearing on petition of New England Telephone Company to attach wires to poles on Taylor and Squantum streets.

Ought to pass on the order for $7,000 for street watering.

The Special Committee on Gas reported that the quality of gas was poor and price exorbitant and presented a petition for cheaper gas and better service and that the Mayor be requested to complain to the Gas and Electric Light Commission. Adopted.

The Committee on Fire Department reported no legislation necessary on the order for a fire alarm whistle at Quincy Point.

The Committee on Fire Department reported an order for $3,500 for a combination truck and purchase of horses for Houghs Neck. To Committee on Finance.

Councilman Hynes offered an order for lights on Curtis avenue. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Gassett offered an order for discontinuing a part of Sea street. To Committee on Streets.

Councilman Bass offered an order transferring $48.16 from any unexpended balances to advertising and election expenses for City Clerk for 1904. To Finance Committee.

Councilman Spargo offered an order for three lights on Federal avenue. To Committee on Streets.

It was voted when the Council adjourn it be for one week.

A public hearing was held on the petition to amend the Woodward Ordinance with reference to salaries paid the treasurer, clerk and auditor.

Rev. F. W. Pratt spoke for the petition. It was the duty of the City Treasurer to look after this money as Quincy money. Now $800 is taken from the Woodward fund. He asked that the Council do the fair thing by a dead man.

Walter M. Hatch said the Woodward educated 150 girls at no expense to the city. It was a poor way to show gratitude to say we accept your bounty, and are going to charge you to take care of it. This custom of taking money has become a shame, and a disgrace.

Ex-President Walter S. Pinkham said it did not seem fair to take $800 from the fund. Does the City Treasurer devote a fourth of his time to the Woodward Fund? He should get all he now receives but it should not come from the Wooward fund. The only excuse is because we are too poor to pay by taxation.

Ex-Mayor Bryant told of the efforts made by him while in office to right this wrong. We are doing an injustice to the man who tried to do something for the city. He hoped this Council would see that justice was done to the fund. All admit the salaries of these officers are small enough. It is within your power to rectify the greatest evil and stigma that ever existed. They should be paid a salary equivalent with their position, but it should come out of the revenue of the city.

Ex-Councilman Horace M. Willard hoped that this Council will be unanimous against paying salaries from this fund. Let us pay fair salaries to the officers and stop taking from funds intended for a different purpose. He felt that the good name of Quincy was marred.

Ex-Councilman Whiton opposed the petition. He thought it a pity that Dr. Woodward did not have some of the smart clergymen to tell him how to made his will. There was no law to compel these city officers to take care of this fund if they should refuse. A small amount like $500 would be no graft. Is it not value received? We are not assured of the same board of trustees from year to year. They are not citizens in the same sense as you and I. He did not advocate paying $200 to the clerk and auditor but $50 each.

Fred F. Green thought it a small amount to pay for the care of a fund of $250,000. Does the superintendent of schools give one-sixth of his time for what they pay him? It is all right in their opinion to pay a man for doing their work, but not right for the city to pay for management of the fund.

The hearing was closed and the order was recommitted.

A public hearing was also given Charles C. Hearn on a petition for a druggist's or sixth class liquor license.

Mr. Hearn appeared in support of his petition. He said, in part, that he had been a Quincy druggist for 16 years, but had never before applied for a license. Why now? Because a Weymouth druggist, who was a member of the State Board of Pharmacy, had been accused at a State House bearing of illegal liquor selling, because he sold on physician prescriptions by arrangement with the selectmen of the town.

Evidently a sale of liquor without a license is illegal, and there can be no arrangement. It is a criminal offence which I do not care to be party to. Custom is one thing, law is another. Today a prescription calling for liquor cannot be filled at my store, nor will it be until such time as I have legal authority to do so. I bow to no man in a desire to see the laws of this State lived up to, and enforced as well.

The sale of alcohol is allowed under restrictions. As a matter of fact I can honestly say, however, that there is more alcohol refused in my store than there is sold. There are cases where my sense of duty is little stronger than my desire for a dollar. I yield to no man in this city in a desire to see our city free from the odium of the liquor traffic, and have probably had more opportunity to put that desire into practical use.

Would you have me make a criminal of myself, especially when you have the power and authority to legalize the very thing you ask me to do? An abuse of the privileges granted by the license can be easily and quickly remedied by a revocation of the same. No man can long do an illegal business under the guise of a drug store.

Mr. Hearn was questioned at length by several Councilmen. To Mr. Bass he said, if a license was granted, it was his intention to use to full scope. He thought law was wrong. That it should permit sales on prescription. Declined to say whether he had sold on a doctor's prescription.

To Councilman Adams, it is legal to compound liquor in a doctor's prescription. Not to sell alone. Declined to interpret what was a sale and what a compound.

By request Dr. N. S. Hunting appeared for the petition but merely answered questions. Thought there was necessity for legalizing sale. There are 26 doctors in city. Might average a prescription for liquor once in three or four days. Could not say whether that was a fair average for other doctors.

Dr. F. E. Jones also favored. Said he did not wish to be a party to illegal sales. Prescribed liquor once or twice per week. Some of late had not been filled.

Dr. J. H. Ash and Dr. Middleton also favored.

Mr. Hearn was recalled and said he was not called upon to fill one liquor prescription per day on an average.

Extracts were read from Section 100 of the Revised Laws.

Delcevare King opened for the remonstrants, representing the Citizens No-License Temperance League. He said Mr. Hearn had been very fair in his procedure. That he had spoken to H. H. Faxon and Dr. Sherman before filing his petition. That personally he did not appear against Mr. Hearn, but the league summed up the case as follows:

Without any license, but on paying $25 to the U. S. Government any registered druggist can sell pure alcohol upon the purchaser's certificate that it is to be used for medicinal, mechanical or chemical purposes.

Without any license, any registered druggist can keep liquors for compounding purposes and can dispense them on a physician's prescription when duly compounded.

With a six class liquor license, the druggist can dispense liquor of any kind on a physican's prescription or on merely the purchaser's certificate that it is to be used for medicinal, mechanical, or chemical purposes. There is no prescribed limit to the amount or frequency of the sale, and in order to prove an illegal sale, it must be shown—Com V. Gould 158 Mass. 500—"Not only that the liquor was bought for an unauthorized purpose but also that it was sold by the druggist with the guilty knowledge and belief. 'Reasonable cause to know' is not equivalent to belief or knowledge."

The law states that one or more liquor licenses of the sixth class shall be granted by the proper authorities, but in a case before Justice Holmes of the Supreme Court (now the U. S. Supreme Court) it was decided that the question of the fitness of the applicant was left wholly to the local authorities and that therefore if they decided that there was no one, under the existing law, who was fit to be granted a sixth-class liquor license, it was not mandatory to grant such a license.

As given in Public Document No. 46, Thirteenth Annual Report of the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for the year ending December 31, 1904.

In 1904 there were 267 No-License cities and towns in Massachusetts.

Of the 267 No-License cities and towns, only 51 or less than one fifth granted 6th-class licenses.

Of the 12 No-License cities, the following granted No 6th-class licenses: Beverly, Brockton, Everett, Melrose, Salem, Quincy, Waltham.

Of the 12 No-License cities, the following granted 6th-class licenses: Cambridge—59, Malden—26, Medford—11, Newton—22, Somerville—35.

Woburn and Fitchburg, which voted for License, granted no 6th-class licenses.

In 1882 and 1883 there were granted in Quincy 6th-class liquor licenses.

In 1884 the licensing authorities refused to further grant any 6th-class liquor licenses and there have been none granted since.

In 1882 the present Local Option Law went into effect and Quincy voted No-License.

Quincy has voted No-License every year since then.

On December 6th, 1904, every ward and every precinct in our city gave a substantial "No" majority.

The total "No" majority was 1834.

This is a majority 270 greater than ever before.

This is a majority more than double the majority in nineteen hundred.

For every "Yes" vote cast there were more than two and one-half "No" votes.

In conclusion he offered resolutions emphatically protesting against the granting of any sixth-class licenses.

Witness also answered questions by Councilmen Chase, Chamberlin, Stone, McLane and Hughes.

Dr. C. T. Sherman, president of the No-License league also opposed emphatically the granting of all sixth-class licenses. He read letters from the city marshal of Brockton and several other cities, all saying that there were no complaints that liquor could not be obtained; that they knew of no cases where there was suffering because of no-license, and all recommending that licenses be not granted.

Witness answered questions by Councilman Adams, Chamberlin and McLane.

Rev. Fr. Roche made one of the most convincing speeches against the petition. He said he regretted to do it, as Mr. Hearn was one of his best friends.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Thought petitioner, however, overestimated his danger. We all know the abuse of a license, when granted to druggists.

The only ones to speak for the petition tonight were Mr. Hearn and doctors whom he summoned. Not another druggist had said he would do as Mr. Hearn. There was no limit to the number of druggists who might apply. Speaker did not believe in license at all. He cited the fact that when druggists had license years ago Henry H. Faxon seemed to be one of the largest purchasers. There was nothing to prevent the names of any reputable citizen being signed to the druggist's books. The sentiment of the city was strongly against license. The speaker was frequently applauded.

Theophilus King was the next speaker. He said he appeared because he could not keep away. It was the most important question before this city for years. A question of life or death. Doctors thought license was needed for life of a few, but it would be the death of many. He knew the value of liquor as a medicine. Would not favor sales on physicians' prescriptions, because he had known prescriptions to be obtained for fifty cents.

There were no technicalities to get around. If the druggists would continue to conduct in the future as clean a business as Mr. Hearn he would himself guarantee to pay any fine that might be imposed. Quincy has said NO emphatically. Is there a gentleman in this Council who will go contrary. He hoped to see a unanimous vote against granting this petition. [Applause.

H. O. Cassidy of Atlantic opposed. He said he had selected Quincy for his residence because of No-License.

Theodore Hermanson as representative of the Scandinavan club, also, opposed. Told how easy it was to get liquor when druggists had licenses.

Rev. L. H. Austin, protested, saying it would be a very bad thing for Quincy Point.

Mrs. George A. Brown, of Wollaston, president of the Norfolk County, W. C. T. U., was greeted with applause, when she advanced to speak. She entered a strong protest, saying there was no need of liquor. She had brought up a family of children, but had never given any of them a drop of liquor. [Applause.]

Others were present to speak but the hour was late and the hearing closed at 10.45.

Councilman Bass moved that all three petitions for druggist's license be taken from the table. He then moved that the petitioners have leave to withdraw, and that the vote be taken by roll call.

All voted unanimously in favor of the motion, and the petitioners were given leave to withdraw amid applause.

It was 11.15 before the Council adjourned, voting to meet March 27.

The Commandments.

During the past five weeks the Sunday evening sermons at the First Presbyterian church have been part of a series on the Ten Commandments. The pastor, Rev. N. J. Sproul, spoke Sunday evening upon the fourth commandment. He mentioned the fact which has been proven that even machinery of mills and factories work longer and better if given the day's rest, and emphasized how much more necessary it was for both man and beast to have the day of rest.

The names of Gladstone and Grant were mentioned among others as having stood for the strict observance of the Sabbath. Gladstone always attributed his longevity and the preservation of his mental powers, to the fact that he had made it the rule of his life to lay aside both private and public business upon the Lord's Day.

The demands of the public and the greed for profit are to a great extent the cause of having open on Sunday, upon almost every corner of our city, stores whose sales consist chiefly of cigars, cigarettes and the Sunday newspapers. The carrying and delivering of the Sunday newspaper was criticised as being a bad influence upon our boys, and the paper was denounced as being unfit to be received into any home.

He also failed to see the necessity of having the post offices open and the delivering of Sunday mail. This was also caused through the demands of the people as it has been stated on good authority that it was not the wish of the post office officials.

The unsightly spectacle of ice teams rumbling through our streets on Sunday shows a lack of foresight in the consumer or the want of proper facilities on the part of the dealer to deliver on Saturday. Surely the employees of the ice companies who have to work both early and late are entitled to their Sabbath rest.

The well known fact in history of the disastrous conditions which existed in France when she tried to abolish the Sabbath was alluded to.

Some fifty year ago a Frenchman returning from America, when asked what had most impressed him said, it was the observance of the Sabbath. Today we live in a different age. An age when men will set aside even comfort for personal gain; when the rush and turmoil of business tries a man to the very limit of physical endurance. But although our country can today well boast of her great finance and financiers, her mighty machinery, her splendid crops of wheat and corn, her many natural resources, all these will be of little avail should we as a nation or as individuals neglect the commandment of the Lord, "Remember the Sabbath-day to keep it holy. Six days shalt labor, and do all thy work; but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord thy God; in it thou shalt not do any work; thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy man-servant, nor thy maid-servant, nor thy cattle, nor any stranger that is within thy gates; for in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day; wherefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath-day, and hallowed it."

Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary.

The storm did not prevent a large number of ladies from attending the Auxiliary meeting of the Y. M. C. A. at the home of Mrs. George Brown on Elm street Monday afternoon.

The devotional exercises were in charge of the President, Mrs. Eben W. Sheppard, followed by pleasing vocal selections from Miss Carrie Follett Spear.

Several matters of business were discussed and voted upon.

Rev. Edward Norton whom we always delight to hear gave an earnest and helpful talk; his subject being; "Finding a Man, or Finding possibilities in the boy."

The women of the Auxiliary are hoping for excellent results from their Colonial fair fete, to be held May 4, 5 and 6, in the new Y. M. C. A. building.

The two hundred ladies who are actively engaged in this work are sparing neither time nor energy to make the fair a grand success.

Dean's Rheumatic Pills absolutely cure Rheumatism & Neuralgia, Entirely vegetable. Safe.

A Protest.

Rev. E. N. Hardy of Bethany church was one of the Congregational ministers of Boston and vicinity who signed the protests forwarded to the American board of commissioners for foreign missions protesting against the acceptance by the board of a gift of $100,000 from John D. Rockefeller of New York. The petition, which was prepared by a committee and unanimously adopted by the meeting of clergymen, of which the Rev. Daniel Evans of Cambridge was chairman, reads:

"The public prints of the week ending March 18, 1905, report a gift of $100,000 to the foreign missionary society of the Congregational churches from Mr. John D. Rockefeller, the head of the Standard Oil Company. This company stands before the public under repeated and recent formidable indictments in specific terms for methods which are morally iniquitous and socially destructive.

"The church is the moral educator and leader of the people, and in order to fulfil this calling with freedom and effect it must stand entirely clear of any implication in the evil it is set to condemn. The acceptance of such a gift involves the constituents of the board in a relation implying honor toward the donor and subjects the board to the charge of ignoring the moral issues involved.

"We, the undersigned, therefore protest against any action by which our church may even seem to be compromised, and we plead with the officers of the board to decline the gift of Mr. Rockefeller or to return it if it has been accepted."

Shipbuilders' Club.

On Friday, March 17, instead of the usual weekly entertainment at the Shipbuilders' club, a special general meeting was held for the purpose of reading and confirming the constitution and rules as drawn up by the committee appointed for that purpose. With the exception of one or two minor modifications, the rules as read, were unanimously adopted. Nominations for the various offices were then invited, the voting for which will take place two weeks hence.

The treasurer of the club read a balance sheet of the proceeds derived from the inspection of the "Providence," as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Tickets issued 1600	
Tickets sold 1335	
Tickets taken at ship 1239 including 29 complimentary tickets.	
Total cash received	$333.75
less expenses	63.65
Total balance	$270.10

EXPENDITURES.

Prescott, printing and advertising	$14.50
Green, printing and advertising	4.25
Yule, refreshments,	9.75
Incidentals badges, postage, etc.	6.05
Platform across Bent's Creek	19.10
Police fees	10.00
Total	$63.65

Considering the short notice given the public, and the hurried arrangements generally, the result may be considered perfectly satisfactory to all concerned. It is intended to hold other functions at an early date so that a substantial fund will be available, when the new club premises are ready for furnishing early in June. The management of the works have readily acceded to the members' wishes to have more suitable quarters, and are doing all in their power to assist the committee in making the club thorough successful.

Quincy Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of the recent real estate sales in Quincy:

John V. Scott to William E. Doty.
Frank E. Barr to William L. Doty.
Ira T. Timberlake to John F. Hunt
Charles F. Adams, et. al., trs, to Richard S. Williams, et. al.
Charles F. Adams, et. al, trs, to Delia Sullivan.
Wictor Leeman to Peter J. Djerf.
Peter J. Djerf to Wictor Leeman.
Susan R. Romney to Thomas Carkson.
Frederick M. Stearns to N. Stewart Sanford.
John H. Dinegan to N. Stuart Sanford (2.)
Charles King by tr. to N. Stuart Sanford.
Teresa McDonnell to William J. Parker.
William J. Parker to Mary Whoriskey et al.
Francis A. Friguglietti to Thomas F. Padula.
Hannah Swymer to Fred W. Wood.
Helen E. Dugey to Eliza J. Qualey.
Benjamin F. Curtis to Henry E. Hardwick.
Rose Berfoldst to Peter P. Porter.
Harlow H. Rogers to William O. Wellington.
John Swithin et al trs. to John R. Lindholm.
Willard Welsh to George S. Blaisdell (2).
Susan R. Romney to George S. Blaisdell.
Thomas G. Washburn to George S. Blaisdell.
Elizabeth C. Follett to Saverio Di Censo.
Herbert S. Barker to Belle Andrews.
Belle Andrews to Barney D Mann.
Annibale Farrari et al to Amedeo Cappellini.
Levi B. Fickett to Jacob W. Wilbur.
Margaret A. Fleming to Jacob W. Wilbur.
Alice E. Sullivan to Jessie L. Webb.
Jessie L. Webb to Mary E. Macy.

Are Now Thankful.

Several workmen from Braintree and Weymouth complained bitterly to the street car conductors Monday morning because the cars were so late. The delay was caused by ice forming on the trolley wires. Quite a few of these men were employed in the ill fated factory at Brockton.

Had the cars been on time they would have all been at work when the explosion took place. As it was the explosion occurred before they arrived. Then they thanked their lucky stars that the cars were late.

—The U. S. cruiser Washington was successful launched at Camden, N. J., on Saturday.

☞ At Skinner's, for $1.50 per dozen, quarter size Cabinet Photos.

Anecdotes.

Cawker—"When do babies begin to think?"

Walker—"Well, mine began to think that I ought to walk the floor with him the second night he was in the house."—Yonkers Statesmen.

"Were you ill enough to have a consultation of doctors?"

"A good deal worse than that, old man. I had a consultation of my creditors."—Life.

Mistress.—"Kate, I found the gas escaping in the kitchen last night. You must never blow it out."

Kate.—"I didn't, mum; I turned it out, then turned it on again to have it ready to light in the morning."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Tramp—Called to see, lady, if I could do sum work fer ye.

Kind Lady—What can you do?

Tramp—I'm a sort of a dentist, mum. I want to advertise, so I'll put a set of teeth into a good pie for nothing.—Town and Country Journal.

Magistrate.—"You are charged with stealing a dog. What have you to say?"

Prisoner.—"The dog followed me home."

Magistrate.—"But the constable says it did so because you had some liver about you."

Prisoner.—"Well, a man can't walk about without his liver, can he?"

Household Receipts.

Dandelion Wine. Four quarts of dandelion flowers, one gallon of boiling water, one lemon, three oranges, three pounds of sugar and three tablespoonfuls of yeast. Put the blossoms in a jar, pour the boiling water over them, and let them stand three days. Then take the juice and grated yellow peel of oranges and lemon and simmer with the liquid and blossoms for fifteen minutes. Strain, pour over the sugar, and let it stand until lukewarm. Add the yeast, and set away, covered, for eight or ten days. At the end of that time strain and bottle.

Cabbage and Potato Salad. Take one cup of chopped white cabbage, one pint of potato, diced, and mix with cream dressing. Add capers, boiled beets, diced, and chopped red peppers to taste. Garnish with crescents of lemon and watercress or celery tops.

Fried Apples. Wash, cut into thin slices, put some butter in a frying-pan, and when hot turn them into it, sprinkle sugar over them, and keep covered until soft; then remove the lid to let them brown.

Chicken Croquettes. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter. When it bubbles add four heaping tablespoonfuls of flour and cook a little on one side of stove. Heat one pint of milk and add a little at a time to the flour and melted butter, beating it thoroughly. Season with one half teaspoonful of salt, one-half saltspoonful of pepper, and one-half teaspoonful of celery salt. Chop the chicken as fine as possible, dark and light meat mixed having four or five cupfuls when chopped. With the meat chop an onion size of walnut. Stir this into the cream sauce and let it cool. Shape between the hands into cones. Dip them into beaten egg, then in bread crumbs and fry.

BOSTON AMUSEMENTS.

Park Theatre.

Aside from the effective acting of Mr. Robert Edeson and his associates in "Strongheart," to be presented at the Park Theatre on March 27th, there is little doubt that much of the popularity of the play is due to the fact that it pictures vividly college life of today. "Strongheart" breathes the college spirit particularly when football is in the air for its action takes place on and about the time of the big game of the season. Its scenes reflect the days of youth, of spontaneous fun, of frolic, of fraternities, of campus heroes and of boy and girl love affairs. Placed in the midst of this breezy bustling life is Strongheart, the son of an Indian chief, foot ball hero and a brother comrade in every sense of the word until his love for the sister of his chum stirs "the prejudice of centuries" and the line is drawn between the Indian and the white man. Mr. Edeson in an unconventional role presents the best characterization of his career and has eclipsed his earlier triumphs in "Soldiers of Fortune" and "Ranson's Folly" which under the direction of Henry B. Harris won for him a foremost place among the American stars of today. Mr. Edeson comes to Boston direct from the Hudson Theatre, New York where he has played the most prosperous engagement of his career.

Tremont Theatre.

Rarely have audiences been so pleasantly taken by surprise as those which have assembled at the Tremont Theatre to greet the much boomed and long anticipated musical play, "The Cingalee." They had been bidden to expect something on a magnificent scale, but it is doubtful whether they anticipated the charming stage pictures awaiting them. When the curtain ran up there was an involuntary cry throughout the house of "How Beautiful," and then came a round of cheering again and again renewed. A crowd of white-gowned, raven-haired Cingalese maidens lay dozing in the glare of the tropical light. Natives of the sterner sex, swarthy and sloe-eyed, made contrast with their quaint costume. Then came soft strains of melodious music; the scene gradually became bustling with life; and gave preparation for the richly dressed principals. The second stage picture was more barbaric in its splendors. But apart from its spectacular effects, "The Cingalee" may be voted one of the most successful of modern musical comedies. The score is full of tuneful melodies, and contains several numbers which cannot fail to take the public fancy. Miss Genevieve Finlay the sweet little Nanoya, married at the age of four to Boobhamba, revealed a remarkably beautiful Contralto voice. Marion Rose, the new vocal discovery, sang and acted the part of Lady Pat in a refreshingly dignified manner. The rest of the cast is exceptionally strong. The production will remain at the Tremont Theatre all next week.

Castle Square Theatre.

The announcement of "Carmen" as next week's attraction at the Castle Square Theatre will, without doubt, prove very interesting to the patrons of this play house as the stage version of Prosper Merrimee's novel is a comparative novelty with Boston audiences. The version of the novel to be used at the Castle Square is that made famous by Olga Nethersole during her last tour in this country and in this version the thrillingly dramatic story told by Merrimee is presented in a series of strongly planned scenes and situations offering splendid opportunities for good players. Lillian Kemble in the title role will have a character well suited to her skill as an emotianal actress and the other members of the company will make up a strong cast. The play will be put upon the stage with due care as to costumes, scenery, etc. "Carmen" is announced for a single week with the usual free distribution of boxes of choice chocolate bonbons at the Monday matinee.

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